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Dear Per M. Bakken,

World Coal Association (WCA) would like to join the UNEP Global Mercury Partnership - the partnership area on mercury releases from coal combustion.

The World Coal Association is a global industry association comprising the major international coal producers and stakeholders. Today the largest coal producers in the USA, Australia, China, India and Indonesia are part of the WCA and so are 20 national coal industry associations from across the globe.

WCA fully supports the partnership goal of protecting human health and global environment from the release of mercury and of reducing mercury emissions from coal combustion.

Given the expertise and experience of the WCA Member Companies in the area of focus of the partnership, I believe WCA would be a valuable partner for this UNEP initiative.

WCA would like to assist the partnership in developing strategies on mercury emissions reduction from coal combustion through leveraging its network of contacts among the key stakeholders in the international coal industry.

I look forward to hearing your decision with regards to our application.

CHAIRMAN Fredrick D. Palmer  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE Milton Catelin

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# UNEP GLOBAL MERCURY PARTNERSHIP REGISTRATION FORM\*

## PARTNERSHIP AREA

Please check partnership areas that your organization intends to contribute to:

- artisanal and small scale gold mining
- mercury cell chlor alkali production
- mercury air transport and fate research
- mercury in products
- mercury releases from coal combustion
- mercury waste management
- mercury supply and storage

Please indicate in your support letter how your organization intends to contribute to each of the indicated partnership areas.

## ORGANIZATION NAME

World Coal Association

## NAME, FUNCTIONAL TITLE OF REPRESENTATIVE

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## TYPE OF ORGANIZATION

- Government
- Regional economic integration organization
- Non-government Organization
- Industry
- Scientific community
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

\*UNEP Global Mercury Partnership Registration Forms are to be accompanied by a letter to UNEP signifying support for the UNEP Global Mercury Partnership and commitment to achieving the partnership goal.

The support letter should specify how the organization intends to contribute to meeting the goal of the UNEP Global Mercury Partnership.

Please submit the support letter and registration form to:

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