

**Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee
Secretary to the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee
United Nations Economic Commission for Europe
Palais des Nations, 1211 Geneva 10, Switzerland**

(ACCCC / C / 2015/130 (Italy))

compliance by Italy with provisions of the Convention related to the cost of judicial procedures

In relation to your request of 21 April for comments on the draft findings regarding communication ACCC/C/2015/130, while appreciating the completeness of the statement of reasons for the decision, we would only like to point out that:

- the decision referred to in no. 37 was issued by the TAR of Calabria and not by the Regional Tax Court;
- the decision referred to in paragraph 38 was issued by the TAR of Marche and not by the Regional Tax Court;
- finally, with respect to point e) *By failing to consider the establishment of appropriate assistance mechanisms to remove or reduce financial barriers to access to justice, the Party concerned has failed to comply with article 9(5) of the Convention*, we request that a specific recommendation be made to the Party concerned.

With best regards

Trieste 1° June 2021

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