

# ERS Basel 2014

Name of Party: Slovakia

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## PART I: STATUS OF INFORMATION

### Competent Authority information

#### 1a - Designated Competent Authority to the Basel Convention.

In accordance with Article 5 of the Convention, Parties shall designate or establish one or more competent authorities.

According to the Secretariat's records the Designated Competent Authority(ies) in your country is(are):

Organization:	Department:	Job Position:	Full Name:	Tel:	Fax:	Address:	e-Mail:	Web site:
Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic	Waste Management Department	State Adviser	Olga Trcková	+421 2 59 56 11 11		Námestie Ľ. Štúra 1 Bratislava 81535 Slovakia	olga.trckova@enviro.gov.sk	
Ministry of the Environment of the Slovak Republic	Waste Management Department	Director of Waste Management Department	Ján Scerbák	+421 2 6020 1677	+421 2 6020 1678	Námestie Ľ. Štúra 1 Bratislava 812 35 Slovakia	eleonora.suplatova@enviro.gov.sk, jan.scerbak@enviro.gov.sk	

**1a.1 - Do you want to make a request to the Secretariat to update the above-mentioned record or to make a new designation for a Competent Authority?**

☒ Yes

☐ No

**1a.2 - Request to the Secretariat to update the Secretariat records for the Designated Competent Authority to the Basel Convention or to make a new designation.**

Please note that the updated or new designations transmitted here will be confirmed by the Secretariat, in accordance with the relevant decisions of the COPs. Only once updates or designations are confirmed, will the Basel Convention contacts database, the website and the record shown under

question 1a of this questionnaire be updated. The Secretariat may need to contact the Party for any additional information or clarification that might be required in this regard.

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Organization:	Department:	Job Position:	Full Name:	Tel:	Fax:	Address:	e-Mail:	Web site:
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Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic	Waste Management Department	Director of Waste Management Department	Eleonóra Šuplatová	+421 2 5956 2669	+421 2 5956 2511	Námestie Ľ. Štúra 1 Bratislava 812 35 Slovakia	eleonora.suplatova@enviro.gov.sk	

### 1a.3 Upload supporting documents.

Attach Form for notification of designation of contacts, completed by a duly authorized entity, and any supporting documents e.g. nomination letters. Kindly note that self-nominations will not be considered.

#### Attachments:

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#### Focal Point information

### 1b - Designated Focal Point to the Basel Convention.

In accordance with Article 5 of the Convention, Parties shall designate or establish one focal point. According to the Secretariat's records the Designated Focal Point in your country is:

Organization:	Department:	Job Position:	Full Name:	Tel:	Fax:	Address:	e-Mail:	Web site:
Ministry of Environment	Department of Waste Management	Focal Point to the Basel Convention	Katarina Spišáková	+421 2 6020 1677	+421 2 6020 1678	Námestie Ľ. Štúra 1 Bratislava 815 35 Slovakia	katarina.spiskova@enviro.gov.sk	

**1b.1 - Do you want to make a request to the Secretariat to update the above-mentioned record or to make a new designation for a Basel Convention Focal Point?**

☒ Yes  
☐ No

**1b.2 - Request to the Secretariat to update the Designated Focal Point record for the Basel Convention or to make a new designation.**

**Please note that the updated or new designations transmitted here will be confirmed by the Secretariat, in accordance with the relevant decisions of the COPs. Only once updates or designations are confirmed, will the Basel Convention contacts database, the website and the record shown under question 1b of this questionnaire be updated. The Secretariat may need to contact the Party for any additional information or clarification that might be required in this regard. . Please note that each Party may designate only ONE Focal Point for the Basel Convention.**

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<b>Organization:</b>	<b>Department:</b>	<b>Job Position:</b>	<b>Full Name:</b>	<b>Tel:</b>	<b>Fax:</b>	<b>Address:</b>	<b>e-Mail:</b>	<b>Web site:</b>
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**Wastes Controlled for the Purpose of Transboundary Movement**

**2a Is there a national definition of waste used for the purpose of transboundary movements of waste?**

☒ Yes  
☐ No  
☐ In preparation

**If yes, please provide the text of the national definition of waste:**

According to the Act No. 223/2001 Coll. on waste and on amendment of certain acts as amended a waste means a movable object, which the holder discards or intends to discard or is required to discard pursuant to the Act or special regulations (e.g. the Act of the National Council of the Slovak Republic No. 272/1994 Coll. on Human Health Protection, as amended, Article 43 of the Act No. 140/1998 Coll. on Medicaments and Medical Aids, on Modification of the Act No. 455/1991 Coll. on Trade Licensing (Trade Licensing Act), as amended, and on Modification and Amendment of the Act of the National Council of the Slovak Republic No. 220/1996 Coll. on Advertisement, as amended by the Act No. 119/2000 Coll., Regulation of the Ministry of Health of the Slovak Republic No. 12/2001 Coll. on Requirements for the Provision of Radiation Protection).

