

**Government Decree N1594 on “Approval of the Action Plan of RA Obligations Emanating from a Number of International Environmental Conventions” (10 November 2011)**

Based on the RA Obligations emanating from a number of international Environmental Conventions as well as the Article 2 of the Government decree N541 (08.04.2004) the Government of the Republic of Armenia decides to:

1. Approve the Action Plan of RA Obligations Emanating from a Number of International Environmental Conventions according to the Annex.
2. Assign the Ministers (Ministry of Labor and Social Affairs, Ministry of Education and Sciences, Ministry of Healthcare, Ministry of Energy and Natural Resources, Ministry of Agriculture, Ministry of Transport and Communication, Ministry of Economy, Ministry of Urban Development, Ministry of Emergency Situations), the chairman of the State Committee of the Real Estate Cadastre, the head of the State Revenue Committee, the Head of the State Committee for Water Management of the Ministry of Territorial Administration, and to propose to the President of the National Academy of Sciences, the Rector of the Armenian State Agricultural University, the Head of Scientific Educational Center of ecological Right of the Law faculty of YSU, the Director of Justice Department, if needed and according to the required format to submit information to the RA Ministry of Nature Protection on the current status of the Obligations according to the Annex of this Decision. ....

**GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA**

**DECREE**

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**1594-N "ON APPROVAL OF THE ACTION PLAN OF RA OBLIGATIONS EMANATING FROM A NUMBER OF INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL CONVENTIONS"**

Annex to the Governmental decree 1594-N  
from 10 November 2011

**LIST**

**OF ACTIONS UNDER THE RA OBLIGATIONS EMANATING FROM A NUMBER OF INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL CONVENTIONS**

NN	Name of the action	Article of the Convention	Goal	State governmental bodies responsible for implementation	Deadline for implementation	Financial sources for implementation of the action
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
<b>I. UN Framework Convention to Climate Change</b>						
1.	Development of nationally appropriate mitigation actions (NAMA) and its submission to the RA Government for approval	4.1 b) 12	State and ensure the implementation of the relevant provisions of the Copenhagen Accords adopted by the 15 <sup>th</sup> Conference of Parties (Armenia associated to the Accords on January 27, 2010)	RA Ministry of Nature Protection  RA Ministry of Emergency Situations  The State Committee of Water Management of the RA Ministry of Territorial Administration	2012	Sources not prohibited by law
2.	Identification of needs for development, transfer and introduction	4.1 c) 4.1 g)	State and ensure the implementation of the relevant provisions of the	RA Ministry of nature Protection  The State Committee of	2012	Sources not prohibited by law

	n of technologies aimed at handling the climate change issues, development of relevant project proposal		Copenhagen Accords adopted by the 15 <sup>th</sup> Conference of Parties (Armenia associated to the Accords on January 27, 2010)	Water Management of the RA Ministry of Territorial Administration		
3.	Development of the third national inventory of greenhouse gases anthropogenic emissions	4.1 b) 12	Establishment of the detailed database for attracting foreign investments within the framework of international cooperation for greenhouse gases emissions reduction	RA Ministry of Nature Protection  RA Ministry of Agriculture  RA Ministry of Economy  RA Ministry of Energy and Natural Resources  RA Ministry of Transport and Communication	2012-2014	Sources not prohibited by law
4.	Drafting legal document and its approval according to the established procedures for improvement of the procedures of the review, approval and implementation monitoring	4.1b) 4.1 c)	Improvement of the implementation conditions, reduction of investment risks and clarification of environmental and social benefits of the Kyoto Protocol CDM Projects	RA Ministry of Nature Protection  RA Ministry of Social Affairs  RA Ministry of Economy  RA Ministry of Agriculture	2012	Sources not prohibited by law

	of the Kyoto Protocol Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) Projects					
5.	Assistance in reduction of forest vulnerability under climate change (prevention of degradation and fire risks) and in implementation of measures for protection of forest ecosystems through application biological methods of pest control	4.1d) 4.1e) 4.1f)	Introduction and scaling up the innovative ecosystem based approach in management of forests systems as a GHG sinks and removals	RA Ministry of Nature Protection  RA Ministry of Agriculture  RA Ministry of Emergency Situations	2012-2014 (continued)	Sources not prohibited by law
6.	Development of climate change Adaptation Concept with ecosystem approach and National Adaptation Program of Actions (NAPA) and its submission to the RA Government	4.1e) 4.1f)	Ensure the international support envisaged by the Copenhagen Accord for implementation of the adaptation measures in accordance with measures adopted by the Republic of	RA Ministry of Nature Protection  RA Ministry of Agriculture  RA Ministry of Health  RA Ministry of Emergency Situations  The State Committee of Water Management of the RA Ministry of territorial	2012-2013	Sources not prohibited by law

	t		Armenia for adapting to climate change based on ecosystem approach	administration		
7.	Development of the Third National Communication on Climate Change and submission to the UNFCCC secretariat according to the formal procedures	4.1a) 12.1a)	Submission of the Communication according to the commitments under the Convention to the Secretariat	RA Ministry of Nature Protection	2012	Sources not prohibited by law
8.	Identification of cross-cutting issues between Climate Change Convention and global/regional environmental international conventions and other legal treaties and development of the joint implementation concepts and plan of actions		Avoid the duplications and controversies, as well as harmonization of actions and increase the financial effectiveness during the implementation of global and regional environmental international conventions and other legal treaties	RA Ministry of Nature Protection	2012	Sources not prohibited by law