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Dear Ms. Rantakallio,

With regard to the Espoo procedure for the construction of a new nuclear power plant in Finland by the developer Fennovoima Oy we would like to inform you that the relevant documents have been published in Austria between 26 March and 24 April 2014. Please find enclosed the comments received from the provinces and public so far.

In addition, Austria has commissioned an assessment of the relevant documents by independent experts. The result of the assessment is documented in the Expert Statement enclosed. The Expert Statement contains a number of comments and recommendations as well as requests for further information.

According to Art. 6 Espoo Convention and Art. 8 EIA Directive Austria requests Finland to consider the comments including the Expert Statement in the development consent procedure and final decision.

Austria is looking forward to receive pursuant to Art. 6 Espoo Convention and Art. 9 EIA Directive the final decision on the proposed activity along with the reasons and considerations on which it was based as well as the information requested.

Thank you for the good cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

On behalf of the Minister:
Dr Ursula Platzer-Schneider

Enclosure

Electronically signed.




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