The national waste definition refers to the waste definition of the Directive 2008/98/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on waste and repealing certain Directives.

The Decree No. 284/2001 Coll. establishing Waste Catalogue as amended defines two categories of wastes: a) non-hazardous, b) hazardous.

## **Attachments:**

### **2b Is there a definition of hazardous waste in your national legislation?**

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ In preparation

### **If yes, please provide the text of the national definition of hazardous waste (Please attach the full text of the relevant legislation)**

According to the Act No. 223/2001 Coll. on waste and on amendment of certain acts as amended - hazardous waste means waste which displays one or several of the hazardous characteristics listed in Annex 4 - Hazardous characteristics of wastes (H codes). The Annex 4 is equal to the Annex III of the Directive 2008/98/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on waste and repealing certain Directives.

The Decree No. 284/2001 Coll. establishing Waste Catalogue as amended harmonized with European Waste Catalogue distinguishes two waste categories: - non-hazardous; - hazardous. The Annex 2 of this Decree refers to the Basel Convention list of hazardous waste characteristics (H codes) and the Annex 3 to categories of wastes to be controlled by Basel Convention (Y codes).

Hazardous wastes are considered wastes:

- a) Listed in Annex VIII to the Basel Convention;
- b) Designated as hazardous in the Waste Catalogue;
- c) Listed in Annex IX to the Basel Convention and containing substances listed in Annex I to the Basel Convention within a scope causing the occurrence of dangerous properties listed in Annex III to the Basel Convention.

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### **2c Does your country regulate or control any additional wastes as hazardous that are not included in paragraph 1 (a) of Article 1 of the Basel Convention and would be controlled for the purpose of**

## **transboundary movements pursuant to paragraph 1 (b) of Article 1?**

- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ In preparation

### **If yes, please specify those wastes (use additional space or an attachment, if required)**

Slovakia as a member state of the European Union has been transposed the European Waste Catalogue into national legislation. The National Waste Catalogue (Degree No. 284/2001 Coll.) covers all types of hazardous waste listed in the European Waste Catalogue (Decision 2000/532/EC). The National Waste Catalogue covers all types of hazardous waste listed in the European Waste Catalogue and additionally it covers six types of hazardous waste which are considered non-hazardous under the European Waste Catalogue. There are the following types of waste: 01 03 09, 03 03 05, 06 03 14, 08 01 16, 18 01 02, 18 01 07. The European Waste Catalogue is not compatible with the Annexes under the Basel Convention and therefore it is also difficult to classify the individual waste codes. So we present only the difference between the European and the National Waste Catalogue. Waste holders classify their waste and eliminate unjustified waste classification into the category non-hazardous in the case, when the composition of the waste is adequately defined and based on its composition it is possible to classify this waste explicitly as hazardous one. According to the first digits of the waste code a source of generation can be identified and then to address the waste a relevant code listed in Annexes I, II, and VIII. In some cases it is not easy to address relevant Y code to a specific code considering the range of Y codes listed in the Annex 1. On the other hand sometimes it is possible to address one or more Y codes according to the Annex 1 of the Basel Convention to one code of hazardous waste listed in the EU-waste list. A waste codes ending with two digits "99" (wastes not otherwise specified) have no category - their classification depends on their composition. These types of waste are problematic and difficult (not easy) to classify according to Annexes I, II and VIII of the Basel Convention.

Since 12 July 2007 transboundary movements of wastes have been regulated by the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste an amended.

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### **2d Is this a significant change to the national definition that has been previously notified to the Secretariat of the Basel Convention pursuant to paragraph 3 of Article 3?**

- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

### **2e What is the source or basis of this definition?**

- ☐ Basel Convention
- ☐ OECD-Council Acts
- ☒ EU Waste Law
- ☐ National
- ☐ Other (specify under remarks)

**Remarks, if necessary:**

### **2f Does the national definition of hazardous waste cover wastes other than those listed in annexes I, II**

## and VIII of the Basel Convention?

☒ Yes

☐ No

**If yes, please tick the box or boxes below indicating the list or lists containing such wastes and, in the table below or as an attachment, list the wastes.**

☐ WCO-HS

☐ OECD

☒ EU-Waste List

☐ National

☐ Other (specify under remarks)

### General remarks, if any.

The National Waste Catalogue (Degree No. 284/2001 Coll.) covers all types of hazardous waste listed in the European Waste Catalogue (Decision 2000/532/EC). There are marked with the letter „N“. Moreover, the National Waste Catalogue covers 6 types of hazardous waste which are considered non-hazardous under the European Waste Catalogue – are presented below.

