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United Nations Environment Programme

Twelfth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer Online, 23–29 October 2021 Thirty-Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Online, 23–29 October 2021

Draft decisions for consideration by the Conference of the Parties to the Vienna Convention at its twelfth meeting (part II) and the Thirty-Third Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol

Note by the Secretariat

Addendum

The annex to the present note sets out a draft decision entitled "Extraordinary Meeting of the Parties in 2022", which was submitted to the Secretariat by Norway. The draft decision is presented as received, without formal editing by the Secretariat, for consideration and possible adoption by the Thirty-Third Meeting of the Parties. The draft decision will be considered under item 4 (a) of the provisional agenda of the preparatory segment of the combined twelfth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer (part II) and Thirty-Third Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer.

Annex

Decision XXXIII/..: Extraordinary Meeting of the Parties in 2022

Submission by Norway

Recalling Decision XXXII/2 on organizing an extraordinary meeting of the parties in 2021 to enable parties to take a decision on the replenishment of the Multilateral Fund for the triennium 2021 - 2023 if and when the circumstances related to the global pandemic permit it,

Noting that consideration of and a decision on the replenishment of the Multilateral Fund for the Implementation of the Montreal Protocol for the triennium 2021–2023 have been postponed owing to the circumstances related to the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic,

Noting also that the parties are expected to take a decision on the terms of reference for the study on the 2024 – 2026 replenishment of the Multilateral Fund for the Implementation of the Montreal protocol at the Thirty-Fourth Meeting of the Parties scheduled in 2022,

Aware that the Secretariat might need to prepare a contingency plan for meetings of the ozone treaties in 2022, in consultation with the parties, in the light of the evolving situation regarding the global pandemic,

To authorize the Secretariat to organize an extraordinary Meeting of the Parties in 2022 to enable parties to take a decision on the replenishment of the Multilateral Fund for the triennium 2021–2023 if and when the circumstances related to the global pandemic permit it.