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Dear Mr. Kartavtsev,

I am writing to you on behalf of the Implementation Committee under the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (Espoo, 1991).

At its twenty-first session, held in Geneva on 20 June 2011, the Committee considered information provided by a Ukrainian non-governmental organization regarding the planned extension of the lifetime of operation of two nuclear reactors at the Rivne nuclear power plant in Ukraine, close to the border with Belarus and Poland.

The Committee wished to receive information on the environmental impact assessment for the proposed installation, as well as clarification on whether the Government of Ukraine has taken the necessary legal, administrative and other measures to implement the provisions of the Convention.

In the light of the above, the Committee asked that I write to you to invite the Government of Ukraine to provide the above information by 15 August 2011 for consideration by the Committee at its twenty-second session in September 2011.

Yours sincerely,

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