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Electronically and by Registered mail

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**Re: Submission on enforcement matters under Articles 14 and 15 of the
North American Agreement on Environmental Cooperation**

Submitter(s): Department of the Planet Earth et al.

Party: United States

Date: 27 May 1998

Submission No.: SEM-98-003

Dear Mr. Nitze:

We hereby acknowledge receipt of the Government of the United States' response in the above-captioned matter, received by fax at our offices on 3 December 1999.

Sincerely,

Commission for Environmental Cooperation - Secretariat

per: David L. Markell
Head, Submissions on Enforcement Matters Unit

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