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TO THE EU PERMANENT REPRESENTATIONS OF ALL MEMBER STATES

Subject: Reporting of mineral oil and gas refineries under Decision 2014/768/EU -

2017, 2018 and 2019 reporting years

This note concerns the obligation under Decision 2014/768/EU¹ on reporting on integrated emission management techniques applied in mineral oil and gas refineries. According to this Decision, Member States are obliged to submit their reports by 30 September 2020 at the latest.

The objective of this reporting is to assess the correct implementation of BAT 57 and BAT 58 and to verify that the integrated emission management technique is designed and implemented in line with the principle of equivalent environmental outcome, as set in the Decision 2014/738/EU². The obligation is summarised in the European Environment Agency's (EEA) Reporting Obligation Database at https://rod.eionet.europa.eu/instruments/654. Please note that this information will need to be submitted only once and for the reporting years 2017, 2018 and 2019.

Submission of the information shall take place through Reportnet, the infrastructure of the EEA (https://cdr.eionet.europa.eu/, under "European Union (EU) obligations"/"Mineral oil and gas refineries - integrated emission management techniques"). In order to facilitate data submission, the EEA has developed an on-line reporting tool (Excel template). You can find it on the corresponding help page in CDR: https://cdr.eionet.europa.eu/help/refineries.

In order to submit the report, an EIONET account with user name and password is required. In case a reporter does not have an **EIONET account** yet, he can request it at helpdesk@eionet.europa.eu. We invite countries to inform the EEA (marthe.granger@eea.europa.eu) with the name of the reporter(s) in order to set-up the access to the national envelope where the report will be uploaded.

Should you have any further questions on this reporting obligation, please contact Anita Matić (anita.matic@ec.europa.eu) in my Unit.

I am looking forward to your cooperation and timely reporting.

Yours sincerely,

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