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Permanent Mission of the Republic of Latvia to the United  
Nations Office in Geneva*

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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Latvia to the United Nations Office in Geneva presents its compliments the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) and forwards the letter of the Ministry of Climate and Energy of the Republic of Latvia regarding the designation of the National Focal Point to the Minamata Convention on Mercury for Latvia.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Latvia avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the United Nations Environment Programme the assurances of its highest consideration.

Enclosed: letter on 2 pages.

Geneva, 5 August 2025

**Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury**

**United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)**





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*Designation of the National Focal Point to the Minamata Convention on Mercury for Latvia*

*Dear Sir/Madam,*

The Ministry of Climate and Energy of the Republic of Latvia 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, Ms. Edīte Timšane, senior expert of Pollution Prevention Division, Department of Environmental Management, the Ministry of Climate and Energy of the Republic of Latvia, 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,

State Secretary

Līga Kurevska


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

<b>STATE/ORGANIZATION:</b>		Latvia			
<b>Please tick as appropriate:</b>					
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>First-time</b> nomination					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Replacement</b> of current National Focal Point (s) ( <i>indicate name(s)</i> ): Mr. Andrejs Šišulins					
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Additional</b> nomination to current National Focal Point (s) ( <i>indicate name(s)</i> ): .....					
<b>NATIONAL FOCAL POINT:</b>					
<b>MR.</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Ms.</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>FIRST NAME:</b>	Edīte	<b>LAST NAME:</b>	Timšane
<b>FUNCTIONAL TITLE:</b>		Senior expert			
<b>SECTION/DEPARTMENT:</b>		Pollution Prevention Division, Department of Environmental Management			
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