

Scope of Session 1

Session 1: Directions of activities under the Waste Management Partnership Area towards supporting countries as they ratify and implement the Minamata Convention on Mercury

UNEP Partnership is expected to contribute to ratification and implementation of the Minamata Convention on Mercury.



What are the effective ways to support countries for this purpose?

Presentations on current activities and challenges

- Current Activities and Challenges for the Reduction of Mercury Releases from Waste
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 - ▣ by Mr. John Adfemi Adegbite, Nigeria
 - ▣ By Mr. Richard Gutierrez, BAN Toxics

Discussion on Future Activities

Points for Discussion

- ◆ What are specific needs of countries to ratify and implement Article 11 (Mercury Waste) of the Minamata Convention? How could this area meet such needs? What activities could be implemented under this area to assist countries?
- ◆ How do we adjust existing priority activities and indicators for evaluation of future activities in the Business Plan in terms of supporting Partners to ratify and implement the Convention?
- ◆ How should we utilize the 'Resource Person List' for meeting the countries' needs?