



NOTE BY THE TECHNICAL SECRETARIAT

**STATUS OF SUBMISSION OF ANNUAL DECLARATIONS
REGARDING PROJECTED ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED PRODUCTION
IN 2022 AT SCHEDULE 1 FACILITIES**

1. Paragraph 8 of Article VI of the Chemical Weapons Convention (hereinafter “the Convention”) states that “[e]ach State Party shall make annual declarations regarding the relevant chemicals and facilities in accordance with the Verification Annex”.
2. Part VI of the Verification Annex to the Convention (hereinafter “the Verification Annex”) covers the regime for Schedule 1 chemicals and the facilities related to them. Paragraphs 16 and 20 of Part VI set out the requirements for declaring projected activities and anticipated production at those facilities.
3. According to paragraph 16 of Part VI of the Verification Annex, “[e]ach State Party producing Schedule 1 chemicals at a single small-scale facility shall make a detailed annual declaration regarding the projected activities and the anticipated production at the facility for the coming year”. Paragraph 16 further requires that the “declaration shall be submitted not less than 90 days before the beginning of that year”.
4. The same declaration requirements also apply to each State Party producing Schedule 1 chemicals at other facilities referred to in paragraphs 10 and 11 of Part VI of the Verification Annex as specified in paragraph 20.
5. The deadline for the submission of annual declarations regarding projected activities and anticipated production at Schedule 1 facilities in 2022 was 2 October 2021. A total of 23 out of 24 States Parties with known declarable Schedule 1 activities met that deadline. In accordance with paragraph 4 of the Executive Council’s decision EC-51/DEC.1, dated 27 November 2007, one State Party—Serbia—informed the Secretariat that submission of its declaration would be delayed due to the impact of COVID-19. In addition, and for transparency purposes, one State Party submitted a “nil” declaration regarding declarable Schedule 1 activities, indicating that it has no anticipated activities in this regard, as there are no Schedule 1 facilities on its territory. All States Parties that submitted information on Schedule 1 anticipated activities on time are listed in the table on the next page.



**STATES PARTIES THAT MET THE DEADLINE FOR THE SUBMISSION OF
THEIR ANNUAL DECLARATIONS REGARDING PROJECTED ACTIVITIES
AND ANTICIPATED PRODUCTION AT SCHEDULE 1 FACILITIES IN 2022**

1.	Andorra*
2.	Australia
3.	Austria
4.	Belgium
5.	Canada
6.	China
7.	Czech Republic
8.	Finland
9.	France
10.	India
11.	Iran (Islamic Republic of)
12.	Japan
13.	Netherlands
14.	Norway
15.	Pakistan
16.	Republic of Korea
17.	Singapore
18.	Slovakia
19.	South Africa
20.	Spain
21.	Sweden
22.	Switzerland
23.	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
24.	United States of America

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An asterisk denotes the submission of a nil declaration.