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The Executive Secretary,
Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury,
United Nations Environment Programme,
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**RE: Designation of the National Focal Point to the Minamata Convention
on Mercury for KIRIBATI**

Dear Executive Secretary,

The Ministry of Environment, Lands and Agriculture Development hereby notifies the Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury that it has designated, in accordance with Article 17, paragraph 4 of the Minamata Convention on Mercury, the ***Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Lands and Agriculture Development*** to act as National Focal Point for the exchange of information under the Convention.

You will find attached to the present letter the completed designation form pursuant to the nomination.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Timon Uatioa', written over a horizontal line.

Mr. Timon Uatioa
Senior Assistant Secretary,
Ministry of Environment, Lands and Agriculture Development



MINAMATA CONVENTION ON MERCURY

STATE/ORGANIZATION:					
Please tick as appropriate:					
<input type="checkbox"/> First-time nomination					
<input type="checkbox"/> Replacement of current National Focal Point (s) (indicate name(s)):					
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional nomination to current National Focal Point (s) (indicate name(s)):					
NATIONAL FOCAL POINT:					
MR. <input type="checkbox"/>	MS. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FIRST NAME:	TAARE	LAST NAME:	AUKITIND
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NOTE:					

THIS NOTIFICATION HAS BEEN SUBMITTED BY:					
MR. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MS. <input type="checkbox"/>	FIRST NAME:	TIMOL	LAST NAME:	UATIOA
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DATE AND SIGNATURE:		10/01/19			

States/organizations who require to nominate more than one focal point are invited to submit one form for each designated individual and to specify the responsibilities of each focal point in the note section.