

Corrections and Clarifications

14 May 2025

The Parties have agreed upon the following corrections and clarifications to the Special Agreement. They have further agreed that no other potential corrections or clarifications are necessary. The numbers in brackets correspond to the paragraph number of the Annex to the Special Agreement.

Corrections

- [Para. 9] “[I]mport permits for e-waste” in the last sentence is corrected to “import permits for used electronics.”
- [Para. 31] “On 14 May 2024,” in the first sentence is corrected to “On 14 June 2024,”.

Clarifications

- [General] Aurélia, Ravalancia, and Kvaros are not parties to any other international agreement relevant to the present dispute, including BAN Amendment, Protocol on Liability and Compensation of 1999, and Convention on the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development of 1960.
- [General] Aurélia or Ravalancia has not referred any dispute or matter relevant to the present dispute to the Implementation and Compliance Committee established under Article 15, paragraph 5 (e) of the Basel Convention.
- [General] Kvaros ensured that prior informed consent was obtained from Aurélia for the export of electronic residues by its entities.
- [Para. 3] “[T]he country” in the last sentence refers to Ravalancia.
- [Para. 13] Sortlax Materials, chosen as the developer for Diagloss Waste Solutions Ltd., is a subsidiary of Sortlax Technologies.
- [Para. 23] At the high-level consultations, Aurélia agreed with Kvaros that it would not require the latter to take back the residues due to geographical constraints in Kvaros, which render the re-importation materially infeasible.
- [Para. 33] Aurélia and Ravalancia have jointly registered the Special Agreement with the United Nations Secretariat in accordance with Article 102 of the United Nations Charter.
- [Para. 34] Kvaros is a party to the Basel Convention. It has also accepted the E-waste Amendments of 2022.
- [Para. 34] The reference to “Annexes II, VIII, and IX” is without prejudice to the potential applicability of other Annexes to the Basel Convention.