

NOTIFICATION TO AN AFFECTED PARTY OF A PROPOSED ACTIVITY UNDER ARTICLE 3 OF THE CONVENTION

Abbreviations:

PEC: Preliminary Environmental Consultation
 CCGT: Combined Cycled Gas Turbine
 Combined EIA&IPPC: Combined Environmental Impact Assessment and Industrial Pollution Prevention and Control Documentation.

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1. INFORMATION ON THE PROPOSED ACTIVITY	
(i) Information on the nature of the proposed activity	
Type of activity proposed	Combined cycled gas fired power plant. Please refer to Section 1.3 of the PEC Report.
Is the proposed activity listed in Appendix I to the Convention?	Yes. Please refer to Section 4.8 of the PEC Report.
Scope of proposed activity (e.g. main activity and any/all peripheral activities requiring assessment)	<p>Main and ancillary activities/facilities on Site:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combined cycled gas fired power plant including hybrid cooling system; • Oil storage facility; • High voltage switchyard. <p>Offsite ancillary activities/facilities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water intake/discharge pipes from/to River Tisza at Algyo, Hungary • Overhead high voltage electrical transmission lines to connect to an existing substation at Sandorfalva, Hungary • Underground natural gas supply pipeline to connect to the national distribution system at Kiskundorozsma, Hungary <p>The proposed activity and ancillary activities/facilities will be implemented in Hungary to the north of city of Szeged. For the above offsite activities Preliminary Environmental Assessments are to be prepared and submitted under</p>

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	separate permitting procedures. Please refer to Sections 3.6.3 and 3.6.4 of the PEC Report
Scale of proposed activity (e.g. size, production capacity, etc.)	Please refer to Section 3.1 of the PEC Report.
Description of proposed activity (e.g. technology used)	Please refer to Section 3.6 of the PEC Report.
Description of purpose of proposed activity	Please refer to Section 1.4 of the PEC Report.
Rationale for proposed activity (e.g. socio-economic, physical geographic basis)	Please refer to Sections 1.5 and 4.7 of the PEC Report.
Additional information/comments	-
(ii) Information on the spatial and temporal boundaries of the proposed activity	
Location+	Szeged, Plot No. 01416/17 Hungary, Szeged Industrial and Logistic Park Please refer to Section 1.5 of the PEC Report.
Description of the location (e.g. physical-geographic, socio-economic characteristics)	Please refer to Sections 1.5, 2. and 4.7 of the PEC Report.
Rationale for location of proposed activity (e.g. socio-economic, physical-geographic basis)	Please refer to Sections 1.5 and 4.7 of the PEC Report.
Time-frame for proposed activity (e.g. start and duration of construction and operation)	Please refer to Section 3.4 of the PEC Report.
Maps and other pictorial documents connected with the information on the proposed activity	Please refer to Annex 4 to the PEC Report.
Additional information/comments	-
(iii) Information on expected environmental impacts and proposed mitigation measures	
Scope of assessment (e.g. consideration of: cumulative impacts, evaluation of alternatives, sustainable development issues, impact of peripheral activities, etc.)	Please refer to Section 4 of the PEC Report.
Expected environmental impacts of proposed activity (e.g. types, locations, magnitudes)	Please refer to Section 4 of the PEC Report.
Inputs (e.g. raw material, power sources, etc.)	Please refer to Section 3.6.5 of the PEC Report.
Outputs (e.g. amounts and types of: emissions into the atmosphere, discharges into the water system, solid waste)	Please refer to Sections 3.6.5 and 4 of the PEC Report.
Transboundary impacts (e.g. types, locations, magnitudes)	Please refer to Section 4.8 of the PEC Report.
Proposed mitigation measures (e.g. if known, mitigation measures)	It is partially included in the PEC documentation. It will be

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to prevent, eliminate, minimize, compensate for environmental effects)	designed in detail and included in the EIA&IPPC application file. Please refer to Section 4 of the PEC Report.
Additional information/comments	-
(iv) Proponent/developer	
Name, address, telephone and fax numbers	Please refer to Sections 1.2 of the PEC Report. Company name: Szeged Energia Zrt. Address: H-6728 Szeged, Budapesti ut 34. PHONE No.: +421-2-544-18-768 FAX No.: +421-2-544-18-774 Responsible representative: Mr. Adrian Bobula Hungarian contact: Mr. Mihaly Szocs PHONE No.: +3630-943-42-60
(v) EIA documentation	
Is the EIA documentation (e.g. EIA report or EIS) included in the notification?	NO. Only the Preliminary Environmental Consultation (PEC) documentation which is a voluntarily prepared and submitted document, in Hungary.
If no/partial, description of additional documentation to be forwarded and (approximate) date(s) when documentation will be available	The combined full EIA and IPPC Permit documentation will be prepared and available by approximately June 2011.
Additional information/comments	-
2. POINTS OF CONTACT	
(i) Points of contact for the possible affected Party or Parties	
Authority responsible for coordinating activities relating to the EIA (refer to decision I/3, appendix) - Name, address, telephone and fax numbers	Mr. Aleksandar VESIC Head of EIA Department Ministry of Science and Environmental Protection 1 Omladinskih Brigada Str. 11070 Belgrade Tel: +381.11.3131356

