



MINISTER FOR THE ENVIRONMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA

ORDER

ON THE ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF THE ENVIRONMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA OF 31 OCTOBER 2017 NO. D1-885 "ON THE APPROVAL OF THE DESCRIPTION OF THE PROCEDURE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT OF PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES"

23 May 2023 No D1-157
Vilnius

1. I amend the Order of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania No D1-885 of 31 October 2017 "On the Approval of the Description of the Procedure for the Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities" and reword it:

"MINISTER FOR THE ENVIRONMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA

ORDER

ON THE ADOPTION OF THE DESCRIPTIONS OF PROCEDURES FOR THE ASSESSMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES

Vadovaudamasis Lietuvos Respublikos planuojamos ūkinės veiklos poveikio aplinkai vertinimo įstatymo 5 straipsnio 1 ir 2 dalimis, 6 straipsnio 1–4, 6 ir 7 dalimis, 8 straipsnio 3, 4, 6 ir 10 dalimis, 9 straipsnio 2 ir 3 dalimis, 10 straipsnio 5, 8, 9, 11, 12 ir 14 dalimis, 11 straipsnio 1, 3, 4, 5, 8 ir 10 dalimis, 12 straipsnio 2, 8–14, 16 ir 17 dalimis, 14 straipsnio 2 dalimi, Lietuvos Respublikos aplinkos apsaugos įstatymu ir įgyvendindamas 2011 m. Directive 2011/92/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 December 2011 on the assessment of the effects of certain public and private projects on the environment (codified version), as amended by Directive 2014/52/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014, and the 1991 United Nations Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context:

1. The T v i r t i n u a l a d d d i t i o n :

1.1. a description of the procedures for carrying out the environmental impact assessment of the planned economic activity;

1.2. a description of the procedure for the preparation of environmental impact assessment documents for planned economic activities;

1.3. a description of the procedures for carrying out the transboundary environmental impact assessment of planned economic activities;

1.4. a description of the procedure for public information and participation in the environmental impact assessment process for planned economic activities.

2. I hereby declare myself to be an environmental impact assessment body as a protected areas authority authorised by the Minister of the Environment, as referred to in Article 5(1)(2)(e) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities:

2.1. the State Service for Protected Territories under the Ministry of the Environment, when the implementation of the planned economic activity may have an impact on the state protected territories, including the territories of the European ecological network Natura 2000, the territories of particularly protected landscape defined in the general plan of the territory of the Republic of Lithuania, approved by the Government of the Republic of Lithuania, the territories of especially

protected landscape and particularly distinctive landscape complexes, the sites or habitats of protected species, except for the cases set out in sub-item 2.2 of the present Order;

2.2. the Directorate of the protected area(s), the Director of the protected area(s), the Director of the procedure for determining the significance of the impact of the implementation of the plans or programmes and the implementation of the planned economic activities on the established or potential Natura 2000 sites, approved by the Order of the Minister of Environment of the Republic of Lithuania of 22 May 2006 No. D1-255 "On the Approval of the Procedure for Determining the Significance of the Impact of the Implementation of Plans or Programmes and Planned Economic Activities on the Established or Potential Natura 2000 Sites", which has established, in accordance with the procedure laid down by the Ministry of Environment and the Ministry of Environmental Protection of the Republic of Lithuania of the Republic of Lithuania "Environmental Impact Assessment of the Planned Economic Activities and the Implementation of the Planned Economic Activities on the Establishment or Potential Establishment of the Natura 2000 Site,", that the planned economic activities are liable to have significant impact on the Natura 2000 sites, where an Environmental Impact Assessment of the planned economic activity is carried out pursuant to the procedure laid down in Article 3, paragraph (1), point (3), of the Law on the Assessment of the Impact of the Planned Environmental Activity.

2. I n t h e n e s s i o n t h a t t h e legal regulation in force prior to the entry into force of this Order shall apply to the environmental impact assessment procedures of planned economic activities, with the exception of the environmental impact assessment procedures of planned economic activities, which were initiated after the entry into force of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of the Republic of Lithuania on Planned Economic Activities No I-1495, Amendment No XIV-1560. The procedures for the assessment of the environmental impact of the planned economic activity initiated after the entry into force of the Law No XIV-1560 amending the Law No I-1495 of the Republic of Lithuania on the assessment of the environmental impact of planned economic activities shall be continued in accordance with the provisions of the present Order.

