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CLIMATE AND ENVIRONMENT**

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Stockholm Convention
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**Withdrawal of notification of the use of an acceptable purpose for PFOS
listed in Annex B to the Stockholm Convention**

Dear Mr. Payet,

Pursuant to Part III of Annex B to the Stockholm Convention, Parties may notify the Secretariat of the production and/or use of PFOS for the acceptable purposes pursuant to Part I of Annex B.

Norway had notified the Secretariat of the use of PFOS for certain acceptable purposes, which is documented in the register of acceptable purposes made available to the public on the Convention website.

Norway would now like to inform you that the use of PFOS for the acceptable purpose "aviation hydraulic fluids" is no longer required. Consequently, Norway would like to withdraw the notification of the use of PFOS for the acceptable purpose "aviation hydraulic fluids" and would like to request you to delete that entry from the registry.

Thank you very much in advance for taking the necessary action to update the registry of the acceptable purposes for PFOS as outlined above.

Yours sincerely

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