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The Ministry of Climate of the Republic of Estonia

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Regarding updated information on the municipal designated spatial plan and strategic environmental assessment procedure for the final storage site of radioactive waste in Estonia

The Environment State Bureau (hereinafter – the Bureau), acting as a Point of Contact of Latvia regarding Notification in accordance with Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context and Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment (hereinafter – the Espoo Protocol) and the competent authority on the strategic environmental assessment (hereinafter – the SEA) in Latvia, would like to express gratitude to the Ministry of Climate of the Republic of Estonia for updated information¹ concerning the development of the Municipal designated spatial plan and SEA procedure for the final storage site of radioactive waste in Estonia, Lääne-Harju Rural Municipality (hereinafter – the Planning document).

Considering the nature and scope of the Planning document and the possibility of transboundary impacts, as well as opinions expressed by the involved authorities, we hereby inform that Latvia would like to be notified regarding the Planning document and it's SEA according to the Espoo Protocol.

Yours sincerely,

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¹ The Bureau's registration No 4-04/1836/2024 on 19 June 2024.