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Subject: Preparation hearings EIA Mochovce 3,4

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Dear Mr. Ruzzini,

Greenpeace received during the last days a document that was produced in your company concerning the preparation of the public hearing for the EIA of the Mochovce 3,4 nuclear reactor project. A copy is attached to this letter.

We have been shocked by the content of this document, because it clearly sets out steps to manipulate the process.

We therefore ask you for an official clarification.

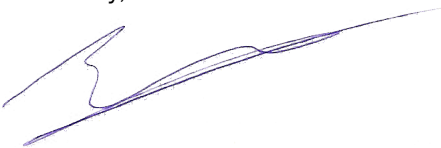
More specifically we ask you:

1. Will there be next to the public hearing in Bratislava also a public hearings in the region around Mochovce, minimally in Kalná nad Hronom and Levice?
2. Will there be public hearings under the Espoo Convention in Hungary and Austria?
3. Will SE and ENEL refrain from any interference with the organisation of the public hearings as is required under the Aarhus Convention?
4. Will SE and ENEL refrain from long speeches and introductions during the hearings that serve to promote the project and take care that also no-one else will do this in order to give the public a pressure-free chance to express its views and opinions, as is required under the Aarhus Convention?
5. Can SE and ENEL guarantee that the hearings are open to everybody who has the intent to express his or her opinion or view or raise questions about the Mochovce 3,4 nuclear reactors? Can SE and ENEL guarantee that anyone of the public can do so without having to be registered in order to prevent any pressure on the public? Can SE and ENEL guarantee that there will be enough space for the public?
6. Can SE and ENEL guarantee that they will not organise own employees to attend the hearings other than out of own free will because they have genuine concerns, opinions, views and questions, and this under comparable circumstances as other members of the public (i.e. without granting special leave from work, without special transport arrangements)?
7. Can SE and ENEL guarantee that it will be the responsible authority (i.e. the obec and the respective Ministries of Environment) that will take care of recording the hearings and producing independent minutes without interference by SE and ENEL?

8. Can SE and ENEL guarantee that each interested member of the press has access to the entire hearings without any interference into their independence or without any form of pressure?
9. Can SE and ENEL guarantee that the public may use every non-violent means of communication during the hearings to express its concerns, opinions and views and ask its questions without interference of security personnel or any other form of pressure?
10. Can SE and ENEL guarantee they will refrain from organising staged 'demonstrations' of WONUC or others and that the public is free to express its opinion also in other non-violent ways in and around hearing places, as is in line with the European Convention on Human Rights?
11. Can SE and ENEL guarantee that the hearings will be facilitated (not controlled!) by an independent facilitator, who has no conflict of interest with SE, ENEL, the Mochovce 3,4 project or the nuclear sector?
12. Can SE and ENEL guarantee that each member of the public who wishes to express his or her concern, opinion, viewpoint or ask his or her questions can do so in the form that he or she sees fit without any restriction?
13. Can SE and ENEL guarantee that members of the public who wish to express their concerns, opinions, viewpoints or ask questions anonymously, can do so without restriction?
14. Can SE and ENEL guarantee they will not abuse the space of the hearings for answering other questions than questions of clarification or for declarations, but use the hearings for their official purpose: collection of opinions, viewpoints and questions concerning the Mochovce 3,4 nuclear reactor project.
15. Can SE and ENEL guarantee that invited guests will only participate as interested observers and not as instruments of pressure on the public?

We would like to receive an answer on these questions at least 48 hours before any hearing is to take place.

Sincerely,



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