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Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context
Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment

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REFERENCE: RESPONSE, submitting,-

Dear,

Your email sent to the Ministry of spatial planning, construction and ecology on 17 December 2020 was accompanied with letter from Montenegro expressing concern regarding compliance of Bosnia and Herzegovina with its obligations under the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context and its Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment with respect to construction of the Buk Bijela hydropower plant on the Drina river. In addition to letter, 16 annexes in English were also sent. Based on sent annexes, the Ministry was requested to submit response no later than 17 March 2021.

In accordance with above-mentioned, please note that the Ministry sent comprehensive information about the Buk Bijela case to the Implementation Committee of the Espoo Convention and its Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment on 5 January 2021. The information includes detail description of consultations, which the Ministry of spatial planning, construction and ecology conducted during environmental impact assessment procedure with competent institutions in Montenegro, concerning the Buk Bijela hydropower plant.

Sincerely,


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