Waste holders classify their waste and eliminate unjustified waste classification into the category nonhazardous in the case, when the composition of the waste is adequately defined and based on its composition it is possible to classify this waste explicitly as hazardous one. According to the first digits of the waste code a source of generation can be identified and then to address the waste a relevant code listed in Annexes I, II, and VIII. In some cases it is not easy to address relevant Y code to a specific code considering the range of Y codes listed in the Annex I. On the other hand sometimes it is possible to address one or more Y codes according to the Annex I of the Basel Convention to one code of hazardous waste listed in the EU-waste list. A waste codes ending with two digits “99” (wastes not otherwise specified) have no category - their classification depends on their composition. These types of waste are problematic and difficult (not easy) to classify according to Annexes I, II and VIII of the Basel Convention.

**\* Please ensure that your listing is as precise and clear as possible.**

Waste Code *	Waste description	Remarks ( if any)
01 03 09*	red mud from alumina production other than the wastes mentioned in 01 03 07	
03 03 05*	de-inking sludges from paper recycling	
06 03 14*	solid salts and solutions other than those mentioned in 06 03 11 and 06 03 13	
08 01 16*	aqueous sludges containing paint or varnish other than those mentioned in 08 01 15	
18 01 02*	body parts and organs including blood bags and blood preserves (except 18 01 03)	
18 01 07*	chemicals other than those mentioned in 18 01 06	

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**2g.i Specify any requirements (procedures) concerning transboundary movements that are applicable to the wastes listed under question 2f above:**

- ☒ The same as for wastes of Annex I, II or VIII  
☐ Other requirements (procedures)

**If other, please specify the requirements (procedures):**

Since 12 July 2007 the transboundary movements of wastes have been regulated by the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste.

**2g.ii Are there any wastes other than those identified above that require special consideration when subjected to transboundary movement?**

- ☐ Yes  
☒ No  
☐ In preparation

**Name of Party: ++CountryName++**

**Restrictions on Transboundary Movement of Hazardous Wastes and Other Wastes.**

**3a Has the amendment to the Basel Convention (Decision III/1) been implemented in your country?**

- ☒ Yes  
☐ No  
☐ In preparation

**Remarks:**

**3b Are there any restrictions on the export of hazardous wastes and other wastes for final disposal (Annex IV A) in your country?**

- ☒ Yes  
☐ No

☐ In preparation

**If yes, please provide the following:**

**(i) Specify relevant legislation and its entry into force:**

Since 12 July 2007 the transboundary movements of wastes have been regulated by the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste. According to the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006, Article 3 (1) a) shipments of all wastes shall be subject to the procedure of prior written notification and consent if destined for disposal operations. Objections to shipments of waste destined for disposal can be raised in compliance with an Article 11 of the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006.

Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic applies objections to shipments of waste destined for disposal pursuant to Article 11 of the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006.

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**(ii) Specify country or region and/or waste that would be covered by this restriction.**

Article 34 of the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 deals with an export prohibition (export of waste for disposal) except to EFTA countries.

**(iii) Remarks**

**3c Are there any restrictions on the export of hazardous wastes and other wastes for recovery (Annex IV B) in your country?**

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ In preparation

**If yes, please provide the following:**

**(i) Specify relevant legislation and its entry into force:**

Since 12 July 2007 the export of hazardous waste and other wastes for recovery is regulated by the Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 and further relevant regulations. Shipments of all wastes shall be subject to the procedure of prior written notification and consent according to the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006, Article 3 (1) b), (2), (3), (4), (5). Objections to shipments of waste destined for recovery can be raised in compliance with an Article 12 of the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006.

Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic applies objections to shipments of waste destined for recovery pursuant to Article 12 of the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006.

If the Ministry raises objections (articles 11 and 12 of the Regulation (ES) No 1013/2006) it shall start from the binding part of the Waste Management Programme of the Slovak republic- Article 23 (4) of the national Act No. 223/2001 Coll. on waste and on amendment of certain acts as amended.

