

ANNEX I

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL CLASSES OF LANDFILLS

1. Location
 - 1.1. The location of a landfill must take into consideration requirements relating to:
 - (a) the distances from the boundary of the site to residential and recreation areas, waterways, water bodies and other agricultural or urban sites;
 - (b) the existence of groundwater, coastal water or nature protection zones in the area;
 - (c) the geological and hydrogeological conditions in the area;
 - (d) the risk of flooding, subsidence, landslides or avalanches on the site;
 - (e) the protection of the nature or cultural patrimony in the area.
 - 1.2. The landfill can be authorised only if the characteristics of the site with respect to the abovementioned requirements, or the corrective measures to be taken, indicate that the landfill does not pose a serious environmental risk.