

18 January 2021

Mr. Thomas Alge and Ms. Priska Lueger
Director
Oekobuero – Alliance of the Austrian Environmental Movement
Vienna, Austria

Ms. Agnes Zauner
Director
Global 2000
Vienna, Austria

Dear Mr. Alge and Ms. Lueger,
Dear Ms. Zauner,

Re: Communication to the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee concerning compliance by the European Union with provisions of the Convention in relation to the approval of state aid for Hinkley Point C (ACCC/C/2015/128)

I write to inform you that the Compliance Committee today agreed its draft findings regarding communication ACCC/C/2015/128 through its electronic decision-making procedure.

The draft findings are now forwarded at the request of the Committee for your consideration and possible comments pursuant to paragraph 34 of the annex to decision I/7.

I would be grateful if you would provide any comments on the draft findings by **Monday, 1 March 2021**. In finalizing the findings, the Committee will take into account any comments you submit on the draft findings by the set deadline.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the secretariat.

Yours sincerely,



Fiona Marshall
Secretary to the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee

Enc: Draft findings for the parties' comments

Cc: Permanent Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva
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