

**LIST OF BODIES AND AGENCIES REPRESENTED AS OBSERVERS AT PREVIOUS**

**MEETINGS OF THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES**

**TO THE ROTTERDAM CONVENTION**

**(IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 7 OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE)<sup>1</sup>**

**I. INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS**

**African Union**

Ethiopia

Russian Federation

**League of Arab States**

Switzerland

**Association of South East Asian Nations  
(ASEAN)**

Indonesia

**South Asia Co-operative Environment  
Programme (SACEP)**

Sri Lanka

**Baltic Marine Environment Protection  
Commission (HELCOM)**

Finland

**South Centre**

Switzerland

**Comité Inter-Etats des Pesticides d'Afrique  
Centrale (CPAC)**

Cameroon

**Union Economique et Monétaire Ouest  
Africaine (UEMOA)**

Burkina Faso

**Eurasian Economic Commission (EEC)**

**II. GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS**

**Fonds français pour l'environnement mondial  
(FFEM)**

France

**Indonesian Institute for Sciences (LIPI)**

Indonesia

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<sup>1</sup> As at 9 January 2023, list of bodies and agencies represented as observers in accordance with rule 7 of the rules of procedure the Conference of the Parties to the Rotterdam Convention. This list does not include those entities represented as observers in accordance with rule 6 of the rules of procedure i.e. the United Nations and its specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency and any State not party to the Convention. The list includes those bodies or agencies represented as observers at meetings of subsidiary bodies on a provisional basis and yet to be considered for admission at a meeting of the Conference of the Parties.

