**ARTICLE 23 –** (1) **(Amended: OG-23/3/2017-30016)** Hazardous wastes;

a) There are no facilities with the necessary technical capacity for the recovery/disposal of wastes in our country,

b) Acceptance of the said wastes by the competent authority of the importer and transit state,

c) Completion of export-related works and transactions,

can only be exported to EU and/or OECD member states and Liechtenstein. In the export of hazardous wastes, the pre-notification form in Annex-5/A and the international waste transport (movement document) form in Annex-5/B are used.

(2) Non-hazardous wastes;

a) No documents are issued by the Ministry for exports to EU and/or OECD member countries and Liechtenstein, the Ministry is informed and recorded before the export process begins.

b) For exports to EU and/or OECD member countries and countries other than Liechtenstein, an application is made to the Ministry by obtaining permission from the competent authority of the relevant country. Export transactions cannot be made without the approval of the Ministry.

(3) The principles regarding the export and transit of wastes are determined by the Ministry.