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Organizational matters: organization of work

Admission of observers: organizations having requested admission to participate as observers in the third meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Minamata Convention on Mercury

Note by the secretariat

The annexes to the present note set out lists of intergovernmental organizations other than the United Nations, its specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency (annex I) and non‑governmental organizations (annex II) that have requested admission to participate as observers in the third meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Minamata Convention on Mercury, in accordance with rule 7 of the rules of procedure of the Conference of the Parties. Lists of such entities that requested admission and were subsequently approved to participate as observers in the first and second meetings of the Conference of the Parties are set out in documents UNEP/MC/COP.1/INF/16 and [UNEP/MC/COP.2/INF/19](http://www.mercuryconvention.org/Portals/11/documents/meetings/COP2/english/2_INF19_observers.pdf), respectively. The annexes to the present note have not been formally edited.

Annex I

Intergovernmental organizations other than the United Nations, its specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency

French Facility for Global Environment (FFEM)

Group on Earth Observations (GEO)

Ramsar Convention on Wetlands

Regional Organization for the Conservation of the Environment of the Red Sea and Gulf of Aden (PERSGA)

Annex II

Non-governmental organizations

Artisanal and Small-Scale Mining National Federation of Mongolia

Mongolia

Asociación Interetnica de Desarrollo de la Selva Peruna (AIDESP)

Peru

Association of Lighting and Mercury Recyclers (ALMR)

United States of America

Association of Uganda Professional Women in Agriculture and Environment (AUPWAE)

Uganda

Australian National University

Australia

Brazilian Association of Dentists (ABCD)

Brazil

Concorde East/West Sprl

Belgium

Duke Univeristy

United States of America

Native Federation of Madre de Dios and its Tributaries (FENAMAD)

Peru

Foundation for ASM Development (FADev)

United Republic of Tanzania

Global Cement and Concrete Association (GCCA)

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Nothern Ireland

IEA Clean Coal Centre

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Nothern Ireland

IMPACT

Canada

International Pollutants Elimination Network (IPEN)

Sweden

Institute of Total Environment (INTEV)

Cameroon

International Association for Dental Research (IADR)

United States of America

IUCN National Committee of the Netherlands (IUCN NL)

Netherlands

Japan Waste Management Association (JWMA)

Japan

Kyonggi University

Republic of Korea

La Grande Puissance de Dieu

Benin

Lehigh University

United States of America

Les Amis de la Terre-Togo

Togo

LightingEurope AISBL

Belgium

Macquarie University

Australia

Mercury Policy Project/Tides Center

United States of America

Say No to Mercury

Australia

Shenzhen Zero Waste

China

Somali Youth Development Foundation (SYDF)

Somallia

Sustainable Alluvial Mining (SAMS)

Papua New Guinea

The Impact Facility

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Nothern Ireland

University of California

United States of America

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