

DECREE NO. 2006/1577/PM OF 11 SEPTEMBER 2006 TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT SOME PROVISIONS OF DECREE NO. 2001/718/PM OF 3 SEPTEMBER 2001 ON THE ORGANIZATION AND FUNCTIONING OF THE INTER-MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT

THE PRIME MINISTER, HEAD OF GOVERNMENT,

- Mindful of the Constitution;
- Mindful of Law No.96/12 of 5 August 1996 relating to Environmental Management;
- Mindful of Law No.92/089 of 4 May 1992 to specify the duties of the Prime Minister, amended and supplemented by Decree No.95/145 bis of 4 August 1995;
- Mindful of Decree No. 2004/320 of 8 December 2004 to organize the Government;
- Mindful of Decree No. 2004/321 of 8 December 2004 to appoint a Prime Minister;
- Mindful of Decree No. 2005/117 of 14 April 2005 to organize the Ministry of Environment and Protection of Nature, amended and supplemented by Decree No. 2005/496 of 31 December 2005;
- Mindful of Decree No. 2001/718/M of 3 September 2001 on the organization and functioning of the Inter-ministerial Committee on Environment;

HEREBY DECREES AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1:

The provisions of Articles 3 and 12 of Decree No. 2001/7181/PM of 3 September 2001 on the organization and functioning of the Inter-ministerial Committee on the Environment, are hereby amended and supplemented as follows:

Article 3: (new):

(1) The said Committee shall operate in collaboration with the Minister in charge of environment.

(2) The Committee shall be composed as follows:

President: a personality appointed by the Minister in charge of environment

Members:

- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of environment
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of territorial administration
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of agriculture
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of mines and industry

- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of small and medium-size enterprises
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of livestock, fisheries and animal industries
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of regional planning
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of water resources and energy
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of scientific research
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of tourism
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of public works
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of transport
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of urban development and housing
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of surveys and land tenure
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of public health
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of defence
- 1 (one) representative of the Ministry in charge of forestry.

(2) The President may invite any person, based on his competence on the items on the agenda, to participate in the deliberations of the Committee, without the right to vote.

(3) The Committee may set up sub-committees on subjects and in specific areas as appropriate within its field of competence.

(4) The secretariat of the Committee shall be provided by the department responsible for developing environmental policies in the Ministry of environment.

Article 12 (new)

The Committee's operating expenses shall be attributed to the Ministry in charge of environment and protection of nature and to the resources of the National Fund for Environment and Sustainable Development.

Article 2:

This Decree shall be registered, published according to the procedure of urgency, and inserted in the Official Gazette in English and in French. /-

Yaounde, 7 September 2006

Ephraim Inoni
Prime Minister, Head of Government