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UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC  
COMMISSION FOR EUROPE  
Environment Division  
Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee  
Ms. Aphrodite Smagadi, Secretary  
Palais des Nations  
CH-1211 Geneva 10, Switzerland

**SUBJECT: Communication to the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee concerning compliance by Croatia in relation to public participation in the adoption of waste management plans (ACCC/C/2012/66)**

Dear Ms Smagadi,

We received your letter concerning compliance by Croatia in relation to public participation in the adoption of waste management plans (ACCC/C/2012/66) dated on 18<sup>th</sup> of July 2013 and we accept findings and recommendations from the Compliance Committee.

In relation to this issue we would like to inform you that new Sustainable Waste Management Act (Official Gazette 94/13) integrates improvements to ensure clear framework regarding public participation in the preparation of municipality waste management plans.

Sincerely yours,



Cc: Permanent Mission of the Republic of Croatia to the United Nations Office in Geneva  
Ms. Zrinka Jakl, Association for Nature, Environment and Sustainable Development 'Sunce'