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Dear Mr. Mormul,

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I am writing to you on behalf of the Implementation Committee under the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (Espoo, 1991).

At its twenty-second session, held in Geneva on 5–7 September 2011, the Committee noted the letter from the Government of Ukraine received on 30 August 2011 in response to its letter of 23 June 2011 (see attached), requesting for information on the environmental impact assessment for the planned extension of the lifetime of operation of two nuclear reactors at the Rivne nuclear power plant in Ukraine, close to the border with Belarus and Poland and clarification on whether the Government of Ukraine had taken the necessary legal, administrative and other measures to implement the provisions of the Convention. This letter had been sent further to information provided by a Ukrainian non-governmental organization.

The Committee asked me to inform the Government of Ukraine of its decision to postpone the consideration of the case to its twenty-third session (5–7 December 2011) and to invite the Government of Ukraine provide its written reply in Russian and in English by 15 November 2011.

Yours sincerely,

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