

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

1. INFORMATION ON THE PROPOSED ACTIVITY	
(i) Information on the nature of the proposed activity	
Type of activity proposed	The National spatial plan for reconstruction of hydropower plants Hrastje Mota on the river Mura
Is the proposed activity listed in Appendix I to the Convention?	Large dams and reservoirs.
Scope of proposed activity (e.g. main activity and any/all peripheral activities requiring assessment)	Hydropower plants Hrastje Mota on the river Mura.
Scale of proposed activity (e.g. size, production capacity, etc.)	See The National spatial plan for reconstruction of hydropower plants Hrastje Mota on the river Mura.
Description of proposed activity (e.g. technology used)	/
Description of purpose of proposed activity	The National spatial plan for reconstruction of hydropower plants Hrastje Mota on river Mura will improve a production of renewable energy.
Rationale for proposed activity (e.g. socio-economic, physical geographic basis)	- competitiveness of the economy and society, and available and accessible renewable energy source, - environmental sustainability .
Additional information/comments	/
(ii) Information on the spatial and temporal boundaries of the proposed activity	
Location+	The territory of the Republic of Slovenia
Description of the location (e.g. physical-geographic, socio-economic characteristics)	/
Rationale for location of proposed activity (e.g. socio-economic, physical-geographic basis)	Location depends on: - Effects on the social environment. - Positive impact on the economy of the municipalities along Mura river. - Utilization of gross energy potential of Mura river. - Potential impacts on the environment, e.g. Natura 2000 sites, groundwater....
Time-frame for proposed activity (e.g. start and duration of construction and operation)	/
Maps and other pictorial documents connected with the information on the proposed activity	/
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.)	/
Expected environmental impacts of proposed activity (e.g. types, locations, magnitudes)	<p>Possible impacts of plan might be on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Air - Water - Nature - Cultural heritage - Climate change - Landscape - Health - Material goods <p>Possible impacts will be studied in The SEA Report during SEA process.</p>
Inputs (e.g. raw material, power sources, etc.)	/
Outputs (e.g. amounts and types of: emissions into the atmosphere, discharges into the water system, solid waste)	/
Transboundary impacts (e.g. types, locations, magnitudes)	<p>Possible cross-border impacts on Republic of Austria might be determined because of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Construction of hydropower plants Hrastje Mota on the river Mura.
Proposed mitigation measures (e.g. if known, mitigation measures to prevent, eliminate, minimize, compensate for environmental effects)	Will be given during SEA process, in The SEA Report.
Additional information/comments	/
(iv) Proponent/developer	
Name, address, telephone and fax numbers	<p>Ministry of Economic development and technology Kotnikova 5, SI-1000 Ljubljana Slovenia</p> <p>Telephone: +386 1 400 33 11 Fax: +386 1 433 10 31 E-mail: gp.mg(at)gov.si</p>
(v) EIA documentation	

Is the EIA documentation (e.g. EIA report or EIS) included in the notification?	No. The National spatial plan for reconstruction of hydropower plants Hrastje Mota on the river Mura is at programme level.
If no/partial, description of additional documentation to be forwarded and (approximate) date(s) when documentation will be available	The National spatial plan for reconstruction of hydropower plants Hrastje Mota on the river Mura is attached.
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/SEA (refer to decision I/3, appendix) - Name, address, telephone and fax numbers	/
List of affected Parties to which notification is being sent	Republic of Austria
(ii) Points of contact for the Party of origin	
Authority responsible for coordinating activities relating to the EIA/SEA (refer to decision I/3, appendix) - Name, address, telephone and fax numbers	Ministry of Agriculture and the Environment Dunajska 22 SI-1000 Ljubljana Slovenia M. Sc. Vesna Kolar Planinšič Tel: +386 01 478 7329 Fax: +386 01 478 9021 E-mail: gp.mko(at)gov.si
Decision-making authority if different than authority responsible for coordinating activities relating to the EIA/SEA - Name, address, telephone and fax numbers	The National spatial plan for reconstruction of hydropower plants Hrastje Mota on the river Mura will be treated within the Government and Parliament procedure.
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	EIA will be applied in the future within the implementation of The National spatial plan for reconstruction of hydropower plants Hrastje Mota on the river Mura.
Opportunities for the affected Party or Parties to be involved in the EIA process	
Opportunities for the affected Party or Parties to review and comment on the notification and the EIA documentation	

Nature and timing of the possible decision	
Process for approval of the proposed activity	
Additional information/comments	
4. INFORMATION ON THE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS IN THE COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	
Public participation procedures	Will be held in the future during SEA process.
Expected start and duration of public consultation	/
Additional information/comments	/
5. DEADLINE FOR RESPONSE	
Date	1 month