

31 January 2024

Dr. Roda Verheyen
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Dear Dr. Verheyen,

Re: Communication to the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee concerning compliance by Germany regarding access to justice in the context of tiered decisions and plans (ACCC/C/2020/178)

As you may recall, in its response to the above communication, the Party concerned made submissions on the admissibility of the above communication.

In this regard, the Committee has instructed the secretariat to invite the communicant to comment on the submissions made by the Party concerned on admissibility in pages 11–12 of its response.

I would be grateful to receive your comments on the above submissions by the Party concerned on or before **21 February 2024**. Please send your reply to aarhus.compliance@un.org, copying the Party concerned.

Please do not hesitate to contact the secretariat if you have any questions regarding the above.

Yours sincerely,



Fiona Marshall
Secretary to the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee

Cc: Permanent Mission of the Federal Republic of Germany to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva
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