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**Subject: Endorsement of the Stockholm Convention Regional Centre for Capacity-Building and the Transfer of Technology in Russian Federation (SCRC-Russian Federation) for another period of four years**

Dear Prof. Elena Bagryanskaya,

I am writing to you as a follow up to the 2023 meetings of the Conferences of the Parties to the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions held in Geneva, Switzerland, from 1 May to 12 May 2023, during which the eleventh meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Stockholm Convention undertook the evaluation of the performance and sustainability of all the regional centres, including the Regional Centre for Capacity-building and the Transfer of Technology, Russian Federation (SCRC-Russian Federation). It is my great pleasure to inform you that the SCRC Russian Federation obtained a score (82%), and its performance was assessed as "Good".

In accordance with paragraph 14 of decision SC-11/13 adopted at the above-mentioned meeting, the SCRC-Russian Federation has been endorsed for another period of four years (2023-2027).

I would like to congratulate you and all the staff working in the centre for your efforts and look forward to future collaborations to continue to support regional and national implementation of sound management of chemicals and waste.

Yours sincerely,

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