

## PERMANENT MISSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA TO THE UNITED NATIONS OFFICE GENEVA

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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Croatia to the United Nations Office in Geneva presents its compliments to the United Nations Human rights Special Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and wastes and has the honor to transmit the letter from the Croatian minister of the Environment and Energy Dr. Tomislav Ćorić, dated 21 June 2019.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Croatia to the United Nations Office in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the United Nations Human rights Special Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and wastes the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, 24 June 2019

United Nations Human rights Special Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and wastes



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> UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHT Mr Baskut Tuncak, Special Rapporteur Palais de Nation, 11211 Geneva 10 Switzerland

Dear Mr Tuncak,

To begin with, please allow me to thank you for you kind letter concerning the process of ratification of the Ban Amendment to the Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal in the Republic of Croatia.

It is an honour to notify you that on 13 June 2019 the Government of the Republic of Croatia adopted the Act on the Ratification of the Amendments to the Basel Convention.

The Croatian Parliament will now proceed with the legislative procedure and I strongly believe that in the following months the legal procedures for the ratification of the "Ban Amendment" in the Republic of Croatia will be completed and that it will come into force soon after.

Sincerely yours,

