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Dear Sir/Madame,

In the upcoming Meeting of the Parties of the WHO/UNECE Protocol on Water and Health on 14-16 November, 2016, new members will be elected to the Compliance Committee of the Protocol. On the behalf of Hungary, we would like to nominate **Ms. Zsuzsanna Kocsis-Kupper** for the extension of her current mandate as a member of the Compliance Committee. Ms. Kocsis-Kupper is a member of the Compliance Committee since 2011.

Ms. Kocsis-Kupper is an environmental lawyer with national and international experience. Her main area of expertise is European and international environmental law and management, focusing on water quality issues.

Ms Zsuzsanna Kocsis-Kupper is the team member of Priority Area Water Quality of the European Union Strategy for the Danube Region (EUSDR). Ms Kocsis-Kupper further acts as an external monitoring consultant and regional coordinator of the European Commission's external monitoring team for LIFE projects in the Central- Eastern European countries since 2004. She gives lectures in two of the largest Hungarian universities. She has experience in the legal aspects of environmental protection at both national and international level, and has worked successfully previously in multinational teams.

We believe that her expertise would continue to assist the work of the Compliance Committee.

Dr. Tamás Pándics chairman

Water and Health Expert Committee