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Dear Madam/Sir,

According to the information of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection of the Republic of Belarus, the preparation of the replies to the questions of the Compliance Committee under the Aarhus Convention on submission ACCC/S/2015/2 requires the involvement of other competent authorities, as well as extensive analytical work on events and documents that have taken place since 2010. The period for the preparation of the replies is not sufficient.

On behalf of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection, we ask the Committee to extend the period for sending the replies and express the readiness to provide the Committee with the necessary information by its 59th meeting scheduled for 11-15 December 2017.

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