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Dear Ms. Morgan,

Dear Mr. Meaden, Mr. Ewing,

Re: Communications to the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee concerning compliance by the United Kingdom with provisions of the Convention (Ref. ACCC/C/2010/45 and ACCC/C/2011/60)

Please find enclosed the draft findings of the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee regarding communications ACCC/C/2010/45 joined with ACCC/G/2011/60. The Committee completed its work on the draft findings in closed session at its fortieth meeting (Geneva, 25-28 March 2013).

The draft findings are now sent both to the Party concerned and the communicants for comments pursuant to paragraph 34 of the annex to decision I/7. You are invited to reply with your comments by 29 May 2013. In finalizing the findings on its forty-fist session (25-28 June 2013), the Committee will take into account any comments you submit on the draft by the set deadline.

Should you have any questions with regard to the procedure, please do not hesitate to contact the secretariat.

Yours sincerely,

Aphrodite Smagadi

Secretary to the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee

Cc: Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva

Enc Draft findings on communications ACCC/C/2010/45 and ACCC/C/2011/60