UPDATES ON PROGRESS FROM COP9 OF THE NAIROBI CONVENTION

## **DECISION 2**

## on ratification, accession, and implementation of the Amended Nairobi Convention

and

the Protocol for the Protection of the Marine and Coastal Environment of the Western Indian Ocean from Land-based Sources and Activities **(LBSA protocol)**.

in which Contracting Parties (who have not yet done so) were encouraged to ratify and adopt the Amended Nairobi Convention and LBSA protocol and with the support of the Secretariat, take action to combat LBSA.

## TRAININGS

were held:

- one to demonstrate the utilization of LBSA monitoring tools in the region, which imparted skills to apply in combating land-based sources of pollution and sensitize countries on the merits of ratifying the Protocol.
- Another was held on the application of constructed wetlands as lowcost wastewater management technology, in collaboration with WIOMSA and KMFRI.

## TRANSLATIONS

of the LBSA Protocol and Amended Nairobi Convention (corrected) into French have been completed.





For more information on how Decision 2 of the 9th Conference of Parties was implemented, <u>click here.</u>