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**(ii) Specify country or region and/or waste that would be covered by this restriction.**

Export from the Community of wastes destined for recovery in countries to which the OECD Decision does not apply are prohibited (Article 36 (1) of the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006).

Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1418/2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste listed in Annex III or IIIA to Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 to certain countries to which the OECD Decision on control of transboundary movements of wastes does not apply.

**(iii) Remarks**

**3d Are there any restrictions on the import of hazardous wastes and other wastes for final disposal (Annex IV A) in your country?**

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ In preparation

**If yes, please provide the following:**

**(i) Specify relevant legislation and its entry into force:**

Since 12 July 2007 the import of hazardous waste and other wastes for final disposal is regulated by relevant articles of the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006.

Transboundary shipments of waste from other member state to the Slovak Republic and import of waste from other state than member state to the Slovak Republic destined for disposal are prohibited unless an international agreement, by which the Slovak Republic is bound otherwise pursuant to Article 23 (3) of the national Act No. 223/2001 Coll. on waste and on amendment of certain acts as amended.

Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic applies objections to shipments of waste destined for disposal pursuant to Article 11 of the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006.

**Attachments**

**(ii) Specify country or region and/or waste that would be covered by this restriction.**

All countries

**(iii) Remarks**

**3e Are there any restrictions on the import of hazardous wastes and other wastes for recovery (Annex IV B) in your country?**

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ In preparation

**If yes, please provide the following:**

**(i) Specify relevant legislation and its entry into force:**

Since 12 July 2007 the imports of hazardous waste and other wastes for recovery is regulated by relevant articles of the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006.

According to the Act No. 223/2001 Coll. on waste, Article 23 (5) anyone who carries out transboundary movement of waste from another Member State to the Slovak Republic or import of waste from other than Member State to the Slovak Republic for the purpose of recovery by the operation R1 according the Annex 2 in the waste incinerator 35a) [Act No. 137/2010 Coll. on air, Article 2 (h)] designated as recovery facility for mixed municipal waste, shall submit the notification according to Article 24.

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**(ii) Specify country or region and/or waste that would be covered by this restriction.**

Imports prohibited except from an OECD Decision country or a country Party to the Basel Convention or with an agreement in place or from other areas during situations of crisis or war (Article 43 of the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006).

**(iii) Remarks**

**3f Are there any restrictions on the transit of hazardous wastes and other wastes through your country?**

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ In preparation

**Please provide the following:**

**(i) Specify relevant legislation and its entry into force:**

The Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste is applied for transit of waste in Slovakia.

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**(ii) Specify country or region and/or waste that would be covered by this restriction.:**

The transit of wastes has to be notified and is allowed only with a permit of the competent authority of the Slovak Republic.

**(iii) Remarks**

**Control Procedure of the Transboundary Movement of Waste**

**4a Are the Notification and Movement document forms of the Basel Convention used and/or accepted in the control of transboundary movement of hazardous wastes and other wastes?**

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ In preparation

**(i) If yes, have there been any problems in the usage of the Notification and Movement document forms?**

☐ Yes

☒ No

**(ii) Provide information on any other forms which are used and/or accepted in the control of transboundary movement of hazardous wastes and other wastes:**

Since 12 July 2007 notification and movements document forms according to the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste have been used. These forms comply with the Basel Convention requirement.

**4b As a state of import/transit, which is (are) the acceptable language(s) to receive the Notification and Movement document forms?**

Notification and movement forms for notification purpose from another Member State in the Slovak Republic, imports of wastes from non-Member States to Slovak Republic and transit of waste can be submitted in other than Slovak language.

**4c Please specify, if there are any additional information requirements in addition to those listed under Annex V (A and B) of the Basel Convention:**

Since 12 July 2007 the transboundary movements of wastes is covered by the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006. Additional information that may be requested by the competent authority is given in Annex II, part 3 of the Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006.

**4d Is the border control for the purpose of export/import/transit of hazardous wastes and other wastes established?**

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ In preparation

**(i) Is the Harmonized System on customs control of the World Customs Organization used?**

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ In preparation

## **(ii) Remarks:**

Whenever possible, the code number of the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System established by the Brussels Convention of 14 June 1983 under the auspices of the Customs Cooperation Council (Harmonized System) is listed. Border controls are concentrated at outer borders of EU and other border controls are reduced.

