

5 December 2003

COUNCIL RESOLUTION 03-15

Instruction to the Secretariat of the Commission for Environmental Cooperation to make public the Factual Record for Submission SEM-97-002 (Río Magdalena)

THE COUNCIL:

SUPPORTIVE of the process provided for in Articles 14 and 15 of the *North American Agreement on Environmental Cooperation* (NAAEC) regarding submissions on enforcement matters and the preparation of factual records;

NOTING that the Secretariat received no comments from the Parties on the draft Río Magdalena factual record;

HAVING RECEIVED the final factual record for Submission SEM-97-002;

AFFIRMING its commitment to a timely and transparent process;

FURTHER NOTING that pursuant to Article 15(7) of the NAAEC, the Council is called upon to decide whether to make the factual record publicly available; and

HEREBY DECIDES:

TO MAKE PUBLIC and post on the registry the final factual record for Submission SEM-97-002;

APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL:

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