### **III. NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS**

**Abibimman Foundation**

Ghana

**Academia Mexicana de Derecho Ambiental (AMDA)**

Mexico

**Action Group for the Promotion and Protection to the Flora and the Fauna (GAPROFFA)**

Benin

**Action Internationale Pour La Paix et Le Développement Dans La Région Des Grands Lacs (AIPO)**

Switzerland

**Action Jeunesse pour le Développement (AJED)**

Republic of Congo

**Action sur l'environnement et le développement (AED)**

Congo

**Africa Foundation Desenvolvimento Sustentavel, Limitada (Africa Foundation for Sustainable Development)**

Mozambique

**African Center for Advocacy and Development (ACAHD)**

Nigeria

**AGENDA for Environment and Responsible Development**

United Republic of Tanzania

**Agrochemicals Association of Kenya (AAK)**

Kenya

**Ako Foundation**

Ghana

**All-China Environment Federation (ACEF)**

People's Republic of China

**Alternatives Durables pour le Développement (ADD)**

Cameroon

**American Chemistry Council (ACC)**

United States of America

**Amis de la Terre**

Togo

**ANDEVA**

France

**Armenia Women for Health and the Environment (AWHHE)**

Armenia

**Asbestos Cement Products Manufacturers' Association (ACPMA)**

India

**Asbestos Disease Awareness Organization (ADAO)**

United States of America

**Asbestos Information Centre**

India

**Asbestos Victims Support Groups Forum UK**

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

**Asociación Agrocare Latinoamérica**

Costa Rica

**Asociación de Industrias Farmacéuticas Colombiana (ASINFAR)**

Colombia

**Asociación nacional de empresarios de Colombia (ANDI)**  
Colombia

**Associação de Proteção ao Meio Ambiente de Cianorte (APROMAC)**  
Brazil

**Association Congolaise pour le Développement Agricole (ACDA)**  
Republic of Congo

**Association de l'Education Environnementale pour les Futures Générations (AEEFG)**  
Tunisia

**Association des Dentistes sans mercure (ADESAM)**  
Cameroon

**Association des femmes africaines intègres pour la recherche et le développement (AFAIRD)**  
Cameroon

**Association des Journalistes de l'Environnement et de la Nature (AJEN)**  
Cameroon

**Association For Promotion Sustainable Development (APSD Hisar)**  
India

**Association pour la Protection de l'Environnement et le Développement Durable de Bizerte (APEDDUB)**  
Tunisia

**Association Ukrainian Chrysotile Corporation**  
Ukraine

**Associação Brasileira dos Expostos ao Amianto (ABREA)**  
Brazil

**Australian Council of Trade Unions (ACTU)**  
Australia

**Australian People for Health Education and Development (Union Aid Abroad) (APHEDA)**  
Australia

**Balkan WaSH Network**  
North Macedonia

**Ban Asbestos Canada**  
Canada

**Basel Action Network (BAN)**  
United States of America

**Berne Declaration**  
Switzerland

**Biom Youth Ecological Movement Public Association**  
Kyrgyzstan

**Bromine Science and Environmental Forum (BSEF)**  
Belgium

**Bureau of International Recycling (BIR)**  
Belgium

**Cámara de Industria de Guatemala (CIG)**  
Guatemala

**Cámara Hondureña de Productos Equivalentes (CAHPROE)**  
Honduras

**Canadian Electronics and Communications Association (CECA)**  
Canada

**Canadian Labour Congress**  
Canada

**CAPWS Waste Management Services (CAPWS)**  
Nigeria

**Carbone Guinée**  
Guinea

**Centre for Cooperation for Sustainable  
Development (CSD Centre)**  
Kazakhstan

**Center for International Environmental Law  
(CIEL)**  
Switzerland / United States of America

**Center for Public Health and Environmental  
Development (CEPHED)**  
Nepal

**Centre africaine pour la santé  
environnementale (CASE)**  
Cote d'Ivoire

**Centre de Recherches et d'Education pour  
le Développement (CREPD)**  
Cameroon

**Centre for Earth-Works Development (CFEW)**  
Nigeria

**Centre for Environment Justice and  
Development (CEJD)**  
Kenya

**Centre Optionnel Pour la Promotion et la  
Régénération Economique et Sociale Secteur  
Afrique (COPRESSA)**  
Cameroon

**Chemical Safety Ukraine (CSA)**  
Ukraine

**Child Rights International Network (CRIN)**  
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern  
Ireland

**Children's Environmental Health Foundation  
(CEHF)**  
Zambia

**China Biodiversity Conservation and Green  
Development (CBCGDF)**  
People's Republic of China

**China National Agrochemical Corporation  
(CNAC)**  
People's Republic of China

**Chrysotile Association NPO**  
Russian Federation

**Chrysotile Institute (CI) Canada**  
Canada

**Coalition Climat pour la Biodiversité et le  
Développement (CCBD)**  
Congo

**Confederation of Employers of Kazakhstan (CEK)**  
Kazakhstan

**Consejo nacional agropecuario**  
Mexico

**Conservation International (CI)**  
United States of America

**Consumers International**  
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern  
Ireland

**CropLife International**  
Belgium

**Day Hospital Institute for Development and  
Rehabilitation (DHIDR)**  
Egypt

**Earth Day Network India**  
India

**Earthjustice**

Switzerland

**Eco-Accord**

Russian Federation

**Ecoforum of NGOs of Uzbekistan**

Uzbekistan

**Ecological Movement "BIOM"**

Kyrgyzstan

**Ecological Restorations Club**

Ghana

**Ecological Waste Coalition of the Philippines**

Philippines

**Ecomove International e.V.**

Germany

**Ecoproject Partnership**

Belarus

**Environment and Social Development  
Organization (ESDO)**

Bangladesh

**Environmental Health Fund (EHF)**

United States of America

**Environmental Justice Foundation (EJF)**

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern  
Ireland

**Environmental Quality Protection Foundation  
(EQPF)**

People's Republic of China

**European Chemical Industry Council – European  
Light Stabilisers and Antioxidants Association  
(CEFIC -ELISANA)**

Belgium

**European Chemical Industry Council (CEFIC)**

Belgium

**Federação dos Trabalhadores da Construção de  
São Paulo (FETICOM)**

Brazil

**Federação Internacional dos Trabalhadores do  
Amianto Crisotila (FITAC)**

Brazil

**Federación colombiana de productores de papa  
(FEDEPAPA)**

Colombia

**Fédération des Coopératives des Pays de  
Mayoko (FECOPAM)**

Congo

**Federation of Environmental and Ecological  
Diversity for Agricultural Revampment and  
Human Rights (FEEDAR & HR)**

Cameroon

**Fibre Cement Products Manufacturers  
Association (FCPMA)**

India

**Fokus Nexus Three Foundation (Nexus3)**

Indonesia

**Fonds français pour l'environnement mondial  
(FFEM)**

France

**Forum for Nature Protection**

Nepal

**Foundation for Advancements in Science and  
Education (FASE)**

United States of America

**Global Alliance for Incinerator Alternatives  
Secretariat (GAIA)**

Philippines

**Global Alliance on Health and Pollution (GAHP)**  
Switzerland

**Global EcoLomics**  
Canada

**Green Cross Switzerland**  
Switzerland

**Green Women Analytical  
Environmental Agency**  
Kazakhstan

**GRID-Arendal**  
Norway

**HBCD Industry Group**  
Israel

**Health and Environment Justice Support  
(HEJSupport)**  
Germany

**Indian Chemical Council (ICC)**  
India

**Indigenous Information Network (IIN)**  
Switzerland

**IndustriALL Global Union**  
Switzerland

**Innovation and Development  
Association (INNODEV)**  
Lebanon

**Instituto Brasileiro Do Crisotila (IBC)**  
Brazil

**Instituto Mexicano de Fibro-Industrias  
A.C.**  
Mexico

**International Alliance of Trade Union  
Organizations "Chrysotile"**  
Russian Federation

**International Chrysotile Association /  
Association Internationale du Chrysotile**  
Canada

**International Council of Chemical  
Associations (ICCA)**  
Belgium / United States of America

**International Federation of Organic Agriculture  
Movements (IFOAM)**  
Germany

**International Fertilizer Industry Association**  
France

**International HCH & Pesticides Association  
(IHPA)**  
Denmark

**International Labour Foundation for  
Sustainable Development**  
Spain

**International Panel on Chemical Pollution  
(IPCP)**  
Switzerland

**International POPs Elimination Network (IPEN)**  
Czech Republic / Sweden / United States of  
America

**International Union of Food, Agricultural,  
Hotel, Restaurant, Catering, Tobacco and  
Allied Workers Association (IUF/UITA)**  
Switzerland