**Name of Party:** ++CountryName++

## **Reduction and/or Elimination of the Generation of Hazardous Wastes and Other Wastes.**

### **5 Describe measures taken for the reduction and/or elimination of the amount of hazardous wastes and other wastes generated:**

#### **(i) National strategies/policies**

Article 3 (1), (2) of the Act No. 223/2001 Coll. on waste and on amendment of certain acts as amended transposed the waste hierarchy defined in article 4 Directive 2008/98/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on waste and repealing certain Directives.

The hierarchy is binding and its goal is to prevent or reduce the adverse effects of waste management and reduction of impacts exploitation of primary sources. It is possible to divert from the hierarchy only for certain waste streams if is it justified by life cycle considerations in relation the overall impacts of the generation and management of such waste and if so provided in this Act or a special regulation (e.g. the Act No. 119/2010 Coll. on Packages and on Amendment of Certain Acts as amended by Act no. 547/2011 Coll.)

Article 2 (27) of the Act No. 223/2001 Coll. on waste and on amendment of certain acts as amended defines waste prevention as measures taken before a substance, material or product has become waste and that reduce:

- a) quantity of waste also including through the re-use of products or the extension of lifetime of products,
- b) adverse impacts of the generated waste on the environment and human health, or
- c) content of harmful substances in materials and products.

The Waste Management Programme of the Slovak Republic for 2011-2015 (WMP 2011-2015) approved by the Slovak Government provides the following goals for the period 2011-2015:

- to minimize the negative effects of the generation and management of waste on human health and the environment
- to aim at reducing the use of resources and to implement the waste hierarchy defined in article 4 directive 2008/98/EC on waste: (a) prevention; (b) preparing for re-use; (c) recycling; (d) other recovery, e.g. energy recovery; (e) disposal;
- to apply the principles of proximity, self-sufficiency in selected waste streams, as well as the extended producer responsibility in addition to the polluter-pays principle;
- to apply the requirements of best available techniques (BAT) or best environmental practices (BEP).

WMP 2011-2015 provides specific goals, which are in accordance with the requirements of EU legislation for the following waste streams: municipal waste and bio-waste, WEEE, packaging waste, waste batteries and accumulators, end-of life vehicles, used tires, construction and demolition waste, waste containing PCB and equipment contaminated with PCB and waste oils. WMP 2011-2015 contains 100 measures, which should lead to the implementation of the objectives of waste management. The adopted measures deal with planning, management and control, legislation, research and development, politics of production, infrastructure development, economic instruments, public awareness raising, keeping records and reporting.

The Waste Prevention Programme of the Slovak Republic for 2014-2018 ( WPP 2014-2018) was approved by the Slovak Government on 18 December 2013 in accordance with the provisions of the Directive 2008/98/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on waste and repealing certain Directives. The main objective of the program is to depart from material recovery, as the only declared priorities in the Waste Management Programme of the Slovak Republic to 2010, to the prevention of waste.

