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MUNICIPALITY OF KRUMOVGRAD



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TO
BALKAN MINERAL AND MINING EAD
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Outgoing Ref. 26-00-431/27.08.2010

DEAR LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

In connection with the last paragraph of the statement we already presented on the EIA Scoping identifying the content and extent of the EIA Statement of the Investment Proposal for Mining and Processing of Gold Ores from the Ada Tepe Prospect, Khan Krum Deposit, please find attached the statements of the experts. The statements refer to: Investment Proposal for Mining and Processing of Gold Ores from the Ada Tepe Prospect, Khan Krum Deposit; EIA Scoping identifying the content and scope of the EI Statement for the Investment Proposal and the Mine Waste Management Plan.

In order to demonstrate that the experts hired by the Krumovgrad Municipality have been objective, we also include the statement of Mr. Ivan Baltov, PhD, M.Eng.

In view of your letter, ref. № 0020/05.05.2010, the joint motion for a resolution on a general ban on the use of cyanide mining technologies, B7 0238/2010, all previous resolutions of the Municipal Council and the attitude of the local community towards gold mining, we insist that the problems and questions pointed out in the statements receive concrete answers.

As representatives of the local authorities, we insist that the issues raised are addressed and the questions answered.

Attachment : Statements of the experts.

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