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Subject: Application for membership in the UNEP Global Mercury Partnership

Dear Ms Unger,

Albemarle Corporation, headquartered in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, is a leading global developer, manufacturer and marketer of highly-engineered specialty chemicals for a wide range of applications. The Company operates in three business segments, Polymer Additives, Catalysts and Fine Chemicals.

Albemarle Environmental Division, one of our businesses, Albemarle Environmental Division is a full-service, solution provider to the coal-fired utility, cement, taconite, and industrial boiler markets.

Activated Carbon Injection is a proven technology to remove mercury out of the flue gases from the above-mentioned facilities. In a series of innovative full-scale trials funded by the U.S. Department of Energy, power plants using Albemarle's Mercury Control sorbents experienced highly effective mercury removal from their emission streams. Brominated activated carbon injection has been successful in removal rates of 90+ percent and is effective in reducing both elemental and oxidized mercury, including plants burning bituminous and mixtures of coals. This technology is now being applied commercially in the U.S. Thus, Albemarle brings added value to the protection of the environment and helps to reduce mercury emissions significantly from one of the major emitting sources worldwide.

Albemarle is therefore very much interested in becoming a partner of the UNEP Global Mercury Partnership (area Mercury Control from Coal Combustion). We believe that we can bring added value to the Partnership thanks to our experience and technical know-how. Therefore, we would like to apply for membership.

Should you need additional information, please feel free to contact me

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Florian Kohl".

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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

ALBEMARLE CORPORATION

NAME, FUNCTIONAL TITLE
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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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