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Application to import or export a therapeutic good that is mercury

Border control of mercury

The border control of mercury is part of Australia's measures to limit the supply and trade of mercury under Australia's implementation of the Minamata Convention on Mercury (the Convention).

This application is for approval to import or export a therapeutic good that is mercury under 10JD of the *Therapeutic Goods Regulations 1990*

Please note: Under subregulation 10JD(3) of the *Therapeutic Goods Regulations 1990*, an application is taken not to have been made if the application does not comply with the requirements referred to in subregulation 10JD(2), including in particular that an application is made using this form and includes the information required by this form.

Section 1 – Application type

- ☐ 10JD(1)(a) Importation into Australia from a non-Party to the Minamata Convention
- ☐ 10JD(1)(b) Export from Australia to a Party to the Minamata Convention
- ☐ 10JD(1)(b) Export to a non-Party to the Minamata Convention

Section 2 - Applicant Details

Legal name	
Client ID	
Trading name	
ABN/ACN	
Postal address	
Email address	

Primary contact

Name

Phone

Email

Secondary contact

Name

Phone

Email

Section 3 – Application: Importation from a non-party 10JD(1)(a) and 10JE

Please provide details surrounding the proposed importation from a non-party to the Convention (exporting Party)

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Addressing the criteria:

Name and details
of exporting Party

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Is the exporting party a party of the Convention Yes ☐ No ☐

(a)(i) Has Australia provided the exporting party with written consent to the import

Yes ☐ No ☐

OR

(a)(ii) Is a general notification of consent in force for Australia in accordance with paragraph 7 of Article 3 of the Convention

Yes ☐ No ☐

AND

(b) Has the exporting party provided written certification that the mercury is neither sourced from primary mercury mining nor excess mercury from the decommissioning of chlor-alkali facilities.

Yes ☐ No ☐

Please provide copies of supporting information including written consent or general notification, and written certification.

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Section 4 – Application: Export to a Party 10JD(1)(b) and 10JF(1)

Please provide details surrounding the proposed exportation to a Party to the Convention (importing Party)

Addressing the criteria:

Name and details
of importing Party

Is the importing party a Party of the Convention Yes ☐ No ☐

(1)(a) Has the importing Party provided its written consent to the export

Yes ☐ No ☐

AND

(1)(b)(i) Is the mercury to be exported for a use allowed to the importing Party under the Minamata Convention

Yes ☐ No ☐

Please provide details of the use allowed

OR

(1)(b)(i) Is the mercury to be exported for environmentally sound interim storage as set out in Article 10 of the Minamata Convention.

Yes ☐ No ☐

Please provide details, and copies of supporting information including written consent

Section 5 – Application: Export to non-Party 10JD(1)(b) AND 10JF(2)

Please provide details surrounding the proposed exportation to a non-Party to the Convention (importing Party)

Addressing the criteria:

Name and details
of importing Party

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Is the importing party a non-party of the Convention Yes ☐ No ☐

(2)(a) Has the importing Party provided its written consent to the export

Yes ☐ No ☐

AND

(2)(b) Has the importing Party provided its written certification demonstrating that::

(i) it has measures in place to ensure the protection of human health and the environment

Yes ☐ No ☐

AND

(ii) it has measures in place to ensure compliance with Articles 10 and 11 of the Convention

Yes ☐ No ☐

AND

(iii) the mercury will be used only for a use allowed under the Convention to a Party to the Convention or for environmentally sound interim storage as set out in Article 10 of the Convention.

Yes ☐ No ☐

Please provide details, and copies of the written consent and written certification/s

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Section 6 – Application declaration



Giving false or misleading information is a serious offence

Name

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Signature

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Date

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