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.

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

STATE/ORGANIZATION:	Ministry of environment

Please tick as appropriate:

☒ **First-time** nomination
☒ **Replacement** of current National Focal Point (s) *(indicate name(s): Sidi Aloueimine has been replaced by Khadijetou Seneh*
☐ **Additional** nomination to current National Focal Point (s) *(indicate name(s)):* .....

NATIONAL FOCAL POINT:					
MR. ☐	**MS.** ☒	**FIRST NAME:**	Khadijetou	**LAST NAME:**	SENEH
FUNCTIONAL TITLE:			Director of Environmental Assessment and Monitoring		
SECTION/DEPARTMENT:			Ministry of Environment		
ORGANIZATION/INSTITUTION:					
ADDRESS:			Mauritania, Nouakchott, Government Building No.02 located at ilo V Lot 01		
POST CODE:	170	**CITY:**	Nouakchott	**COUNTRY:**	Mauritania
TELEPHONE *(include country and city code)*:		**Fax** *(include country and city code)*:		**E-MAIL ADDRESS:**	
+ (222) 46 43 40 73				khadijetou100@yahoo.fr skhadijetou@environnement.gov.mr	
NOTE:	.....				

THIS NOTIFICATION HAS BEEN SUBMITTED BY:					
MR. ☐	**MS.** ☒	**FIRST NAME:**	Lalya	**LAST NAME:**	Aly Kamara
FUNCTIONAL TITLE:			Minister		
SECTION/DEPARTMENT:			Ministry of Environment		
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DATE AND SIGNATURE:			La Ministre 4/04/2024.		

States/organizations who require to nominate more than one focal point are invited to submit one form for each designated individual and to specify the responsibilities of each focal point in the note section.

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Ministère de l'Environnemennt

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La Ministre

Nouakchott, le 02 AVR 2024 نواكشوط في :

N° IK 0064 رقم

The Executive Secretary
Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury
United Nations Environment Programme
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01.04.2024

Subject : Designation of the National Focal Point to the Minamata Convention on Mercury for Mauritania

Dear Sir/Madam,

Mauritania hereby notifies the Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury that it has designated, in accordance with Article 17, paragraph 4 of the Minamata Convention on Mercury, Khadijetou Seneh, Director of Environmental Assessment and Monitoring, Ministry of Environment to act as National Focal Point for the exchange of information under the Convention.

You will find attached to the present letter the completed designation form pursuant to her nomination.

Yours faithfully,

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La Ministre

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