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> 22 Maria-Luisa Blvd, 1000 Sofia, Republic of Bulgaria

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Dear Minister

Pursuant to the provisions of the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (the ESPOO Convention) please be informed that the company Elixir Engineering, upon authorization by the project developer "Elixir Craff" Šabac, has submitted Environmental Impact Assessment Study for the project of construction of a waste-to-energy plant at the cadastral parcels 1420/1, 1420/4, 1491/1, 1541/1, 1541/2, 1552, 5824/1, 6513/1, 6513/2 K.O. Prahovo, Municipality of Negotin and construction by phases of non-hazardous waste landfill Elixir Prahovo at the cadastral parcels 2300/1, 1491/1 and 1541/1 K.O. Prahovo, Municipality of Negotin, to the competent Serbian authority, i.e., the Ministry of environmental protection.

In your response ref.no. 04-00-949 from 26. April 2024 you mentioned that Republic of Bulgaria will participate in the transboundary EIA procedure according to the Espoo Convention for this project.

In accordance with Art. 3 of the Conventior on Environmental Impact Assessmen in a Transboundary Context (ESPOO Convention), the Environmental Impact Assessment Report in English language is publicly available on the official website of the Minisfry of environmental protection <u>https://www.ekologija.gov.rs/obavestenja/procena-uticaja-na-zivotnu-sredinu/strateska-procenauticaja-na-zivotnu-sredinu/notifikacija-za-espoo-konvenciju/</u>

After finishing of the consultation process with the public concerned and Bulgarian authorities regarding the Environemntal Impact Aassessment Study, would you be so kind to send us

comments and opinions provided by the Bulgarian authorities, however, no later than 30 days from the day of the receipt of this notification.

Pursuant to the Serbian Law on Environmental Impact Assessment, the public hearing in Negotin municipality will scheduled for 13 November 2024, regarding Environmental Impact Assessment Study for the project.

In attach we are sending USB with EIA Report on english language.

We look forward to fruitful cooperation between our two ministries.

Sincerely yours,



PC: Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Serbia