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Subject: Letter from civil society organizations to the Pope Francis

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Dear Papal Nuncio in Spain

We wrote an open letter to Pope Francis from different Spanish (1) and European organizations (2) involved in the problem of electromagnetic pollution ("The Church and the urgent protection of life against electromagnetic pollution. A desperate cry from *Laudato Si'* ") on the XXXI edition of the World Youth Day held in Krakow.

In attachment we send you the letter (in [Spanish](#) and [English](#)) that ye may be connoisseurs thereof and in order to ensure that the Pope Francis receives it.

We appreciate your interest and we are at your disposal for any questions about it.

With kind regards from the different Spanish Autonomous Communities

The coordinating group of the Spanish State Platform against the Electromagnetic Pollution [Plataforma Estatal Contra la Contaminación Electromagnética (PECCEM)] on behalf this citizen Platform and the *European Coordination of organizations for a regulation of Electromagnetic Field (EMF) exposure*, which truly protects public health:

- Ángel Bayón, Castile and León PECCEM coordinator. PECCEM contact person in the Confederación Estatal de Asociaciones de Vecinos (CEAV) / the Spanish Confederation of Neighbourhood associations. President the AVAATE - Asociación Vallisoletana de Afectados por las Antenas de Telecomunicaciones / the Valladolid Association of Injured by Telecommunications Antennas.
- Asunción Laso, Castile and León PECCEM coordinator. AVAATE - Asociación Vallisoletana de Afectados por las Antenas de Telecomunicaciones / the Valladolid Association of Injured by Telecommunications Antennas.
- Eduard Antequera, Catalonia PECCEM Coordinator. President of the Asociación ENSALUT / ENSALUT.
- Irune Ruiz, Basque Country PECCEM coordinator. SOS Electrohipersensibilidad - Enfermedades Ambientales de Sensibilización Central (SOS EHS-EASC) / the SOS Electromagnetic hypersensitivity - Environmental Diseases of Central Sensitization. The Coordinadora Vasca de Afectad@s por Campos Electromagnéticos (EKEUKO-COVACE) / the Basque Coordinator Affected by Electromagnetic Fields.
- Julio Carmona, Galician PECCEM Coordinator. Asociación Pola Defensa da Ría (APDR) / Pontevedra Association in Defence of the Estuary. The EMF pollution advisory of the Federación Ecoloxista Galeg/ the Galician Environmental Federation.
- Fini Manso, Galician PECCEM Coordinator.

- Laura Cobos, Navarra PECCEM Coordinator. President and on behalf of the Asociación de Afectados de Navarra por Campos Electromagnéticos (ASANACEN-EEKNE) / the Navarra Association of Affected by Electromagnetic Fields.
- Pedro Belmonte, Murcia PECCEM coordinator. The Ecologistas en Acción Región Murciana / the Ecologists in Action of the Murcia region. Comisión estatal de contaminación electromagnética de Ecologistas en Acción / State Commission on EMF pollution of the Ecologists in Action.
- Mercedes González, Madrid PECCEM coordinator. Comisión de contaminación electromagnética de la Federación Regional de Asociaciones Vecinales de Madrid (FRAVM) / the Commission of electromagnetic smog of the Regional Federation of Madrid Neighbourhood Associations. He is one of the Madrid Coordinators of the PECCEM.
- Minerva Palomar. Madrid PECCEM coordinator. President of the Electro y Químico Sensibles por el Derecho a la Salud (EQSDS) / the Electro and Chemical Sensitive for the Right to Health.
- Juan Manuel Puértolas, Aragón PECCEM Coordinator. The Asociación Independiente para Defender la Salud (ASIDES) / the Independent Association to Defend the Health of Aragón.
- Rubén García, Asturian PECCEM Coordinator. The Plataforma Asturiana Escuela sin Wi-F/ the Asturian platform school without Wi-Fi.
- María del Mar Rosa, Murcia PECCEM coordinator. Electro y Químico Sensibles por el Derecho a la Salud (EQSDS) / the Electro and Chemical Sensitive for the Right to Health.
- José Caselles, Murcia and Valencia PECCEM coordinator. Plataforma Oriolana Contra las Antenas de Telefonía Móvil -POCAT- / Orihuela Platform Against Mobile Phone Antennas.

1.- The State Platform Against Electromagnetic Pollution (PECCEM) was created in 7 March, 2009 and is comprised of confederations and federations of the civil society organizations (from health advocates, consumers, neighbours, environmentalists, ecologists, parents of students, electro-hypersensitivity people, associations working in the field of electromagnetic pollution). From the PECCEM we inform society of the risks of electromagnetic pollution and the implementation of protectionist recommendations public health and environment of European institutions such as the European Environment Agency, the European Parliament and the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council demand Europe, adopted with broad parliamentary consensus.

2.- The European Coordination of organizations for a regulation of Electromagnetic Field (EMF) exposure, which truly protects public health. This Coordination involving organizations against EMF pollution from 11 European countries is driving the [European Manifesto in Support the ECI in favour of the precautionary regulation of the EMF exposure](#). Amongst the [signatories to this European Manifesto](#) there are scientists, researchers and experts, as well as professional bodies and associations and representatives of civil society organizations (from health advocates, consumers, neighbours, environmentalists, ecologists, labour union, parents of students, people with central sensitization syndromes -electro-hypersensitivity, multiple chemical sensitivity, chronic fatigue, fibromyalgia, etc.-, brain tumour patients, concerned citizens and activists associations working in the field of electromagnetic pollution), coming from 25 countries (Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, India, Ireland, Italy, Macedonia, Netherlands, Panama, Poland, Portugal, UK, Russia, South Africa, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and USA).