



**BAMA KO CONVENTION**

**Conference of the States Parties**

*First Session*

*Bamako, Mali*

*24-26 June 2013*

**DECISION 1/9 – Revolving Fund**

**The Conference:**

**Considering** the Financial Rules for the administration of the Bamako Convention on the Ban of the Import into Africa and the Control of Transboundary Movement and Management of Hazardous Wastes within Africa (Bamako Convention) adopted by the first session of the Conference of Parties;

**Noting** the establishment by the first session of the Conference of Parties of a Revolving Fund for Assistance in case of Emergency situations, in accordance with article 14, paragraph 3 of the Bamako Convention<sup>1</sup>;

**Recalling** the adoption by the Conference of the scale of assessments for the year 2014;

**Hereby:**

1. **Appropriates**, in United States Dollars, a total amount of two million five hundred thousand (USD 2,500,000) for the Revolving Fund for Assistance in case of Emergency situations;
2. **Decides** that the appropriation specified in subparagraph 1 above shall be financed from contributions by all States Parties in accordance with the scale of assessments approved by the Conference ; and
3. **Requests** States Parties to pay their contributions in full within thirty days of the receipt of the communication from the Executive Secretary requesting the payment of contributions.

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<sup>1</sup> **Art. 14.3:** The Parties shall also consider the establishment of a revolving fund to assist, on an interim basis, in case of emergency situations to minimize damage from disasters or accidents arising from transboundary movements of hazardous wastes or during the disposal of such wastes.