

**From:** ECE-Aarhus-Compliance

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**To:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:** Communication to the Compliance Committee concerning Denmark

Dear Mr Sørensen,

I refer to your letter of 18 January 2019.

With respect to the availability of domestic remedies, in your letter you explain that you did not challenge the decision of the Environmental Appeals Board in the court because, among other reasons, being a retired person with very little income bringing the case to court would not have been an option for you.

The Chair of the Committee has asked me to invite you to provide the following information to support your above reply:

1. What would have been the cost for you to appeal the decision of the Environmental Appeals Board in court (e.g. court filing fees etc)? Would you have been required to be represented by a lawyer? If so, would you have been eligible for legal aid or other legal assistance?
2. If you had appealed the decision of the Environmental Appeals Board in court and lost, what is the possible amount, if any, of costs that might have been awarded against you? If costs may indeed have been awarded against you, please provide some examples of the amounts of recent costs awards in similar cases.
3. If you had appealed the decision of the Environmental Appeals Board in court and lost, could you then appeal that first court decision to a higher court? If yes, could the higher court also have awarded costs against you and if so, what are some examples of recent costs awards ordered by the higher court in similar cases?

We would be most grateful if you could provide your brief replies to the above questions by **next Wednesday, 6 February 2019**. If you consider that you would need a longer time to prepare your reply, please let us know.

Please do not hesitate to contact the secretariat if you have any questions regarding the above.

Kind regards,  
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