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CONVENTION ON THE CONSERVATION OF EUROPEAN WILDLIFE AND NATURAL HABITATS

Standing Committee

41st meeting Strasbourg, 30 November – 3 December 2021

Other Complaint: 2018/5

Alleged threats to the Emerald network sites "Skhidnyi Svydovets" (UA 0000259), "Marmaroski ta Chyvchyno-Hryniavski Hory" (UA 0000117) and "Carpathian Biosphere Reserve" (UA 0000006) (Ukraine)

- REPORT BY THE COMPLAINANT -

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Ursula Sticker Secretary of the Bern Convention

Kyiv, 24 February 2021

Subject: Complaint No. 2018/5: Other complaint: Alleged threats to the Emerald Network sites Skhidnyi Svydovets, Marmaroski ta Chyvchyno-Hryniavski Hory and Carpathian biosphere Reserve

Dear Ms Ursula,

No further movement concerning this complaint was observed. The planned project (Svydovets ski resort) was neither rejected nor implemented further. The EIA of the project is still on the early stage. At the same time, authorities from the Transcarpathian regional administration still demonstrate willingness to support implementation of the project, while authorities from the central governmental bodiesremain passive.

Therefore, the threat to Emerald Network sites still exists.

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Thanks.

Kind regards,
Oleksii Vasyliuk, UNCG