Subject: Designation of the National Focal Point to the Minamata Convention on Mercury for the Ministry of Tourism and Environment:

To: The Executive Secretary
Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury
United Nations Environment Programme
Avenue de la Paix 8-14, 1211 Geneva 10, Switzerland

Dear Sir/Madam,

Ministry of Tourism and Environment 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, Mr. Genti Haderaj, Director of Policies and Strategies for Environmental Development, at the Ministry of Tourism and Environment 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 his nomination.

I take this opportunity to renew the assurances of my highest considerations to the Minamata Secretariat and yourself.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

SECRETARY GENERAL

Ledina BEQIRAJ AGALLIU
ANNEX I - FORM FOR THE DESIGNATION OF THE NATIONAL FOCAL POINT UNDER THE MINAMATA CONVENTION ON MERCURY

STATE/ORGANIZATION: Ministri of Tourism and Environment

Please tick as appropriate:
□ First-time nomination
X Replacement of current National Focal Point(s) (indicate name(s)): Redi Baduni
□ Additional nomination to current National Focal Point(s) (indicate name(s)): ...........................................

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