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List of affected Parties to which notification is being sent	Serbia
(ii) Points of contact for the Party of origin	
Authority responsible for coordinating activities relating to the EIA (refer to decision I/3, appendix) - Name, address, telephone and fax numbers	Ms Virág Pomozi Head of EIA Unit Ministry of Rural Development H-1011 Budapest, Fő utca 44-50. Telephone: + 36 1 457 3387 Fax: + 36 1 201 3764 E -mail: virag.pomozi@vm.gov.hu
Decision-making authority if different than authority responsible for coordinating activities relating to the EIA - Name, address, telephone and fax numbers	Ms. Tímea Némethy Director Low-Tisza -District Inspectorate for Environment, Nature and Water (Alsó-Tisza-vidéki Környezetvédelmi, Természetvédelmi és Vízügyi Felügyelőség) H-6721 Szeged, Felső Tisza-part 17. Telephone: +36 62 553 060 Fax: +36 62 553-068 e-mail: nemethy@atvktvf.kvvm.hu
3. INFORMATION ON THE EIA PROCESS IN THE COUNTRY WHERE THE PROPOSED ACTIVITY IS LOCATED	
(i) Information on the EIA process that will be applied to the proposed activity	
Time schedule	The procedure started on 4 th of November 2010. The authority has to make its decision by 17 th of December 2010, however, the transboundary part of the EIA procedure is not counted to the deadline.
Opportunities for the affected Party or Parties to be involved in	Serbia, as a potentially affected Party has the opportunity

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the EIA process	to make comments on the Preliminary Assessment Documentation. The Serbian public has the same opportunities as the Hungarian public, namely the Preliminary Assessment Documentation is disseminated for 21 days for making comments.
Opportunities for the affected Party or Parties to review and comment on the notification and the EIA documentation	Serbia, as a potentially affected Party has the opportunity to make comments on the Preliminary Assessment Documentation and determines key environmental issues to be assessed in the EIA documentation. The Serbian public has the same opportunities as the Hungarian public, namely the Preliminary Assessment Documentation has to be disseminated for 21 days for making comments.
Nature and timing of the possible decision	Recently the preliminary assessment procedure has been started at the competent Hungarian environmental authority. During the preliminary assessment procedure the competent environmental authority determines key environmental issues to be assessed in the EIA documentation. Whereas during the EIA procedure the competent environmental authority decides on issuing environmental permit, based on the submitted documentation, the standpoint of the special co-authorities, the comments of the public, and in case of Espoo procedure on the comments of the affected country, as well.
Process for approval of the proposed activity	The Hungarian the EIA procedure has two phases. The first covers both the screening and scoping phase (preliminary assessment procedure), the second one is the Environmental Impact Assessment procedure (EIA procedure) itself. The

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	activities listed in Appendix I to the Espoo Convention require a full EIA procedure. Since the proposed activity (CCGT Power Plant) is listed in Appendix I to the Convention, the EIA procedure is mandatory.
Additional information/comments	=
4. INFORMATION ON THE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS IN THE COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	
Public participation procedures	<p>During the scoping phase of the EIA procedure the public has the right to make written comments on the Preliminary Impact Study.</p> <p>The Preliminary Assessment Documentation will be putting to the competent Hungarian Environmental Authority's web site for 21 days in order to make it available to the public for comments.</p>
Expected start and duration of public consultation	The Preliminary Assessment Documentation will be putting to the competent Hungarian Environmental Authority's web site for 21 days in order to make it available to the public for comments.
Additional information/comments	<p>Public consultation and information will be carried out in accordance with the Hungarian legal requirements for EIA and IPPC permit applications.</p> <p>In addition, the Developer is engaging in positive actions to meet and consult with local municipal officials, local communities, Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) and other stakeholders. Key project documents and other information are available at www.szeged-energia.com.</p>
5. DEADLINE FOR RESPONSE	
Date	17th of December 2010 ; 14 th of February 2011

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