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General Directorate of Environmental Protection

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Dear Executive Secretary,

Notification that artisanal and small-scale gold mining and processing is more than insignificant within Cambodia

Cambodia hereby notifies the Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury that artisanal and small-scale gold mining and processing in which mercury amalgamation is used to extract gold from ore is more than insignificant within its territory.

Yours faithfully,

Pak Sokharavuth

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