Subject: Designation of the National Focal Point to the Minamata Convention on Mercury for Tuvalu

Dear Sir/Madam,

Tuvalu 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, Soseala Saosaoa Tinilau 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.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

Mr. Fakavae Taomia
Chief Executive Officer (CEO)
Ministry of Public Works, Infrastructure, Environment, Labour, Meteorology & Disaster
Government of Tuvalu
Funafuti, Tuvalu.
**ANNEX I - FORM FOR THE DESIGNATION OF THE NATIONAL FOCAL POINT UNDER THE MINAMATA CONVENTION ON MERCURY**

**STATE/ORGANIZATION:** Tuvalu/Ministry of Public Works, Infrastructure and Environment

Please tick as appropriate:

- [x] First-time nomination
- [ ] Replacement of current National Focal Point(s) *(indicate name(s)):
- [ ] Additional nomination to current National Focal Point(s) *(indicate name(s)):

**NATIONAL FOCAL POINT:**

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**FUNCTIONAL TITLE:** Director

**SECTION/DEPARTMENT:** Department of Environment

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**NOTE:** Mr. Soseala Saosaoa Tinilau is responsible for all operations nationally in relation to the Minamata Convention on Mercury.

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