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

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Ref. Follow-up with decision VI/2 of the Meeting of the Parties (EIA/IC/S/4 Ostrovets nuclear power plant)

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Dear Ms. Malkina.

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-third session, held in Geneva from 17 to 19 March 2015, the Committee followed up on decision VI/2 of the Meeting of the Parties to the Convention, including compliance by Belarus. To enable the Committee in its analysis, I am now writing to request Belarus to address the following question: Could the Presidential Decree of 23 November 2013 change the site selected by the Decree of 2011 on the location?

Please provide the above information in English to the secretariat as soon as possible and no later than 31 May 2015 for its consideration in completing its analysis.

Yours sincerely,

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