

ZMWG COP2 statement on waste thresholds
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*The Zero Mercury Working Group supports efforts to focus on completing the Category 3 identification of wastes, and then identifying priorities and possible approaches for threshold development within Category 3. Convention resources should be directed towards practical approaches that will help developing countries. Further discussions on Categories 1 and 2, **other than providing indicative lists to help countries identify these wastes**, runs counter to this **objective**, as developing countries are facing more immediate and significant problems involving mercury wastes*