Secretariat of the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants

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FORM
SPECIFIC EXEMPTION REGISTRATION

PARTY (Country name): GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA

NOTIFICATION OF REGISTRATION OF A SPECIFIC EXEMPTION

Herewith, the Secretariat for the Stockholm Convention is notified of the registration for the following specific exemption pursuant to paragraph 3 of Article 4 of the Convention *(note: additional specific exemptions will require completing additional separate forms)*[1]:

Chemical name	CHLORDANE
Activity *(please check one and use separate forms for different activities)*	_____ production __X____ use
Specific exemption *(see Annex A and Annex B of the Convention)*	USE AS TERMICIDE IN BUILDINGS AND DAMS USE AS TERMICIDE IN ROADS USE AS TERMICIDE
Expiry date *(see paragraph 4 of Article 4 of the Convention)*	MAY 17, 2009
Estimated quantity of production/use	5,000 LITERS (60% EC CHLORDANE)
Purpose(s) of production/use	THE CHLORDANE WILL BE RESTRICTED FOR USE TO CONTROL TERMITES FOR BUILDINGS AND ROADS CONTRUCTIONS.
Reason(s) for exemption	NON AVALAIBILITY OF COST EFFECTIVE TERMICIDE AS AN ALTERNATIVE TO CHLORDANE.
Remarks	THE ENVIRONMETAL ENVIRONMENTAL COUNCIL ON BEHALF OF THE ZAMBIAN GOVERNMENT WILL CONTROL THE ANNAUL QUANTITIES TO BE IMPORTED AND WILL SET ANNUAL REDUCTION RATIOS DEPENDING ON THE AVALAIBILITY OF COST EFFECTIVE ALTERNATIVES TO CHLORDANE.

THIS NOTIFICATION HAS BEEN SUBMITTED BY: **GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA**

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[1] At present, exemptions for the following seven chemicals can be registered by Parties in the Register of specific exemptions: Aldrin, Chlordane, DDT, Dieldrin, Heptachlor, Hexachlorobenezene, Mirex.