Minister for the Environment

Simonas Gentvilas

APPROVED
Minister for the Environment of the
Republic of Lithuania
Order of 23 May 2023
No D1-157

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROCEDURE FOR carrying out ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES FOR PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES

CHAPTER I GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. The description of the procedure for conducting environmental impact assessment procedures for planned economic activities (hereinafter referred to as the "Procedure Description") establishes the procedure for submitting, examining, drawing conclusions and making a decision on the environmental impact of planned economic activities, as well as the relationship between the participants of the environmental impact assessment process (hereinafter referred to as the "EIA process").

2. The Procedural Schedule shall be binding for all participants in the EIA process, specified in Article 5 of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities of the Republic of Lithuania.

3. The functions of the responsible authority referred to in Article 5(1)(1) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities shall be performed by the Environmental Protection Agency (hereinafter referred to as the Agency) in accordance with the powers conferred by the Government of the Republic of Lithuania in point 2 of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania's Resolution of 28 July 2000 No.900 "On the Granting of Powers to the Ministry of the Environment and Institutions Subordinate to the Ministry of the Environment".

4. The subject of the EIA is the planned economic activity referred to in Article 3(1) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities.

5. The start of the environmental impact assessment shall be deemed to be the date of receipt by the Agency of the information on the EIA programme or of the notification of the start of the environmental impact assessment. The date of the decision taken by the Agency on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity shall be considered as the end of the environmental impact assessment.

6. In carrying out the duties set out in the Procedural Regulation, the Environmental Protection Agency, the preparer of the EIA documents, the organiser of the planned economic activity and the subjects of the EIA shall process personal data in accordance with the Law on Legal Protection of Personal Data of the Republic of Lithuania, the Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Directive 95/46/EC (the "General Data Protection Regulation"), as well as with any other legislation regulating personal data protection.

7. The terms used in the Procedure Description shall be understood as defined in the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, the Law on Protected Species of Animals, Plants and Fungi of the Republic of Lithuania and the Law on Protected Territories of the Republic of Lithuania.

CHAPTER II EXAMINATION AND APPROVAL OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT PROGRAMME

8. The preparer of the EIA documents, having prepared the EIA programme in accordance with the requirements of the description of the procedure for the preparation of the documents for the

assessment of the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, shall submit it to the EIA subjects for obtaining their conclusions, shall organise the procedures for public information and participation in the process of assessment of the impact of the planned environmental activity, as set out in the description of the procedure for the preparation of the documents for the assessment of the impact of the planned environmental activity, and shall inform the Agency of the prepared EIA programme. The EIA programme shall be made available to the EIA subjects by e-mail or other electronic means, directly or through the contact centre specified in the Law on Services of the Republic of Lithuania.

9. The EIA programme is provided to the following EIA bodies:

9.1. in all cases:

9.1.1. to the executive authority of the municipality in whose territory the economic activity is planned. Where the planned economic activity is located in the territory of more than one municipality, to the executive authorities of all the municipalities in whose territories the economic activity is planned, and where the economic activity is planned in the territorial sea of the Republic of Lithuania and/or the exclusive economic zone of the Republic of Lithuania in the Baltic Sea, to the executive authorities of the municipalities adjacent to the Baltic Sea;

9.1.2. the National Centre of Public Health under the Ministry of Health, as the institution authorised by the Order of the Minister of Health of the Republic of Lithuania No V-474 of 13 May 2011 "On the Approval of the Description of the Procedure for the Assessment of the Public Health Impact and the Cases of Assessment of the Public Health Impact Not Provided for in the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of the Republic of Lithuania of the Planned Economic Activities and the Delegation of Authority";

9.1.3. to the Fire Protection and Rescue Department under the Ministry of the Interior, as the institution authorised by the Order of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania No. IV-98 of 28 February 2023 "On the Granting of Authority for the Implementation of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities of the Republic of Lithuania";

9.1.4. to the Department of Cultural Heritage under the Ministry of Culture, as an authorised institution referred to in sub-paragraph 9.22 of the Regulations of the Department of Cultural Heritage under the Ministry of Culture, approved by the Order of the Minister of Culture of the Republic of Lithuania No. IV-116 "On Approval of the Provisions of the Department of Cultural Heritage under the Ministry of Culture" dated 1 April 2005;

