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DE L'ENVIRONNEMENT, CHARGÉ DU PLAN CLIMAT, DES
OBJECTIFS DE DÉVELOPPEMENT DURABLE ET DU PLAN
D'AFFECTATION DES TERRES

SECRETARIAT GÉNÉRAL

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DES ÉCOSYSTÈMES AQUATIQUES



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Convention on Mercury
International Environment House
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Dear Madam,

**Notification that artisanal and small-scale gold mining and processing
is more than insignificant within Gabon**

Gabon hereby notifies the Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury, that artisanal and small-scale gold mining (ASGM) and processing in which mercury amalgamation is used to extract gold from ore is more than insignificant within its territory.

Sincerely,

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General Director of Aquatic Ecosystems