

## **Intergovernmental organizations accredited to participate and/or have previously participated in the sessions of the United Nations Environment Assembly**

1. African Organization for Standardisation
2. Amazon Cooperation Treaty Organization
3. Arab Bank for Economic Development in Africa
4. Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development
5. Arab League Educational, Cultural and Scientific Organization
6. Arab Organization for Agricultural Development
7. Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) Centre for Biodiversity<sup>1</sup>
8. Caribbean Development Bank
9. Central African Economic Monetary Community
10. Central Commission for Navigation on the Rhine
11. Centre for Environment and Development for the Arab Region and Europe (CEDARE)<sup>1</sup>
12. Danube Commission
13. Desert Locust Control Organization for Eastern Africa
14. Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia<sup>1</sup>
15. European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)<sup>1</sup>
16. European and Mediterranean Plant Protection Organization
17. European Investment Bank
18. European Space Agency<sup>1</sup>
19. Gas Exporting Countries Forum<sup>1</sup>
20. Helsinki Commission - Baltic Marine Environment Protection Commission
21. Instituto Interamericano de Cooperación para la Agricultura/ Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture
22. Inter-American Institute for Global Change Research
23. Intergovernmental Authority for Development (formerly known as Intergovernmental Authority on Drought and Development)
24. International Centre for Insect Physiology and Ecology
25. International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development

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<sup>1</sup> The Environment Assembly, in its decision 6/3 of 26 February 2024, took note of a list of newly accredited intergovernmental organization.

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26. International Whaling Commission (IWC)<sup>1</sup>
27. Islamic World Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
28. Joint Songwe River Basin Commission<sup>1</sup>
29. Lake Chad Basin Commission
30. Mekong River Commission
31. Ministerial Conference on Fisheries Cooperation among African States Bordering the Atlantic Ocean (ATLAFCO/COMHAFAT)<sup>1</sup>
32. Niger Basin Authority
33. Nordic Council of Ministers
34. Organisation of Southern Cooperation (OSC)<sup>1</sup>
35. Organization for the Management and Development of the Kagera River Basin (KBO)
36. Organization of the Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries (OAPEC)<sup>1</sup>
37. Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC)<sup>1</sup>
38. Permanent Commission for the South Pacific [Comisión Permanente del Pacifico Sur]
39. Permanent Inter-State Committee for Drought Control in the Sahel
40. Port Management Association of Eastern and South Africa
41. Regional Centre for Mapping of Resources for Development
42. Regional Centre for Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency
43. Regional Environmental Centre for Central Asia
44. Regional Organization for the Conservation of the Environment of the Red Sea and Gulf of Aden (PERSGA)
45. Regional Organization for the Protection of the Marine Environment
46. Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme
47. South Asia Cooperative Environment Programme
48. Task Force of the Lusaka Agreement on Cooperative Enforcement Operations Directed at Illegal Trade in Wild Fauna and Flora
49. World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH)<sup>1</sup>
50. West African Development Bank (BOAD)<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>2</sup>Provisional.

## **Multilateral Environmental Agreements and Regional Conventions**

51. Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal\*
52. Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)\*
53. Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES)\*
54. Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals (CMS)\*
55. Convention on Wetlands of International Importance especially as Waterfowl Habitat (Ramsar Convention)
56. International Plant Protection Convention<sup>1</sup>
57. International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture<sup>1</sup>
58. Minamata Convention on Mercury\*
59. Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade\*
60. Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants\*
61. United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification
62. United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
63. Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer and the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer\*
64. Bamako Convention on the Ban of the Import into Africa and the Control of Transboundary Movement and Management of Hazardous Wastes within Africa\*
65. Framework Convention for the Protection of the Marine Environment of the Caspian Sea (Tehran Convention)\*
66. Framework Convention on the Protection and Sustainable Development of the Carpathians (Carpathian Convention)\*
67. Convention for Cooperation in the Protection, Management and Development of the Marine and Coastal Environment of the Atlantic Coast of the West, Central and Southern African Region (Abidjan Convention)\*
68. Convention for the Protection and Development of the Marine Environment of the Wider Caribbean Region (Cartagena Convention)\*
69. Convention for the Protection of the Marine Environment and the Coastal Region of the Mediterranean (Barcelona Convention)\*
70. Convention for the Protection, Management and Development of the Marine and Coastal Environment of the Western Indian Ocean (Nairobi Convention)\*
71. Agreement on the Conservation of African-Eurasian Migratory Waterbirds\*\*
72. Agreement on the Conservation of Populations of European Bats\*\*

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\*UNEP-administered MEAs/Conventions

\*\*CMS Agreement