**Attach any national strategies/policies texts not previously transmitted.**

## **(ii) Legislation, regulations and guidelines**

Act of the National Council of SR No. Act No. 223/2001 Coll. on waste and on amendment of certain acts as amended;  
Act of the National Council of SR No. 17/2004 Coll. on charges for waste landfilling as amended;  
Act of the National Council of SR No. 127/2006 Coll. on persistent organic pollutants and amending the Act No. 223/2001 Coll. on waste and on amendment of certain acts as amended;  
Act of the National Council of SR No. 119/2010 Coll. on packages and amending the Act No. 223/2001 Coll. on waste and on amendment of certain acts as amended;  
Act of the National Council of SR No. 514/2008 Coll. on management of waste from extractive industries on amendment of certain acts;  
Act of the National Council of SR No. 137/2010 Coll. on air;  
Government Order of the SR No. 153/2004 Coll. setting binding limits and dead-lines for the scope of reuse of parts of the end of life vehicles, for recovery of the wastes coming from processing of end of life vehicles and their recycling;  
Government Order of the SR No. 388/2005 Coll. setting limits of WEEE recovery and for reuse and recycling of components, materials and substances, in wording of Government Order of the SR No. 206/2010 Coll.  
Decree of MoE SR No. 310/2013 Coll. on implementation of certain provisions of the Act on wastes  
Decree of MoE SR No. 284/2001 Coll. establishing Waste Catalogue as amended;  
Decree of the MoE No. 125/2004 Coll. setting the details of ELV processing and some requirements for vehicle production as amended;  
Decree of MoE SR No. 126/2004 Coll. on authorization, on issuing of expert opinions in issues of wastes, on authorization of persons authorized to issue expert opinions and on verifying of professional competence of such persons as amended;  
Decree of the MoE SR No. 127/2004 Coll. on charges calculation for contributions to the Recycling Fund, on the list of products, materials and equipments for which contribution to the Recycling Fund must be paid, and on the details concerning application for provision of the means from the Recycling Fund as amended;  
Decree of MoE SR No. 135/2004 Coll. on decontamination of facilities containing polychlorinated biphenyls;  
Decree of the MoE No. 315/2010 Coll. on WEEE management as amended by subsequent regulations (Decree of MoE No 51/2011 Coll.)  
Decree of MoE SR No. 81/2011 Coll. on backup beverage packaging  
Decree of MoE SR No. 91/2011 Coll. on implementation of certain provisions of the Act on packages;  
Decree of MoE SR No. 255/2010 Coll. which implements management of waste from extractive industries on amendment of certain acts;  
Notification of the MoE SR No. 75/2002 Coll. on issuing the Decree No. 1/2002, setting unified methods of analytical waste control;  
Notification of the Ministry of the Foreign Affairs of the SR No. 593/2004 Coll. on conclusion of the Stockholm Convention on POPs;  
Notification of the Ministry of the Foreign Affairs of the SR No. 60/1995 Coll. on the accession of the Slovak Republic to the Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal;  
Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste as amended  
Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1379/2007 amending Annexes IA, IB, VII and VIII of Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste, for the purposes of taking into account of technical progress and changes agreed under the Basel Convention  
Commission Regulation (EC) No. 669/2008 on completing Annex IC of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste;  
Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1418/2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste listed in Annex III or IIIA to Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council to certain countries to which the OECD Decision on control of transboundary movements of wastes does not apply;  
Commission Regulation (EC) No. 740/2008 amending Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007 as regards the procedures to be followed for export of waste to certain countries;  
Commission Regulation (EC) No. 308/2009 amending, for the purposes of adaptation to scientific and technical progress, Annexes IIIA and VI to Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste;  
Commission Regulation (EU) No 413/2010 amending Annexes III, IV and V to Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste so as to take account of changes adopted by OECD Council Decision C(2008) 156;  
Commission Decision No. 2010/438/EU extending the derogation period for Bulgaria to raise objections to shipments of certain waste to Bulgaria for recovery under Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council;  
Treaty of Accession of the SR to the EU (Annex XIV, 9(B) (1);  
Commission Regulation (EC) No. 967/2009 amending Regulation (EC) No. 1418/2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste to certain non-OECD countries;  
Commission Regulation (EU) No. 837/2010 amending Regulation (EC) No. 1418/2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste to certain non-OECD countries;  
Commission Regulation (EU) No. 661/2011 amending Regulation (EC) No. 1418/2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste to certain non-OECD countries;  
Commission Implementing Decision extending the derogation period for Romania to raise objections to shipments of certain

waste to Romania for recovery under Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste (2011/854/EU);  
 Commission Regulation (EU) No. 664/2011 amending Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste to include certain mixtures of wastes in Annex IIIA thereto;  
 Commission Regulation (EU) No. 135/2012 amending Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste to include certain unclassified wastes in Annex IIIB thereto;  
 Commission Regulation (EU) No. 674/2012 amending Regulation (EC) No. 1418/2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste to certain non-OECD countries;  
 Commission Regulation (EU) No. 255/2013 amending, for the purposes of adaptation to scientific and technical progress, Annexes IC, VII and VIII to Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste;  
 Commission Regulation (EU) No 57/2013 amending Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste to certain non-OECD countries.  
 Regulation (EU) No 519/2013 adapting certain regulations and decisions in the fields of free movement of goods, freedom of movement for persons, right of establishment and freedom to provide services, company law, competition policy, agriculture, food safety, veterinary and phytosanitary policy, fisheries, transport policy, energy, taxation, statistics, social policy and employment, environment, customs union, external relations, and foreign, security and defence policy, by reason of the accession of Croatia  
 Regulation (EU) No 660/2014 amending Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 on shipments of waste  
 Commission Regulation (EU) No 1234/2014 amending Annexes IIIB, V and VIII to Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste  
 Commission Regulation (EU) No 733/2014 amending Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste to certain non-OECD countries

**Attach any legislation, regulations and guidelines not previously transmitted.**

### **(iii) Economic instruments/initiatives**

- A fee for landfilling of wastes;
- EU financial instruments - Operating Programme Environment financed by European Regional Development Fund and Cohesive Fund focused on improvement of waste management at local level;
- Recycling Fund – fees paid by producers and importers (10 specified commodities); financial contributions are used to support collection and waste recovery;
- Local fees paid to the municipalities for collection, transport and disposal of municipal waste and small construction waste (generators of municipal waste pay local fees);
- Environmental Fund provides financial contributions to support separate collection, waste recovery, closing and remedy of landfill sites;
- Financial guarantee covering the costs of re-import and disposal, in case when transboundary movement cannot be completed.

