

Annex 1

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About the provision of environmental information

The Ministry of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection of the Republic of Belarus (hereinafter — the Ministry of Natural Resources) considered the application of the Ecohome NGO on the provision of environmental information on the implementation of the recommendations of the Compliance Committee of the Aarhus Convention (hereinafter - the Compliance Committee) indicated therein and reports the following.

On the issue of taking measures to implement par. 113 of the conclusions and recommendations from the ACCC/C/2014/102 regarding Belarus' compliance with the Convention, as well as additional measures aimed at lifting the entry ban on Andrei Ozharovsky and cancelling of decisions on administrative responsibility in relation to Tatyana Novikova, Irina Sukhiy and Mikhail Mitskevich, the Ministry of Natural Resources held an interdepartmental events. Thus, the Ministry of Natural Resources sent appropriate letters to the Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Republic of Belarus dated March 1, 2020, №3-2-34/944 and March 17, 2020 №3-2-34/1271.

In addition, on October 30, 2019, the Ministry of Natural Resources submitted an interim report to the Compliance Committee on measures taken in the Republic of Belarus to implement Decision VI/8c (attached).

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First Deputy Minister

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