9.2. when the implementation of the planned economic activity may affect the state protected areas, including the areas of the European Ecological Network Natura 2000, as defined in the general plan of the territory of the Republic of Lithuania, approved by the Resolution of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania of 29 September 2021 No. 789 "On Approval of the General Plan of the Territory of the Republic of Lithuania", especially protected landscape areas and particularly distinctive landscape complexes, protected species sites or planting sites - to the State Service for Protected Territories under the Ministry of the Environment (hereinafter referred to as the "SSTT"), with the exception of the cases set out in sub-paragraph 9.3 of the Schedule;

9.3. when the environmental impact assessment of the planned economic activity is carried out in accordance with Article 3(1)(3) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of the Planned Economic Activity - to the directorate of the protected area(s), to the Director of the Protected Area(s), to the Director of the Procedure for Determination of Significance of the Effects of the Plans or Programmes and the Implementation of the Planned Economic Activities on the Established or Potential Natura 2000 Areas, as adopted by the Minister of Environment of the Republic of Lithuania on 2006, No. The procedure for determining the significance of the impact of the implementation of plans or programmes and the implementation of planned economic activities on established or potential Natura 2000 sites was established in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Order of the Ministry of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania No D1-255 of 22 May 2006 "On the approval of the procedure for determining the significance of the impact of the implementation of plans or programmes and the implementation of planned economic activities on the established or potential Natura 2000 sites", which has established that the implementation of the proposed economic

activities is liable to have a significant impact on the sites of the European ecological network "Natura 2000";

9.4. where the planned economic activity is related to nuclear energy facilities - to the State Nuclear Safety Inspectorate;

9.5. to the Radiation Protection Centre, in the case of planned economic activities with sources of ionising radiation, including planned economic activities in nuclear power facilities, as the authorised body referred to in sub-paragraph 10.9 of the Regulations of the Radiation Protection Centre approved by Order No V-612 of the Minister of Health of the Republic of Lithuania of 22 July 2005 "On Approval of the Regulations of the Radiation Protection Centre".

10. The Agency, having received from the preparer of the EIA documents the information on the prepared EIA programme, shall publish it in accordance with the procedure set out in the description of the procedure for informing the public and participation in the process of assessment of the impact of planned economic activity on environment.

11. The procedure for submission and evaluation of proposals from representatives of the interested public on the EIA programme, the EIA to be carried out shall be laid down in the Description of the Procedure for Public Information and Participation in the Environmental Impact Assessment Process of Planned Economic Activities.

12. Within 10 working days, the EIA bodies shall examine the EIA programme received and shall submit reasoned written conclusions or reasoned requests for additions or corrections to the EIA document preparer. If the EIA programme is submitted to the municipal council, the administration of the municipality shall inform the preparer of the EIA documentation and the Agency that the EIA programme has been submitted to the municipal council when submitting its conclusion on the EIA programme. The environmental impact assessment bodies responsible for fire and civil protection, protection of immovable cultural property, taking into account the scale, nature, site and environmental characteristics of the planned economic activity, which have decided not to participate in the examination of the EIA report, shall indicate this in their conclusion on the EIA programme.

13. If the EIA Subjects have submitted requirements to supplement or amend the EIA Programme, the EIA Document Preparer shall supplement and amend the EIA Programme in accordance with these requirements and resubmit it to the EIA Subjects that have submitted comments and/or suggestions.

14. Within 5 working days from the date of receipt of the supplemented and/or revised EIA programme, the EIA bodies shall examine the EIA programme and shall submit in writing to the preparer of the EIA documentation their reasoned conclusions on the EIA programme without requesting any information and/or data which they did not specify when they first examined the EIA programme, but which they could have requested.

15. The preparer of the EIA documentation shall submit to the Agency for examination the EIA programme, the conclusions of the EIA bodies and the proposals of the interested public on the EIA programme, as well as an assessment of these proposals. The EIA programme shall be submitted to the Agency by e-mail or other electronic means of communication, directly or through the contact point referred to in the Services Act.

16. The EIA programme shall be submitted to the Agency upon receipt of reasoned opinions on the programme from all EIA stakeholders. If the EIA programme has been submitted to the municipal council, it shall be submitted to the Agency after the expiry of the deadline for the municipal council to adopt a decision on the feasibility of the planned economic activity (20 working days from the date of receipt of the EIA programme by the municipal administration).

17. During the examination of the EIA programme, the Agency shall invite participation in the EIA process by means of a reasoned written invitation:

17.1. the EIA subjects referred to in sub-paragraphs 9.2 or 9.3 and/or 9.4 of the Procedural Schedule, having established that the planned economic activity is in conformity with the circumstances referred to in sub-paragraphs 9.2 or 9.3 and/or 9.4 of the Procedural Schedule, but that the preparer of the EIA documentation has not provided them with an EIA programme;

17.2. other state and/or municipal authorities in accordance with Article 5(2) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities and taking into account the nature, scale, location and environmental specificities of the planned economic activity.

