Metales y Derivados–Acknowledgement of receipt of Submission

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

Submitter(s):	Environmental Health Coalition
	Comité Ciudadano Pro Restauración del Cañón del Padre, A.C.
Party:	Mexico
Date:	23 October 1998
Submission No.:	SEM-98-007

Dear Sirs:

We acknowledge receipt of the submission received at our offices on 23 October 1998, filed under Articles 14 and 15 of the *North American Agreement on Environmental Cooperation* (the "Agreement") on behalf of the organizations listed above. The Secretariat will review your submission to determine whether it meets the criteria listed in Article 14(1) of the Agreement and will keep you informed of the status of your submission. The Secretariat notes that the submission also requests preparing a report under Article 13 of the Agreement. The Secretariat will address this aspect of the submission at the conclusion of the Article 14 process, as appropriate.

We take note that you have not designated any information as confidential or proprietary under Article 11(8) of the Agreement. Accordingly, your submission in its entirety will be made available to the Parties to the Agreement and to the public.

We request that you provide us with an E-mail address, if you have one available, and that you allow us to send future correspondence to that E-mail address and by mail, instead of by fax and by mail.

Yours truly,

Secretariat of the Commission for Environmental Cooperation

per: Janine Ferretti Interim Executive Director

c.c. Mr. José Luis Samaniego, SEMARNAP Mr. William Nitze, US-EPA Ms. Norine Smith, Environment Canada