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Designation National Focal Points to the Minamata Convention for Switzerland

Dear Executive Secretary,

I hereby notify 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, the following persons to act as National Focal Points for the exchange of information under the Convention as a replacement of the current National Focal Point:

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Kind regards,

Federal Office for the Environment
The Head of the International Affairs Division

Felix Wertli
Ambassador




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

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Please tick as appropriate:					
<input type="checkbox"/> First-time nomination					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Replacement of current National Focal Point (s) (<i>indicate name(s)</i>): Mr. Josef Tremp					
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional nomination to current National Focal Point (s) (<i>indicate name(s)</i>):					
NATIONAL FOCAL POINT:					
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