18. The Agency, having decided to invite the municipalities and/or state institutions referred to in point 17 of the Procedure Description to participate in the environmental impact assessment process, shall within 5 working days from the date of receipt of the EIA programme provide them with the EIA programme in a reasoned written form (in digital format) or with an active web link to it and shall ask them to submit their reasoned opinions on the EIA programme to the Agency and to the EIA documentation preparer within 10 working days from the day of receipt of the programme. The Agency shall inform the preparer of the EIA documentation and the promoter of the planned economic activity of the invited EIA bodies referred to in point 17 of the Procedural Schedule.

19. The EIA programme shall be coordinated with the EIA subjects referred to in point 17 of the Procedural Schedule in accordance with the procedure referred to in points 12-14 of the Procedural Schedule, and upon completion of the coordination process, the preparer of the EIA documents shall submit the EIA programme and the opinions of the EIA subjects on it to the Agency.

20. The Agency shall examine and evaluate the EIA programme, the suggestions of the interested public concerning it, the evaluation of the suggestions and, on the basis of the reasoned conclusions of the EIA bodies on the EIA programme, shall, within 10 working days of receipt, approve the programme and shall submit to the preparer of the EIA documentation a letter on the approval of the programme or shall indicate reasoned requirements for its supplementation or correction. If the Agency has invited the EIA entities referred to in point 17 of the Procedural Schedule to participate in the EIA process, the EIA programme shall be approved within 10 working days of its receipt in accordance with point 19 of the Procedural Schedule.

21. If reasoned requirements for supplementing or revising the EIA programme have been received from the Agency, the preparer of the EIA documentation shall supplement and/or revise the EIA programme in accordance with these requirements and resubmit it to the Agency.

22. The Agency shall examine and approve the supplemented and/or revised EIA programme within 5 working days from the date of its receipt, without requesting information and/or data which it did not specify when examining the EIA programme for the first time, but which it could have requested.

23. If the council of the municipality in the territory of which the planned economic activity is planned, in accordance with Article 8(6) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, before the approval of the EIA programme, but not later than within 20 working days from the date of its receipt in the municipal administration, adopts a negative reasoned decision on the feasibility of the planned economic activity, the administration of this municipality shall inform the Agency and the organiser of the planned economic activity about the adopted negative reasoned decision of the municipal council within 3 working days from the date of adoption of the decision referred to in this point and shall provide a copy of the decision. The responsible authority shall, upon receipt of the information on this decision of the municipal council, inform the public about it in accordance with the procedure laid down in the description of the procedure for public information and participation in the environmental impact assessment process of planned economic activities.

24. The environmental impact assessment procedures shall not be continued as long as the negative reasoned decision taken by the municipal council referred to in point 23 of the Procedural Schedule is valid, except in cases where the planned economic activity has been recognised as a project of national importance or is a project of regional importance, or the planned economic activity is necessary for the realisation of a project of national importance or regional importance.

25. If it appears that the impact of the planned economic activity could be significant for the environment of another Member State of the European Union and/or a foreign state, the environment of which may be significantly affected by the planned economic activity (hereinafter referred to as the affected state), the Agency shall, within 10 working days from the day of receipt of the EIA programme, in accordance with the procedure set out in the description of the procedure for the execution of the procedures for the transboundary assessment of the environmental impact of the

planned economic activity, apply to the Ministry of the Environment and ask for the Ministry of Environment to provide a conclusion on the need for the application of the procedures of transboundary environmental assessment for the planned economic activity.

26. If the Ministry of the Environment determines that transboundary EIA procedures need to be carried out, they shall be carried out in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 10 of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities and in the Description of the Procedures for Carrying out Transboundary Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities. The national and transboundary EIA procedures shall be carried out at the same time, but the Agency may only approve the EIA programme of a planned economic activity after receiving the opinion of the Ministry of the Environment referred to in Article 10(4) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities.

