## F.No.13/13/2019-HSMD Government of India Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (HSM Division)

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Dated: 20.06.2022

Sub: Prior Informed Consent (PIC) for import of 3105 kg mercury from Peru to India by M/s KBNM Metals Private Limited.

Dear Sir/Madam,

Greeting from India!

The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC), Govt. of India is in receipt of letter dated 28.02.2020 from Ministry of the Environment, Peru for seeking consent for export of 34500 kg mercury from Peru to India.

- 2. Further, the MoEF&CC has received the application from M/s KBNM Metals Private Limited for seeking PIC for import of 3450 kg mercury from Peru.
- 3. The application of the importer (M/s KBNM Metals Private Limited) has been examined. Accordingly, the consent for import of mercury for the quantity of 3105 kg is hereby furnished in Form-A (as enclosed) for use in manufacture of mercury salts which is allowable purpose under Minamata Convention.

Your sincerely,

Encl.: As stated.

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## FORM A

Form for the provision of written consent by a Party to the import of mercury (This form is not required by the Convention in cases where the importing Party has provided a general notification of consent in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 7)

Section A: Contact information to be provided by the importing Party

Party: INDIA

Name of designated national focal point or responsible government official:

Mr. Naresh Pal Gangwar, Additional Secretary

Address: Hazardous Substances Management Division, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Govt. of India, Indira

Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bagh Road, New Delhi- 110003.

Tel: (+91) 11 20819247 Fax: (+91) 11 20819247 Email: asnpg.mefcc@gov.in

Section B: Contact information to be provided by the exporting Party or non-Party

Party: PERU

Name of designated national focal point or responsible government official:

1) Ms. Elizabeth Silvestre Espinoza

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Section C: Shipment information to be provided by the exporting country:

Please indicate approximate total quantity of mercury to be shipped: 3105 kg

Please indicate approximate date of shipment: June 2022 - December 2022

Please indicate if the mercury is from primary mercury mining: NO

Please indicate if the mercury has been determined by the exporting Party to be excess mercury from the decommissioning of chlor-alkali facilities: **NO** 

(If the exporting country is a non-Party, the importing Party shall also request that Form C be completed)

Section D: Information to be provided by the importing Party

What is the purpose of the import of mercury? Please circle:

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i. Environmentally sound interim storage in accordance with article 10:

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(If yes, please specify the intended use if known)

The mercury to be imported is to be intended for use in manufacturing of mercuric salts.

ii. Use allowed to a Party under the Convention:

NO

(If yes please specify additional details about the intended use of mercury.)

YES

Mercuric salts manufacturing is allowable use under the Convention.

Section E: Shipping information, as appropriate

Importer

Name of business: KBNM METALS Pvt. Ltd.

Address: Plot No. Block 29,

No. 945/C-2, Industrial Area C,

Suaroad, Kangalwal PO,

Dhandari Kalan, Ludhiana - 141014.

Tel: +91-952099806

Fax:

Email: brbhardwaj5@gmail.com

Exporter

Name of business: Mercantil S.A. Address: RUC 20100312736

JR. SANTORIN NRO.243 URB.

EL VIVERO-SANTIAGO DE SURCO LIMA 33

LIMA PERU

Tel: +511946417075

Fax:

Email: importaciones@mercentil.com.pe

Section F: Indication of consent by the importing Party

Nature of consent, please circle:

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Please use the space below to indicate any conditions, additional details or relevant information.

Prior Informed Consent is granted for import of mercury for the quantity of 3105 kg (90 flasks) and shall be permitted for storage of maximum of 18 months. Importer shall furnish the returns on supply to the end users.

Signature of importing Party designated national focal point and date

Name: Shri Naresh Pal Gangwar

Title: Additional Secretary to Govt. of India and National Focal Point of India for Minamata Convention

Signature:

Date:

20.6.2022

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