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Subject: Notification that artisanal and small-scale gold
mining and processing is more than insignificant
within Peru

Dear Sir or Madam,

The Republic of Peru hereby notifies the interim secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury that artisanal and small-scale gold mining and processing in which mercury amalgamation is used to extract gold from ore is more than insignificant within our territory which concern us.

Yours faithfully,

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