**Attach any economic instruments/initiative texts not previously transmitted**

### **(iv) Measures taken by industries/waste generators**

In national register in 2014 4 companies had valid registrations of EMAS.

Within the national ecolabel scheme in 2014, 105 products of 5-th companies had right to use the national eco-label "Environmentálne vhodný produkt" („Environmentally Friendly Product“).

Within the European ecolabel scheme in 2014, 14 products of 4 companies had right to use “the EU Ecolabel”.

**Attach any texts of measures taken by industries/waste generators not previously transmitted to the Secretariat.**

### **(v) Others:**

Promotion activities organized at state, local, non-governmental levels, as follows: trainings, advisory services, information campaigns aimed at elimination of non-hazardous and hazardous waste generation.

**Attach any other relevant texts not previously transmitted to the Secretariat.**

**Name of Party: ++CountryName++**

## **Reduction of the Amount of Hazardous Wastes and Other Wastes Subject to the Transboundary Movement.**

### **6 Describe measures taken for the reduction of the amount of hazardous wastes and other wastes subject to the transboundary movement**

#### **(i) National strategies/policies**

The Waste Management Programme of the Slovak Republic for 2011 - 2015 (WMP 2011-2015) approved by the Slovak Government includes the following specific measures:

- to ensure that each transboundary shipment/import of waste (according to Annex III, IIIA and IIIB to Regulation (EC) No. 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste) for incinerators, which are waste recovery installation, shall be subjected to the procedure of prior written notification and consent according to Title II of the Regulation;
- in accordance with the Regulation and having regard to reducing the risk of shipping of hazardous waste for reasons of health protection and environment protection and in accordance with the Basel Convention, to allow the shipment or export of hazardous waste for recovery only in reasoned cases.

**Attach any national strategies/policies texts not previously transmitted.**

#### **(ii) Legislation, regulations and guidelines**

See Part 5 (ii).

Instruction of the Minister of Environment of the Slovak Republic of 15 April 2013 – procedure for equipping notifications for transboundary shipment or export of hazardous waste for recovery from the Slovak Republic.

**Attach any legislation, regulations and guidelines not previously transmitted.**

#### **(iii) Economic instruments/initiatives**

- A fee for landfilling of wastes;
- Fees paid to Recycling Fund will be used for waste recovery, waste separate collection, etc.;
- Local fees paid to the municipalities for collection, transport and disposal of municipal waste and construction waste (generators of municipal waste pay local fees);
- Financial guarantee covering the costs of re-import and disposal, in case when transboundary movement cannot be completed. "Basel-ban" has been implemented in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 June 2006 on shipments of waste (applicable from 12 July 2007).

**Attach any economic instruments/initiative texts not previously transmitted.**

#### **(iv) Measures taken by industries/waste generators**

Certain hazardous wastes are managed only by authorized persons. An authorization means granting consent to an entrepreneur to perform following operations (recovery/disposal): a) to handle spent batteries and accumulators, b) to handle waste oils, c) to handle end-of life vehicles, d) to handle electric and electronic wastes. Above mentioned operations - under conditions laid down by the Act No. 223/2001 Coll. on waste and on amendment of certain acts as amended - may only be performed by an entrepreneur authorized by the Ministry, unless stipulated otherwise by this Act. The Ministry may grant authorization for each

operation individually or for several operations jointly.

Measures taken by industries/waste generation are as follows:

- Establishment of new technologies - a cleaner production;
- Implementation of cleaner production projects;
- Establishment and implementation of EMS/EMAS.

**Attach any texts of measures taken by industries/waste generators not previously transmitted to the Secretariat.**

**(v) Others:**

None.

