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Draft findings and recommendations with regard to communication ACCC/C/2013/92 concerning compliance by Germany Your message, sent on 18 November 2016 by email

Berlin, 20.01.2017

Dear Ms. Marshall,

Germany was invited to comment on the draft findings and recommendations with regard to communication ACCC/C/2013/92 concerning compliance by Germany.

The Committee has granted our request to extend the deadline for a response to 20 January 2017. We are very grateful for this extension.

Please find enclosed the comments of the Federal Republic of Germany on the draft findings and recommendations.

Furthermore please confirm the receipt of this message sent by email only. If we will not receive a positive reply until the end of the forthcoming week, we will submit our response as well by standard mail.

Yours sincerely,

For the Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety

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