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Good morning, Ella and Fiona,

I am forwarding Resolution No. 14354 of 15 August 2015, translated into Russian, and also the Regulations on the Commission for reviewing materials on the registration of religious organizations and public associations at the Ministry *Adalat* (Ministry of Justice) of Turkmenistan. Work is continuing on the Public Associations Act to bring it into compliance with the Aarhus Convention: it is being actively discussed in Parliament, at the Ministry of Agriculture and Environmental Protection and at the Ministry of Justice. We are hoping for a positive outcome. However, at the moment it is difficult to tell you anything concrete about the timescales involved. We'll let you know about any significant progress.

With best wishes,

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