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Dear Ms. Ewang,

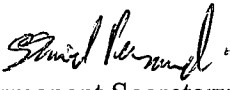
Re: Comments for the Indonesian-Swiss Country-Led Initiative to improve the effectiveness of the Basel Convention

Reference is made to your correspondence dated February 27, 2010.

The Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago (GORTT) commends the efforts of the Indonesian Swiss Country Led Initiative (CLI) to improve the effectiveness of the Basel Convention and for the preparation of the report and annexes to the second meeting of the CLI.

The Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago has reviewed the Annex 2 of the report on "The List of elements for inclusion in a possible way forward" and has no substantive comments at this time.

Sincerely,


[] Permanent Secretary