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XX Act: Amendment to the Vienna Environmental Information Act 2016; as amended [CELEX No 32003L0004]

Act by which the access to information about the environment is amended (Amendment to the Vienna Environmental Information Act 2016 / Wiener Umweltinformationsgesetz-Novelle 2016/Wr. UIG-Novelle 2016)

The Provincial Council of Vienna has resolved:

Article I

The Act on access to information about the environment, Provincial Law Gazette for Vienna No 15/2001 last amended by Provincial Law Gazette for Vienna No 31/2013 shall be amended as follows:

- 1. In section 5 para. 1 the following sentence shall be added:
- "If this clarification order is complied with, the request is considered to have been submitted on the day of the more precisely worded application at the agency obligated to provide information."
- 2. Section 5 para. 7 shall be deleted.
- 3. Section 6 para. 2 (1) shall read as follows:
 - "1. international relations, the maintenance of public security or comprehensive national defence;"
- 4. In Section 6 para. 2 (3) the wording "Data Protection Act 2000 (DSG 2000) Federal Law Gazette I No 165/1999" ["Datenschutzgesetzes 2000 (DSG 2000), BGBL. I No 165/1999"] shall be replaced by the wording "Data Protection Act 2000 (DSG 2000) Federal Law Gazette I No 165/1999 as amended by Federal Law Gazette I No 83/2013)" ["Datenschutzgesetzes 2000 (DSG 2000), BGBl. I Nr. 165/1999 in der Fassung BGBl I Nr. 83/2013"].
- 5. Section 9, para. 1, first sentence, shall read as follows:

"If the environmental information requested is not at all or only to an insufficient extent provided, a decree shall be issued on this fact without undue delay, but two months after receipt of the request for information, at the latest."

6. In Section 11 para. 3 the wording "Data Protection Act 2000 (DSG 2000) [Federal Law Gazette I No 165/1999" ["Datenschutzgesetz 2000 (DSG 2000), BGBL. I No 165/1999"] shall be replaced by the wording "Data Protection Act 2000 (DSG 2000) Federal Law Gazette I No 165/1999 as amended by Federal Law Gazette I No 83/2013" ["Datenschutzgesetz 2000 (DSG 2000), BGBl. I Nr. 165/1999 in der Fassung BGBl I Nr. 83/2013"]

Article II

This Act shall enter into force upon the day following its announcement.

The Provincial Governor

The Director of the Office of the Federal
Province