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Subject: RE: Request re misrepresentation of WHO position on asbestos

Dear Kathleen,

Our Director General has requested me to follow up on your message.

I would like to thank you very much for alerting us regarding the Zimbabwe position paper on Chrysotile Asbestos.

As a result of your message, I am happy to inform you that our WHO's Representative has already addressed this issue at country level with the relevant authorities.

We are confident that action to correct the inaccurate statement regarding WHO's position will be taken as soon as possible.

As you well know, WHO's policy on asbestos, all forms, is unequivocal.

I remain at your disposal for any further clarification you may need,

Warm regards,

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