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**Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Cambodia
to the United Nations Office and other
International Organizations at Geneva**

No: 2022/08/458

The Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Cambodia to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations at Geneva presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the Minamata Convention in Geneva, and has the honor to inform the latter of new focal points of the Kingdom of Cambodia in charge of the Minamata Convention as follows:

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The Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Cambodia to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations at Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat of the Minamata Convention in Geneva in Geneva the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, 29 August 2022

Secretariat of the Minamata Convention
**Geneva**

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MINAMATA CONVENTION ON MERCURY

# FORM AND MODEL LETTER FOR THE DESIGNATION OF THE NATIONAL FOCAL POINT FOR THE EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION UNDER THE MINAMATA CONVENTION ON MERCURY (ARTICLE 17, PARAGRAPH 4)

The Minamata Convention on Mercury requires, under its article 17, paragraph 4, that each Party designates a National Focal Point for the exchange of information under the Convention, including with regard to the consent of importing Parties under Article 3.

Non-Parties may also designate such National Focal Points, in particular to facilitate the implementation of the Convention's obligations on trade with non-Parties pursuant to Article 3.

States or regional economic integration organizations are invited to use the form below to designate their National Focal Point (*see Annex I*). This form should be completed and returned under cover of the official nomination letter from an entity duly authorized to communicate such information to the Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury, i.e. the Government official contact point to the UN Environment Programme, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or the Permanent Mission to the UN in Geneva or to the UN Environment Programme (*see model letter of nomination in Annex II*) to the attention of:

The Executive Secretary
Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury
United Nations Environment Programme
Postal address: Avenue de la Paix 8-14, 1211 Geneva 10, Switzerland
E-mail: mea-minamatasecretariat@un.org

The information submitted to the Secretariat regarding the designated National Focal Point will be made available on the website of the Convention at www.mercuryconvention.org.

Kindly note that self-nominations will not be considered.

For further information on the designation process, please do not hesitate to contact the Secretariat, by e-mail at mea-minamatasecretariat@un.org.

## ANNEX I - FORM FOR THE DESIGNATION OF THE NATIONAL FOCAL POINT UNDER THE MINAMATA CONVENTION ON MERCURY

| STATE/ORGANIZATION: | Cambodia |
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**Please tick as appropriate:**

☒ **First-time** nomination
☐ **Replacement** of current National Focal Point (s) *(indicate name(s))*: .....
☐ **Additional** nomination to current National Focal Point (s) *(indicate name(s))*: .....

| NATIONAL FOCAL POINT: | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| MR. ☒ | MS. ☐ | FIRST NAME: | Laska | LAST NAME: | Sophal |
| FUNCTIONAL TITLE: | | | Director | | |
| SECTION/DEPARTMENT: | | | Department of Hazardous Substances Management | | |
| ORGANIZATION/INSTITUTION: | | | Ministry of Environment | | |
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| POST CODE: | 120101 | CITY: | Phnom Penh | COUNTRY: | Cambodia |
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| +855 12 900 470 | | ..... | | sophallaska.moe@gmail.com | |
| NOTE: | ..... | | | | |

| THIS NOTIFICATION HAS BEEN SUBMITTED BY: | | | | | |
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| MR. ☐ | MS. ☐ | FIRST NAME: | .....Dara..... | LAST NAME: | .....IN..... |
| FUNCTIONAL TITLE: | | | Permanent Representative and Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary | | |
| SECTION/DEPARTMENT: | | | ..... | | |
| ORGANIZATION/INSTITUTION: | | | Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Cambodia to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva | | |
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| DATE AND SIGNATURE: | | | | | |