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*Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Nuku'alofa
Kingdom of Tonga*

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Tonga presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury of the United Nations Environment Programme, and has the honour to inform that Mr. Paula Pouvalu Ma'u, Chief Executive Officer for the Ministry of Meteorology, Energy, Information, Disaster Management, Environment, Climate Change and Communications (MEIDECC), has been designated to act as the Government of Tonga's National Focal Point to the Minamata Convention on Mercury.

The Ministry has further the honour to submit herewith the completed Form for the Designation of the National Focal Point Under Minamata Convention on Mercury.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Tonga avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury of the United Nations Environment Programme the assurances of its highest considerations.

**Secretariat of the Minamata Convention on Mercury of the
United Nations Environment Programme**

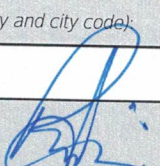

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14th February 2020



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

STATE/ORGANIZATION:		TONGA			
Please tick as appropriate:					
<input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MS. <input type="checkbox"/>	FIRST NAME: PAULA		LAST NAME: MA'U	
FUNCTIONAL TITLE:		CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER			
SECTION/DEPARTMENT:		LEADERSHIP			
ORGANIZATION/INSTITUTION:		MINISTRY OF METEOROLOGY, ENERGY, INFORMATION, DISASTER MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE AND COMMUNICATIONS (MEIDECC)			
ADDRESS:		P.O.Box 1380, Taufa'ahau Rd, Kolofu'ou			
POST CODE:	676	CITY	Nuku'alofa	COUNTRY	TONGA
TELEPHONE (include country and city code):		Fax (include country and city code):		E-MAIL ADDRESS:	
+676 28173		+676 24861		paulm@mic.gov.to	
NOTE:		MEIDECC is mandated to oversee the proper management of waste, pollution and chemicals including mercury			

THIS NOTIFICATION HAS BEEN SUBMITTED BY:					
MR. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MS. <input type="checkbox"/>	FIRST NAME: POASI		LAST NAME: TEI	
FUNCTIONAL TITLE:		MINISTER			
SECTION/DEPARTMENT:		LEADERSHIP			
ORGANIZATION/INSTITUTION:		MINISTRY OF METEOROLOGY, ENERGY, INFORMATION, DISASTER MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE AND COMMUNICATIONS			
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+676 28170		+676 24861		poasimte@gmail.com	
DATE AND SIGNATURE:		 			

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.