



To: XXX

Brussels, XXX 2016

RE: Granting of the right to use existing Information to third parties

Dear []

We are writing to you with respect to certain obligations provided by the PM Consortium Agreement as to the granting of the right to use existing Information to third parties.

Article 5.1.3 of the Consortium Agreement provides that rights to use (including to cite or refer to) existing Information granted by the Consortium to third parties within the context of REACH Regulation, for instance through a letter of Access, shall be subject to prior written approval from, and appropriate compensation to the Member(s) who initially provided the Information to the Consortium.

The Secretariat observed that your company, while having provided certain existing Information to the PM Consortia, seems to have not yet provided its written approval pursuant to this Article 5.1.3. Furthermore, it appears that the appropriate compensation described in Article 5.1.3 has not been determined as such and that all payments received from the Letters of Access recipients are allocated to the PM Consortia's activities in relation to the fulfilment of the requirements under the REACH Regulation.

For purpose of compliance with the PM Consortium Agreement and for the good order, we would be very grateful if you could countersign the present letter as a confirmation that:

- your company confirms its explicit approval in the sense described in Article 5.1.3 of the PM Consortium Agreement as regards the granting of all past and future Letters of Access to third parties; and
- your company agrees that the compensation provided in Article 5.1.3 of the PM Consortium Agreement can be used by the PM Consortia for purpose of performing and/or pursuing joint studies in relation to the substance(s) to which the existing Information your company provided was related.

The two original copies of this letter should be countersigned where indicated below. Please retain one copy for your records and return one original to the Secretariat.

Do not hesitate to contact us should you have any questions.



Sincerely,

For the EPMF, acting in its capacity of the PM Consortia's Secretariat

Mrs. France Capon

Secretariat & Trustee, Precious Metals and Rhenium Consortium (PMC)

Secretary-General, European Precious Metals Federation (EPMF)

Accepted and agreed to:

[Company]

Represented by: [Name + Title]