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Dear Sirs,

Re: Communication to the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee concerning compliance by the European Community with provisions of the Convention in connection with access by members of the public to review procedures (Ref. ACCC/C/2008/32)

On behalf of the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee, I would like to thank you for participating in the discussion of the above referenced communication at the twenty-fifth Compliance Committee meeting (Geneva, 22-25 September 2009).

I am hereby attaching the advance copy of the report of the twenty-fifth Compliance Committee meeting where you can find the information concerning the above referenced communication in paragraphs 28-31.

Please note that the Compliance Committee will continue its deliberations on the matter at its twenty-sixth meeting (Geneva, 15-18 December 2009). However, it has agreed to defer a decision on whether draft findings would be prepared immediately thereafter or at a later stage.

Please do not hesitate to contact the secretariat if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

Jeremy Wates

Secretary

Convention on Access to Information, Public Participation in Decision-making and Access to Justice in Environmental Matters

Advance copy of the report of the twenty-fifth meeting of the Compliance Enc:

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