**Attach any other relevant texts not previously transmitted to the Secretariat.**

## **Effect on Human Health and the Environment**

**7 Please provide information (e.g. activities, effects, regions, period covered and the sources of data/information) on any available statistics, studies, monitoring reports, etc. which have been compiled on the effects of the generation, transportation and disposal of hazardous wastes and other wastes on human health and the environment or alternatively provide contact information on where this could be found:**

Special statistics on the effects of hazardous wastes and other wastes on human health and the environment do not exist in Slovakia. The following information sources regarding wastes are available:

- Statistical Yearbook of the Slovak Republic, national, annual, Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic;
- Report on the state of the environment of the Slovak Republic, national, annual, Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic;
- Wastes in the Slovak Republic, national, annual, Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic;
- Waste Management Programme of the Slovak Republic for the time period 2011-2015, Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic
- Waste Prevention Programme of the Slovak Republic for the time period 2014-2018, Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic
- [www.minzp.sk](http://www.minzp.sk)
- [www.sizp.sk](http://www.sizp.sk)
- [www.enviroportal.sk](http://www.enviroportal.sk)
- [www.recfond.sk](http://www.recfond.sk)
- [www.sazp.sk](http://www.sazp.sk)
- [www.nczisk.sk](http://www.nczisk.sk)
- [www.statistics.sk](http://www.statistics.sk)

## **Attachments**



<b>Table 2</b>  <b>Disposal Facilities Operated within the National Jurisdiction</b>				Updated?	
Please provide the following information <u>OR</u> indicate the source from where such information could be obtained:				Yes	No
Facility/operation or process (Name, address, organization/company, etc.)	Description of the facility, operation or process	Disposal operation (Annex IVA) D code	Capacity of the facility (in metric tons)	Does the facility treat wastes imported Yes/No	
<b>OR</b>					
Sources of information from where such information could be obtained:	A list of landfill sites is available at: <a href="http://www.minzp.sk/oblasti/odpady-obaly/skladkovanie-odpadov/informacie/">http://www.minzp.sk/oblasti/odpady-obaly/skladkovanie-odpadov/informacie/</a> A list of incineration plants at: <a href="http://www.enviroportal.sk/ovzdusie/zoznam-spalovni-a-zariadeni-na-spoluspalovanie">http://www.enviroportal.sk/ovzdusie/zoznam-spalovni-a-zariadeni-na-spoluspalovanie</a>				
Remarks:					

<b>Table 3</b> <b>Recovery Facilities Operated within the National Jurisdiction</b> Please provide the following information <b>OR indicate the source from where such information could be obtained:</b>					Updated?	
						<input type="checkbox"/> x <input type="checkbox"/> No
Facility/operation or process (Name, address, organization/company, etc.)	Description of the facility, operation or process	Recovery operation (Annex IVB) R code	Capacity of the facility (in metric tons)	Does the facility treat wastes imported Yes/No		
<b>OR</b>						
Sources of information from where such information could be obtained:	A list of authorized facilities is available at <a href="http://charon.sazp.sk/zhodnocovanie_odpadov/zariadenie_zo.aspx">http://charon.sazp.sk/zhodnocovanie_odpadov/zariadenie_zo.aspx</a>					
Remarks:						

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Name and address of institutions	Field of Assistance						
	Notification system	Management of hazardous wastes and other wastes	Environmentally sound technologies	Assessment of disposal capabilities and sites	Monitoring of hazardous wastes and other wastes	Emergency response	Identification of cases of illegal traffic
Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic, Nam. L.Stura 1, Bratislava	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Environmental Offices (Regional, District)	X	X		X	X	X	X
SEA, Centre of Waste and Environmental Management, Hanulova 5/D, Bratislava		X	X	X	X		
Basel Convention Regional Centre Bratislava, Hanulova 5/D, Bratislava		X	X	X			
Slovak Technical University, Bratislava		X	X				
Slovak Inspectorate of Environment, Karloveska 2, Bratislava					X	X	X
Experts authorized by the Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic				X	X		
Customs Directorate of the Slovak Republic, Mierova 23, Bratislava							X
Customs Criminal Office, Bajkalska 24, Bratislava							X

OR	
Sources of information from where such information could be obtained:	www.minzp.sk, www.scpc.sk, www.sazp.sk, www.sizp.sk, www.colnasprava.sk, www.stuba.sk
Remarks:	

<b>Table 5</b> <b>Sources of Financial Assistance</b> <b>Please list institutions within your country that could be contacted by other Parties for financial assistance, if required:</b>								<b>Updated?</b>			
									Yes	X	No
Name and address of institutions	Field of Assistance										
	Notification system	Management of hazardous wastes and other wastes	Environmentally sound technologies	Assessment of disposal capabilities and sites	Monitoring of hazardous wastes	Emergency response	Identification of cases of illegal traffic				
OR											
Sources of information from where such information could be obtained:											
Remarks:											

