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Dear Ms. Marshall

We present a reference to the responses of the interested party (Polish government) of 07 April 2019. in ACCC / C / 2015/126.

The allegation that the Ełk-Alytus power line was built up to 4 times the power provided in the documentation is clearly described in the previously attached annex. However, the Polish government has some difficulties in understanding its content, describing in response the power of the "1600kV" line, where the power of power lines is described in megawatts (MW). This is a kind of mockery from the Commissar and the Compliance Committee of Aarhus regarding the allegations and supporting evidence we present.

With regard to the development of the power and power of the Litpol Link acquisition.

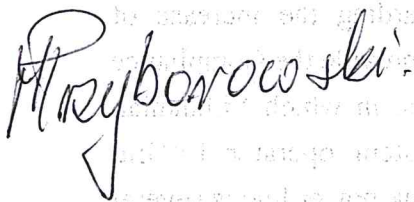
We are surprised that the Ministry of the Environment of the Republic of Poland claims that there is no information from the Republic of Lithuania regarding the increase of transmission capacity and the power of LitPol Link. We would like to provide the Compliance Committee with an English translation of one of the last press texts, in which Lithuanian authorities and representatives of the Lithuanian transmission system operator LitGrid explicitly and explicitly confirmed that the real power of the LitPol Link power line is several times higher than specified in the issued permits, including the disputed EIA documents. The Polish government continues to hide this information from the local community affected by the investment. Therefore, if the Polish authorities had previously had problems with getting to know these facts from the original Lithuanian version of the article (submitted by us as Annex 4 with our previous communication of 17/02/2019), we hope that the English version will also help them.

In addition, we would like to present the **PROTOCOL OF THE LITGRID AB BOARD MEETING** of 15 February 2019. No. 3 (access 11/04/2019 via the website <https://ml-eu.globenewswire.com>, Lithuanian and English versions). Attached are Lithuanian and English versions of the document, which prove that work on the LitPol Link power lines and power development is underway. It is hard to believe that the Polish government is not aware of this activity and further plans, because LitPol Link is one and the same infrastructure operating both in Poland and Lithuania. This is another proof of concealing information from the public. We would like to note that the European Commission has ensured the coordination and financing of the project for synchronizing the electricity networks of the Baltic States with continental Europe.

In the letter, the interested party maintains that the public consultation was carried out twice by the voivode of Podlasie, but did not provide the Compliance Committee with any evidence regarding the consultation on the cable variant during the EIA procedure, or by the Podlasie Voivode for which the Compliance Committee requested from the interested party at the outset ACCC procedures. The construction technology of the OHL 2x400kV line was imposed by the investor and government bodies in advance.

The presented legal opinion confirms the manipulation of the authorities related to the spatial planning procedure of the power line. There you can read how to effectively carry out the planning procedure so that no one stops the construction. Government bodies and courts rejected any allegations of the local community regardless of what they were concerned with. Sometimes they stopped the appeal procedures to build a line and not lose EU funds. We continue to uphold all our allegations regarding the OHL 2x400kV line.

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Annex:

1. **Annex 4 - Information regarding OHL capacity_EN**
2. **LitGrid_2019-02-15-valdybos-posiedzio-nr-3-protokol**
3. **Litgrid-protocol-2019-02-15-board-meeting-nr-3-en**