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**Subject:** Beiersdorf Peak

Dear Dr. Gersonde,

In September 2009, you submitted six undersea feature name proposals to the GEBCO Sub-Committee on Undersea Feature Names (SCUFN), i.e. Svarichevskiy Seamount, Billings Seamount, Krauss Seamount, Vancouver Knolls, Krümmel Seamount and Beiersdorf Peak, all located in the North Pacific Ocean. These proposals were considered by SCUFN at its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting that took place on 11-14 September 2010 in Lima, Peru.

I am pleased to report that the first five proposals, as listed above, were accepted by the sub-committee for inclusion in the GEBCO Gazetteer on Undersea Feature Names (see [www.gebco.net/data\\_and\\_products/undersea\\_feature\\_names/#feature\\_links4](http://www.gebco.net/data_and_products/undersea_feature_names/#feature_links4)). Regarding the 6<sup>th</sup> proposal, while the specific term Beiersdorf was accepted, the meeting considered that additional bathymetric information covering the highest point of this feature was needed to confirm that the feature is actually a peak.

Therefore, I would appreciate if you could provide such additional bathymetry in support of the proposed Beiersdorf Peak at your earliest convenience, so that it can be considered by SCUFN at its next meeting to take place in Beijing on 12-16 September 2011.

I thank you for your attention and look forward to your response.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a large, stylized initial 'M' followed by the letters 'HUET' in a cursive script.

Ing. en Chef Michel HUET  
Secretary of SCUFN