

1) Short presentation of company activities related with mercury problems

GEOMIN družstvo company is a private Czech company working in geological branche. During the years our specialists implemented many projects related with mercury problem requested by Ministry of Environment of the Czech Republic as well as in the frame of International Development Co-operation Programme of the Czech Republic. Solved mercury problems concerned mercury pollution resulting from artisanal and small scale mining, mercury waste management and sanitation of polluted objects and assessment of possibilities of merury input into food chain. Bellow are presented our pilot projects related with the mercury:

- PÁŠA J., ŽÁČEK M. (2003): Assessment of pollution in the area of Nového Jičín city and Natural Preserve Poodří. Subreport of project "Geochemistry of flood sediments".-MS Geofond ČR. Praha, 67 pages.
- ŠOUREK et al. (2007): Assessment of environmental dangers caused by mercury contamination during mining of mineral deposits in the river Selenge catchment area. MS ČGS-Geofond Praha, 128 pages.
- ŽÁČEK M., PÁŠA J. (2007): Sources of high Hg contents in Novojičínsko area and assessment of mercury input into the food chain.-MS ČGS-Geofond Praha, 83 pages.
- ŠOUREK et al (2009): Technical and technological support in removal of ecological loads resulting from illegal mining in central part of Mongolia.- MS ČGS-Geofond Praha, 105 pages.

2) How we can contribute to meeting the goal of the UNEP

Based on gathered experience our company can offer knowledge of its specialists in the area of consultancy, field work (ecological audits, monitoring, pollution identification and removal) and analytical work (we dispose of mercurometer RA-915+ making possible to measure also mercury content in soil air).

Best regards

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UNEP GLOBAL MERCURY PARTNERSHIP REGISTRATION FORM *	
A DESCRIPTION OF THE OWNER OF THE	
Partnership Area	Please check partnership areas that your organization intends to contribute to:
	 x artisanal and small scale gold mining mercury cell chlor alkali production x mercury air transport and fate research mercury in products mercury releases from coal combustion x mercury waste management
	Please indicate in your support letter how your organization intends to contribute to each of the indicated partnership areas.
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Type of Organization	 Government Regional economic integration organization Non-government Organization Industry Scientific community X Other, please specify: private geological company

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