CHAPTER III

SUBMITTING A NOTIFICATION OF THE START OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT

27. The notification on the commencement of the EIA shall be prepared when, in the cases provided for in Article 3(1) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, it is obligatory to assess the environmental impact of the planned economic activity and no EIA programme is prepared. The organiser of the planned economic activity or the preparer of the EIA documentation shall submit the notification of the commencement of the EIA to the EIA subjects and the Agency by e-mail or other electronic means, directly or through the contact point referred to in the Law on Services, no later than 15 working days before the date of the public information on the public consultation on the EIA report. The form and content of the notification of the commencement of the EIA are set out in Annex 1 to the Schedule to the Procedure. It shall be accompanied by a signed cover letter certifying that the information provided is correct and a map (recommended scale 1:500-1:10 000) indicating the provisional location of the planned economic activity (alternative sites) and the distances to residential areas, immovable cultural property, protected areas and neighbouring countries. In the case of electronic submission of the EIA notification, the cover letter shall be signed with a qualified electronic signature or produced by electronic means which ensure the integrity and unalterability of the text and the identification of the person submitting the EIA notification.

28. The Agency shall publish the received notification on the commencement of the EIA and the map referred to in point 27 of the Procedural Schedule in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Procedural Schedule on Public Information and Participation in the Environmental Impact Assessment Process for Planned Economic Activities. The procedure for submitting and evaluating proposals from representatives of the public concerned on the EIA which has been initiated shall be laid down in the Description of the Procedure for Public Information and Participation in the Environmental Impact Assessment Process for Planned Economic Activities.

29. The notification of the commencement of the EIA shall be provided to the EIA subjects referred to in point 9 of the Procedural Schedule.

30. The Agency and the EIA subjects shall have the right to submit reasoned proposals to the organiser of the planned economic activity or to the preparer of the EIA documentation within 10 working days from the date of receipt of the notification on the commencement of the EIA, which shall be taken into account by the preparer of the EIA documentation when preparing the EIA report.

31. The Agency, having decided to invite the municipalities and/or state institutions referred to in point 17 of the Procedural Description to participate in the EIA process, shall, within 5 working days from the date of receipt of the notification on the commencement of the EIA, provide these institutions with a written notification on the commencement of the EIA (in a digital format), or with an active web link to it, and shall indicate the deadline for submission of proposals within 10 working days. The Agency shall also inform the preparer of the EIA documentation and the promoter of the planned economic activity of the additional EIA bodies invited.

32. If it appears that the impact of the planned economic activity could be significant for the environment of the affected State, the Agency shall, within 10 working days from the date of receipt of the notification on the commencement of the EIA, within the procedure set out in the description of the procedure for conducting the procedures for the transboundary assessment of the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, request the Ministry of the Environment to provide a conclusion on the need for the application of the procedures of the transboundary environmental impact assessment for the planned economic activity.

33. If the Ministry of the Environment determines that transboundary EIA procedures need to be carried out, they shall be carried out in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 10 of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities and in the Description of the Procedures for Carrying out Transboundary Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities.

34. National and transboundary EIA procedures shall be carried out at the same time, however, if the Ministry of the Environment determines that it is necessary to carry out transboundary EIA procedures, and the submission of the EIA programme to another state is stipulated by the international agreements concluded between the Republic of Lithuania and another state, the EIA preparer, after receiving the conclusion of the Ministry of the Environment in accordance with the procedure set out in the Description of Procedures of the Procedure for the Conduct of the Procedure of Transboundary Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, prepares the EIA programme, and, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Chapter II of the Procedure, coordinates and submits it for approval.

CHAPTER IV EXAMINATION OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT

35. The preparer of the EIA documents, after preparing the EIA report, shall organise the procedures for public information and participation in the process of environmental impact assessment of the planned economic activity, as set out in the Procedures for Public Information and Participation.

36. The procedure for submission and evaluation of proposals from representatives of the interested public on the EIA report, the EIA being carried out, shall be determined by the Description of the Procedure for Public Information and Participation in the Environmental Impact Assessment Process of Planned Economic Activities.

37. When the planned economic activity is subject to transboundary EIA procedures, the preparer of the EIA documents shall also submit the EIA report and other documents to the Ministry of the Environment in accordance with the procedure set out in the description of the procedure for carrying out the procedures for transboundary environmental impact assessment of the planned economic activity. The national and transboundary EIA procedures shall be carried out at the same time.

38. After the public consultation procedures on the EIA report have been completed, the preparer of the EIA documentation shall submit the EIA report, including the suggestions made by the public concerned on the EIA report and on the EIA being carried out, and the assessment of these suggestions, to the EIA bodies for examination. The EIA report shall be made available to the EIA Subjects by e-mail or other electronic means, either directly or through the contact point referred to in the Services Act.

