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Special Mention for “Preservation of a unique landscape under threat”
of the Landscape Award of the European Landscape Convention to the organisers of the project:*

Hriňovské lazy: landscape of values
Town of Hriňová, Slovak Republic

“Hriňovské lazy: landscape of values” testifies to the ability of the local community to shape the destiny of its everyday landscape, which offers breathtaking features. Its long narrow furlongs for cultivation are amongst the few remaining in Europe. The result links the fundamental dimensions of the landscape: cultural, economic, ecological and social.

Thorbjørn Jagland, Secretary General