## IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE

## CONVENTION ON ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT IN A TRANSBOUNDARY CONTEXT PROTOCOL ON STRATEGIC ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

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Ref. Follow-up on decision VI/2 of the Meeting of the Parties (EIA/IC/S/1 Bystroe Canal Project)

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Dear Ms. Măcelaru.

I am writing to you on behalf of the Implementation Committee under the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (Espoo, 1991) and its Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment (Kyiv, 2003).

At its thirty-ninth session, held in Geneva from 5 to 7 September 2017, the Committee followed up on decision VI/2 of the Meeting of the Parties to the Convention concerning Danube-Black Sea Deep Water Navigation Canal in the Ukrainian sector of the Danube Delta (the Project) (EIA/IC/S/1).

You are now invited to provide your views on the ongoing consultations between governments of Romania and Ukraine on the post-project analysis and the recent developments in concluding a bilateral agreement with Ukraine on the implementation of the Convention.

Please provide the above information in English to the secretariat by 30 October 2017, for the Committee to consider at its next session.

Yours sincerely,

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Chair, Implementation Committee,

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