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UNEP GLOBAL MERCURY PARTNERSHIP

Dear ladies and gentlemen,

Batrec Industrie AG wishes to become an active supporter of the UNEP Global Mercury Partnership and we commit to achieve the partnership goals.

Batrec Industrie AG originally established in 1989, is the only mercury recycler in Switzerland and is engaged in the recycling and disposal of mercury containing wastes since more than 25 years. The company processes various types of mercury waste with a focus on waste from the chlor-alkali and the oil & gas industry. Since 2016 Batrec Industrie AG also operates a stabilization plant for mercury with a capacity of 1.200 t/year, in which mercury is transformed into HgS and subsequently disposed.

We think that the availability of safe recycling technologies for mercury containing waste and especially of a stabilization technology for mercury is an important part for a successful implementation of the Minamata Convention and in order to minimize mercury releases to the environment.

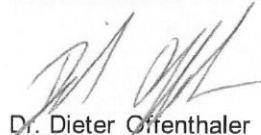
We would be pleased to participate in the UNEP Global Mercury Partnership meetings to provide our recycling and stabilization technology as well as our experience.

In submitting this letter to you with the attached registration form we put Batrec Industrie AG, forward to be considered as a member of the UNEP Global Mercury Partnership.

We look forward to your response.

Sincerely yours

Batrec Industrie AG



Dr. Dieter Offenthaler

Managing Director



UNEP GLOBAL MERCURY PARTNERSHIP INFORMATION ON BECOMING A PARTNER

PARTNERSHIP AREA

Please check the partnership areas to which 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 mercury supply and storage
- mercury releases from the cement industry

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

ORGANIZATION NAME

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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: