

**Aktionsbündnis
gegen eine feste
Fehmarnbeltquerung e.V.**



Minister for the Environment
Ms. K. Brosbøl
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Fehmarn Belt Fixed Link Crossing (the Project)

German Transboundary Participation in the EIA for the Danish Tunnel Project in accordance with the Espoo Convention

Enquiry on Evaluation Status

Dear Madam,

In accordance with Article 3, para.6 of the Espoo Convention and duly invited through public announcement dated 2nd July 2013, the German public likely to be affected by the Project was provided with an opportunity to comment on the EIA of the development measures proposed by the Danish developer Femern A/S..

In spite of the scant EIA documentation provided to the German public, the latter took great interest in the EIA procedure and the conclusions presented therein. This is reflected by the 396 German representations hand-delivered to the Ministry of Transport, on 3rd of October 2013. In this connection, kindly note: By commenting on the Danish Espoo documentation, the German participants in the procedure by no means waived their protests against the manner by which the Danish authorities discriminated against the German public's rights for full information equivalent to that of the Danish public.

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Four months have elapsed since we submitted our numerous representations at Copenhagen. As you may imagine, we are keen to learn about the status of your Ministry's evaluation of the numerous German comments on the Danish EIA documentation.

Therefore, we kindly request you to inform us, at your earliest convenience, of whether the evaluation has been finalised and at what conclusions it arrived. Else, we would be grateful for being provided with a status report and outlook on when final evaluation results could be expected.

Yours sincerely

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