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Letter of Interest

RE: Becoming a Partner in UNEP Global Mercury Partnership

Dear Chemical Branch in UNEP,

I am very glad to submit a letter of interest in the UNEP Global Mercury Partnership to protect human health and the global environment from the release of mercury and its compounds by minimizing and eliminating anthropogenic releases to air, water and soil.

My expertise is heavy metals in waste management and policy, hazardous waste management, and risk assessment. In recent years, I have done a number of research projects related to mercury in waste materials and its flow in products, supported by the Korean Ministry of Environment. In June, 2015 ICGMP in Jeju, Korea, I have presented the recent efforts and current issues on mercury waste management in Korea during the mercury waste workshop. I strongly agree to work together in a systematic and collaborative method to take significant actions to achieve your UNEP global Mercury Partnership. I hope I actively involve the programs and meetings organized by the UNEP Global Mercury Partnership in the future by a global network.

Please let me know if any additional information is required.

Thank you,

Sincerely,

Yong-Chul, Jang, PhD.

Professor



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.

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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: