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In response to the request, expressed in a letter dated 03/09/2013 to provide information and about the admissibility of using the project of changing the study of conditions and directions of spatial development of the Municipality of Bakalarzewo by indicating the area of deployment the before mentioned public-purpose investment in the area of Bakalarzewo Municipality (next "study"), to the comments taken into consideration by the Municipality Head in the ordinance no. 30/2013 of 28/05/2013 about carrying out the above power line as an underground line, hereby we inform that I do not allow such a possibility because it is not only impossible to implement, but

also inconsistent with the permits and agreements obtained in this regard as well as design and operational assumptions.

We would also like to remind you once again that in accordance with the commonly accepted practice, 400 kV power lines in cable technology are built in exceptional cases, usually in urban compact buildings. They create much greater problems with the use of adjacent terrain compared to overhead lines. For this reason, Polskie Sieci Elektroenergetyczne in their plans for the development of transmission networks did not take into account the variant of the construction of the Ełk - RP Poland power line as a cable line, because this solution is legally impossible as well as technically and technologically unjustified. The concept of the power line as an overhead line is in line with international agreements and results from specialist expert opinions that explicitly rejected the possibility of constructing the subject energy connection in cable technology.

These expertises were used in public debates and the authorities of the municipality of Bakalarzewo have knowledge about the impossibility of such a solution.

Of particular importance is the unambiguous resolution of the variant implementation of the line by the Regional Director for Environmental Protection in Białystok issued on 4 July 2013 of the decision on environmental conditions after the environmental impact assessment of the project under which the cable variant was rejected.

The Council of the Commune of Bakalarzewo with Resolution No. XII / 61/11 of December 28, 2011 and resolution No. XVII / 109/2012 of June 26, 2012 proceeded to change the study and to prepare a local spatial development plan for the overhead line. In the course of long-term planning procedures, this investment was the subject of numerous additional proceedings, as a result of which, as an overhead, it reestablished a number of permits and agreements, and none of the authorized bodies spoke negative about the safety of this line for human life and health.

Comments on the project of the study are without substantive grounds, because they refer to issues that should not be the subject of comments, as well as contradict the opinions obtained from bodies authorized to evaluate.

Considering the above-mentioned issues and the fact that the double-circuit 400 kV overhead power line Elk - the Polish border has obtained positive agreements of all bodies involved in the planning process, it is not possible to completely change the project and operating assumptions and thus implement the investment in breach of the obtained decision about environmental conditions.

Sincerely

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