

Comments by Pure Earth (formerly Blacksmith Institute) / Global Alliance on Health & Pollution on the themes for 2017 UN Environment Assembly

Thank you for the opportunity of civil society to participate in the meeting. On behalf of our 43 members, including more than 15 LMIC country governments, we are extremely pleased to hear the support for the pollution theme, and its focus for health and action, and tangible results. We would like to offer to reiterate our offer to provide the UNEP Secretariat support for developing further the concept note in particular to provide scientific references as requested by Colombia, in addition to providing concrete examples related to success stories and progress that many LMIC countries governments, including many of our members, have made related to tackling pollution. We look forward to participating in the process.

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