



REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA

MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND WATER

MINISTER

0800 - 44
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Subject: *EIA procedure for the investment proposal "Gravel and Sand Extraction from Alluvial Sediments in the Bed of the Danube River, Mishka Section (462.0 km - 459.4 km), in the area of Babovo Village, Slivo Pole Municipality, Rouse Region"*

Dear Minister,

Pursuant to Article 3.5 of the Convention on EIA in a Transboundary Context, please find enclosed the translation in English of the Assignment on the scope of Environmental Impact Assessment Report on investment proposal for "Gravel and Sand Extraction from Alluvial Sediments in the Bed of the Danube River, Mishka Section (462.0 km - 459.4 km) in the area of Babovo Village, Slivo Pole Municipality, Ruse District".

*We would like to inform you that after the completion of the EIA screening procedure, the Minister of Environment and Water issued Decision № 3-IIP/2014 according to which **an Environmental Impact Assessment should be carried out** for the above-mentioned investment proposal.*

In case you have any comments and suggestions to this Assignment, please ~~provide~~ us with your response within 2 (two) weeks from the receipt of this letter.

Allow me to take this opportunity to express my highest consideration and willingness to continue the successful bilateral cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

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