**Our Ref: PCI0003**

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Date: 15th July 2020

Dear Mr. Tuite,

As you are aware the concept for public participation was approved by letter dated 6th July 2020. The next steps in the PCI process are under Article 10.4(a) and (b) of the EU Regulation 347/2013.

**Scope of Material/Level of Detail**

Article 10.4(a) of the Regulation provides that the Competent Authority (CA) shall identify, in close co-operation with the other authorities concerned, the scope of material and level of detail of information to be submitted by the project promoter as part of the application file.

The Regulation provides that this may be done on the basis of a proposal by the project promotor. Out Manual of Permit Granting Process Procedures (page 20) states that we, as CA, will generally proceed by seeking such a proposal.

**Detailed Schedule**

Article 10.4(b) provides that the CA shall draw up, in close co-operation with the project promotor and other authorities concerned and taking into account the results of the activities carried out under point (a), a detailed schedule for the permit granting process in line with the guidelines set out in Annex VI(2).

You are now being asked as project promoter to submit a proposal in relation to the scope of material/level of detail and an input into the detailed schedule in order for us to circulate to all authorities concerned.

Yours Sincerely,

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Executive Officer

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