

International Environmental Agreements:

Kyoto Protocol (to the UNFCCC)



- The **United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change** considers what can be done to reduce global warming and to cope with whatever temperature increases are inevitable.
- Recently, a number of nations have approved an addition to the treaty: the **Kyoto Protocol**, which has more powerful (and legally binding) measures.

Principles or Purposes

Scope (Breadth of Issues Covered)

Universality or Membership

Costs to Canada

Benefits for Canada

Benefits for Others

Resources

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