

## REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA

## MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND WATER

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**Subject:** Project "Refurbishment of Unit 1 of Cernavodă NPP and extension of intermediate dry spent fuel storage with MACSTORE - 400 modules"

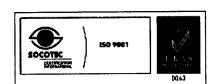
## Dear Mr. Tánczos

With the present letter I would like to confirm the receipt by the Ministry of Environment and Water of the Republic of Bulgaria of your letter notifying us of the above project, informing you of the following:

After getting acquainted with the information about the project for "Refurbishment of Unit 1 of Cernavodă NPP and expansion of intermediate dry spent fuel storage with MACSTORE - 400 modules", it was found that according to the received documentation, its location is 36 km from the state border between Romania and the Republic of Bulgaria. Given the nature of the declared activity and the proximity to the territory of the Republic of Bulgaria, I believe that a significant transboundary impact is possible.

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In view of the above and in accordance with Article 3, item 3 of the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) in a transboundary context, I express the willingness of the Republic of Bulgaria to take part in the EIA procedure for the project "Repair of Unit 1 of Cernavodă NPP and extension of intermediate dry storage for spent fuel with MACSTORE modules - 400".

I take this opportunity to express my respect and readiness for fruitful cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

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Minister of Environment and Water