

PROTOCOLS COVERING WASCAL NEW MEMBERSHIP

1. In accordance with Article 14 of the WASCAL Constitution and Article 7 of the Cooperation Agreement establishing WASCAL, prospective member countries are required upon invitation to join WASCAL to complete the following protocols:
 - i. *Formally accept the invitation to join the membership of WASCAL*
 - ii. *Sign the Additional Act to the Cooperation Agreement which established WASCAL*
 - iii. *Get the signed document ratified by the appropriate National Authority either:*
Parliament / Cabinet / Executive Council
2. Send a copy of the ratified instrument to WASCAL Headquarters then communicate and deposit a copy of the signed document with ECOWAS in accordance with Article 13 of the WASCAL Constitution.
3. Designate a representative to serve on behalf of your country on the WASCAL Governing Board for a period of three years renewable once. The name of the representative should be sent to the WASCAL Headquarters, Accra: West African Science Service Centre on Climate Change and Adapted Land Use WASCAL, CSIR Office Complex, Agostino Neto Road, Airport Residential Area, PMB CT 504, Cantonments-Accra, Ghana.
4. The country Sector Minister in charge of WASCAL then becomes a member of the Council of Ministers and shall attend the Council of Ministers Meeting per Article 4 of the WASCAL Constitution.
5. WASCAL Member countries are required to pay a contribution of USD 46,000 Per year
6. After becoming a member, the new entrant country will be legible to host a GSP and benefit from all other WASCAL activities.

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