

GENERAL TRUST FUND FOR ADDITIONAL VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS TO FACILITATE THE PARTICIPATION OF PARTIES IN THE PROCESS OF THE CONVENTION ON BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY (BZ)

Status of Contributions as at 13th October 2024 (in United States dollars)

COUNTRIES	Unpaid Pledges as at 31.12.2023		Pledges in 2024	Collections in 2024 for Prior Years	Collections in 2024 for 2024 & Future Years	Unpaid Pledges for 2024 & Prior Years
	USD		USD	USD	USD	USD
Belgium	54,515	1/	-	54,515	-	-
European Union	-	2/	100,000	-	100,000	-
Finland	-	3/	27,191	-	27,191	-
France	-	4/	16,026	-	16,026	-
Germany	-	5/	217,860	-	217,860	-
Korea	-	6/	11,834	-	11,834	-
Luxembourg	-	7/	55,928	-	-	55,928
New Zealand	-	8/	9,141	-	9,141	-
Netherlands	-	9/	108,733	-	54,028	54,705
Sweden	-	10/	383,551	-	383,551	-
Switzerland	-	11/	44,939	-	44,939	-
United Kingdom	-	12/	130,590	-	130,590	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>54,515</b>		<b>1,105,793</b>	<b>54,515</b>	<b>995,160</b>	<b>110,633</b>

1/Belgium pledge EUR 50,000 for participation of the developing parties in the Convention process - SBSTTA-26 and SBI-4 meetings in 2024.

2/European Union pledge USD 100,000 for participation of developing country delegates in processes of CBD - Participation II

3/Finland pledge EUR 25,000 for participation of developing countries in COP 16, BS MOP-11, NP MOP-5.

4/France pledge EUR 15,000 for participation of developing parties in COP 16 and related MOP meetings.

5/Germany pledge EUR 200,000 for participation of two representatives from each of the eligible Parties at SBI-5 and COP16.

6/Korea pledge KRW 16,000,000 for participation of developing country Parties in the SBI 5 and COP16.

7/Luxembourg pledge EUR 50,000 for participation of developing parties in the Convention process.

8/New Zealand pledge NZD 15,000 for participation of developing parties in 2nd OEWG-DSI, SBI-5, COP 16 and related meetings.

9/Netherlands pledge EUR 100,000 for participation of developing countries to negotiations at CBD COP16.

10/Sweden pledge SEK 4,000,000 for participation of developing country parties in the work of the CBD during 2024.

11/Switzerland pledge CHF 40,000 for participation of developing country parties in the process of the CBD.

12/United Kingdom (DEFRA) pledge additional GBP 100,000 for participation of developing country parties in the process of the Convention on Biological Diversity.

**Note: Canada and Japan contributed to BZ for the participation of developing countries in CBD meetings for 2023-2024 bienium and the contributions are in BE Trust Fund.**

**Canada contributed CAD 70,736 and Japan contributed USD 255,000**