

Reference: C.N.280.2025.TREATIES-XXVII.1.1 (Depositary Notification)

AMENDMENTS TO THE TEXT OF AND ANNEXES OTHER THAN III AND VII
TO THE 1998 PROTOCOL ON HEAVY METALS

GENEVA, 13 DECEMBER 2012

MALTA: ACCEPTANCE

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

The above action was effected on 16 June 2025.

The Amendments shall enter into force for Malta on 14 September 2025 in accordance with
article 13 (3) of the Protocol which reads as follows:

“Amendments to the present Protocol and to annexes I, II, IV, V and VI 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.”

16 June 2025

