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AMENDMENTS TO ANNEXES I AND II TO THE 1998 PROTOCOL ON
PERSISTENT ORGANIC POLLUTANTS

GENEVA, 18 DECEMBER 2009

ENTRY INTO FORCE

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary,
communicates the following:

On 28 November 2022, the conditions for the entry into force of the Amendments to Annexes I and II to the 1998 Protocol on Persistent Organic Pollutants were met. Accordingly, the Amendments shall enter into force on 26 February 2023 in accordance with Article 14 (3) of the Protocol which reads as follows:

“Amendments to the present Protocol and to annexes I to IV, VI and VIII shall be adopted by consensus of the Parties present at a session of the Executive Body, and shall enter into force for the Parties which have accepted them on the ninetieth day after the date on which two thirds of the Parties have deposited with the Depositary their instruments of acceptance thereof. Amendments shall enter into force for any other Party on the ninetieth day after the date on which that Party has deposited its instrument of acceptance thereof.”

30 November 2022

