Dear Ms. Daniela,

I am writing to you on behalf of the Implementation Committee under the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) in a Transboundary Context (Espoo, 1991).

At its sixteenth session, held in Berlin from 10 to 12 March 2009, the Committee examined your letter received on 13 February 2009, in reply to my letter to you on 24 November 2008.

The Committee asked that I express the Committee’s thanks for your letter and to inform the Government of Romania that the Committee was satisfied with the clarification provided.

The Committee also requested your agreement that the correspondence between the Committee and your Government be placed on the Convention’s website. Similar correspondence between the Committee and Parties has already been placed at http://www.unece.org/env/eia/implementation/implementation_committee_letters.htm, as illustration of the Committee’s approach to a specific compliance issue and of a proper and sufficient response from a Party to address the issue.

Yours sincerely,

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Chair, Implementation Committee,
Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context

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