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Mr. Juan Manuel García Bartolomé Head of Information Service Technical General Secretariat Ministry of the Environment and Rural and Marine Affairs Calle Alfonso XII ,56 E-28071 Madrid

Dear Mr. García Bartolomé,

Re: Communication to the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee concerning compliance by Spain with the provisions of the Convention in connection with decision-making on a residential development project in the city of Murcia, Spain (Ref. ACCC/C/2008/24)

Please find enclosed the draft findings of the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee regarding communication ACCC/C/2008/24. The draft was prepared by the Committee at its twenty-fifth meeting (Geneva, 22-25 September 2009), after taking into consideration further information provided by the communicant concerning a resolution of the Constitutional Court of Spain dated 9 September 2009. A few points remained outstanding and the Committee agreed to use its electronic decision-making procedure to complete the draft.

The draft is now being forwarded at the request of the Committee for your consideration and possible comments pursuant to paragraph 34 of the annex to decision I/7. We would be grateful if you would provide any comments by 11 December 2009.

The Committee intends to finalize and adopt the findings at its twenty-sixth meeting (Geneva, 15-18 December 2009).

Should you have any questions with regard to the procedure, please do not hesitate to contact the secretariat.

Yours, sincerely,

Jeremy Wates

Secretary

Convention on Access to Information, Public Participation in Decision-making and Access to Justice in Environmental Matters

Cc: Ms. Fe Sanchis Moreno, Mr. Salazar Ortuño, Asociación para la Justicia Ambiental (AJA)

Encs. Draft findings on communication ACCC/C/2008/24