**Internews Network**  
United States of America

**Island Sustainability Alliance C.I. Inc (ISACI)**  
Cook Islands

**Jeunes Volontaires pour l'Environnement (JVE)**  
Cote d'Ivoire

**Journalists Environmental Association (JET)**  
United Republic of Tanzania

**Kenya Environment and Waste Management Association (KEWMA)**  
Kenya

**League of Independent Activists (IndyACT)**  
Lebanon

**Minderoo Foundation**  
Australia

**National Association of Professional Environmentalists (NAPE)**  
Uganda

**National Toxics Network (NTN) Inc.**  
Australia

**NAVTI Foundation Cameroon**  
Cameroon

**Neighbour Organization – Nepal (NEO-Nepal)**  
Nepal

**NGO Independent Ecological Expertise**  
Kyrgyzstan

**Oceaneye**  
Switzerland

**ONG La Grande Puissance de Dieu**  
Benin

**Ordine dei Chimici della Provincia di Treviso**  
Italy

**Pesticide Action Network (PAN) Africa**  
Senegal

**Pesticide Action Network (PAN) Europe**  
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

**Pesticide Action Network (PAN) International**  
Global

**Pesticide Action Network (PAN) North America**  
United States of America

**Pesticide Action Network Asia and the Pacific (PAN AP)**  
New Zealand / Malaysia

**Pesticide Action Network India**  
India

**Pesticide Action Network (PAN UK)**  
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

**Pesticide Action Nexus Association (PAN-Ethiopia)**  
Ethiopia

**PlasticsEurope Aisbl**  
Belgium

**Propreté Environnement et Santé (PES)**  
Burundi

**Public Eye**  
Switzerland

**Public Services International**  
France

**Pure Earth (formerly the Blacksmith Institute)**  
United States of America

**Rainforest Alliance B.V.**

Netherlands

**Red de Acción en Plaguicidas y sus Alternativa (RAAA)**

Peru

**Red de Acción en Plaguicidas y sus Alternativas de América Latina (RAPAL)**

Chile / Argentina / Uruguay

**Red de Acción sobre plaguicidas en México (RAPAM) A.C.**

Mexico

**Research Centre for Gender, Family and Environment in Development (CGFED)**

Viet Nam

**Rotterdam Convention Alliance (ROCA)**

North Macedonia

**Sindicato dos Cerâmistas e Mobilários de Criciúma e Região**

Brazil

**Sindicato dos Trabalhadores nas Indústrias da Construção, mobilário, ceramistas, ladrilhos, hidráulicos e produtos de cimento de Capivari e região (SINTRACICAP)**

Brazil

**Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers (SIAM)**

India

**Solidar Suisse**

Switzerland

**Sustainable Environment Development Initiative (SEDI-Nigeria)**

Nigeria

**Sustainable Research and Action for**

**Environmental Development (SRADev-Nigeria)**

Nigeria

**Swedish Society for Nature Conservation (SSNC)**

Sweden

**Terra-1530**

Republic Of Moldova

**Thanal**

India

**Tour Opération et Initiatives (TOI)**

Democratic Republic of Congo

**Trade Union of Building and Building Material**

Ukraine

**Uganda Network on Toxic Free Malaria Control (UNETMAC)**

Uganda

**Ukrainian National Environmental NGO (MAMA-86)**

Ukraine

**Unión Mexicana de fabricantes y formuladores de agroquímicos (UMFFAAC)**

Mexico

**Unite the Union**

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

**Vietnam National Roof Sheet Association**

Vietnam

**Volgograd-Ecopress Information Centre**

Russian Federation

**Wakiso District Action For Development**

Uganda



**Welfare Togo**

Togo

**Women in Europe for a Common Future  
(WECF)**

Germany / Netherlands

**World Chlorine Council (WCC)**

Canada / Belgium

**World Wide Fund For Nature Japan**

Japan

**World Wide Fund For Nature (WWF)**

Kenya / Switzerland / United States of America

**Xingche Environmental Commonweal  
Development Center of Wuhan (Acture)**

People's Republic of China

**Young Volunteers for the Environment (YVE –  
The Gambia)**

The Gambia