



MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT,  
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To: Mr. Juhani DAMSKI, Permanent Secretary  
Ministry of the Environment, Finland

Ref: Information on the EIA procedure of extending Loviisa nuclear power plant's lifetime in Finland

Dear Permanent Secretary,

We have the pleasure to inform you that we received your letter no.VN/19135/2020, dated 26 August 2020 regarding the information about the start of an environmental impact assessment (EIA) of a proposed project to extend Loviisa nuclear power plant's lifetime in Finland, developer Fortum Power and Heat Oy.

Further to the information received we would like to convey to you that Romania will not participate in the transboundary environmental impact assessment procedure for this project. However, regarding the issues related to the long-term safety operation of the extension of nuclear power plant and considering the potential transboundary impacts in the event of a nuclear accident, we would like to receive the EIA documentation for our information. In this respect, please send the documentation to Dorina Mocanu, Romanian Focal Point for Notification under the Espoo Convention (dorina.mocanu@mmediu.ro) with a copy to Mihaela Măcelaru, Focal Point for Administrative Matters (mihaela.macelaru@mmediu.ro).

On this occasion we express our willingness to continue our fruitful cooperation.

Please accept, Mr. Permanent Secretary, the assurance of our highest consideration and esteem.

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State Secretary

