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;”


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.”


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