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The Impacts of E-waste on Climate Change And Moving to a Circular Economy



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Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and Their Disposal.

To protect human health and the environment against the adverse effects resulting from the generation and management of hazardous wastes and others wastes.

- Reduction of transboundary movements of hazardous waste
- Minimization of generation –quantity and degree of hazard
- Promotion or environmentally sound management of hazardous wastes



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Sustainable Management of Waste Electronical and Electronic Equipment (WEE) in Latin American (ITU-Basel Convention-Basel Regional Centre South America-ECLAC-UNESCO-UNIDO-WHO-2015)
Future up date the report.

- To provide an overview of WEEE management in Latin America
- To identify challenges for sustainable management
- To outline a joint roadmap for future implementation



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UNIDO GEF Project “Strengthening of National Initiatives and Enhancement of Regional Cooperation for the Environmentally Sound Management of POPs in Waste and Electronic or Electronical Equipment (WEEE) assist 13 countries both technically and financially, advising on e waste policies and regulations, suitable management technologies, business models, capacity building and awareness raising (BRC South America –ITU –Costa Rica and Argentina).



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UNEP/CHW.14/CRP.26 Basel Convention Partnership
Programme: follow –up partnership to the partnership to Partnership
for Action on Computing Equipment.

**“Decides to establish a working group of the Partnership will
operate under the guidance of the Open ended Working Group.”**



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Thanks!!!

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