39. The EIA report shall be submitted to the EIA Subjects no later than 3 years from the date of approval of the EIA programme or the date of submission of the notification of the commencement of the EIA to the EIA Subjects and the Agency.

40. The EIA bodies shall examine the EIA report, the proposals of the interested public and their assessment and shall, within their competence, within 20 working days from the date of receipt of the EIA report, and in the case of the EIA report on the planned economic activity considered to be of overriding public interest and of importance for public security - within 15 working days from

the date of receipt of the EIA report, submit to the EIA document preparer reasoned written conclusions on the environmental impact of the EIA report and the planned economic activity, in the form set forth in Annex 2 to the Procedural Description, or comments and suggestions written on the form of the EIA body. If no EIA programme has been prepared and the EIA report is submitted to the municipal council, the executive body of the municipality shall inform the preparer of the EIA documentation and the Agency that the EIA report has been submitted to the municipal council when submitting its conclusion on the EIA report.

41. The preparer of the EIA documentation, if the EIA subjects have submitted requirements for supplementing or correcting the EIA report, shall supplement and/or correct the EIA report in accordance with these requirements and resubmit it to the EIA subjects that submitted comments and/or proposals.

42. The EIA Subjects shall examine the supplemented and/or corrected EIA Report and submit their reasoned conclusions on it and the assessment of the environmental impact of the planned economic activity to the EIA document preparer within 10 working days from the receipt of this report without requesting any information and/or data which they did not specify when first examining the EIA Report, but which they could have requested.

43. The EIA subject, having identified deficiencies in the EIA report concerning the planned economic activity considered to be of overriding public interest and important for public security, shall inform the EIA document preparer about them by e-mail before submitting reasoned requirements to the EIA document preparer to supplement or correct the EIA report no later than by the deadline set out in point 40 of the Procedural Description. The EIA body shall, on its own initiative or at the request of the EIA document preparer, organise a meeting with the EIA document preparer and, if necessary, with the organiser of the planned economic activity. The meeting may also be organised remotely. The meeting shall discuss the shortcomings of the EIA report and possible ways of correcting them. The procedure for discussing the shortcomings of the EIA report shall be recorded in a protocol. If the preparer of the EIA documentation is unable to attend the meeting, he/she shall inform the EIA subject within 1 working day of receipt of the invitation, but at the latest before the date of the meeting, that he/she will not be present, and then the meeting shall be postponed.

44. During the examination of the EIA report, the Agency shall have the right, within 20 working days from the date of receipt of the report, to invite the municipal and/or state authorities referred to in point 17 of the Procedural Schedule to participate in the EIA process.

45. The Agency, having decided to invite the municipalities and/or state institutions referred to in point 17 of the Procedure Description to participate in the EIA process, shall send the EIA report (in digital format) or an active web link to it to these institutions and request them to submit their reasoned conclusions on the EIA report and the environmental impact of the planned economic activity to the Agency and to the preparer of the EIA documents, and shall inform the preparer of the EIA documents and the organiser of the planned economic activity about it.

46. The EIA subjects invited in accordance with point 45 of the Procedural Schedule shall submit written reasoned conclusions on the EIA report and the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, or comments and/or proposals in accordance with the procedure referred to in point 40 of the Procedural Schedule, in the form set out in Annex 2 of the Procedural Schedule.

47. If the EIA subjects referred to in Point 45 of the Procedure Description have submitted requirements for supplementing and/or correcting the EIA report, the EIA preparer shall supplement and/or correct the EIA report in accordance with these requirements and resubmit it to the EIA subjects that have submitted comments and/or proposals.

48. The EIA bodies referred to in point 45 of the Procedural Schedule shall examine the supplemented and/or amended EIA report received again and shall submit their reasoned conclusions on it and the environmental impact assessment of the planned economic activity within 10 working days from the date of receipt of the supplemented and/or amended EIA report by the institution, without requesting any information and/or data which they did not specify when examining the report for the first time, but which they could have requested.

49. The preparer of the EIA documents, having received the conclusions of additional EIA subjects referred to in points 46 and/or 48 of the Procedural Schedule, shall submit the supplemented and/or revised EIA report to the Agency, which shall examine it and take a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity in accordance with the procedure set out in Chapter V of the Procedural Schedule.

50. If the EIA programme has not been prepared and the EIA report has been submitted to the council of the municipality in the territory of which the economic activity is planned, in accordance with Article 11(6) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, the report shall be submitted to the Agency after the expiration of the deadline for the adoption of a decision of the municipal council on the feasibility of the planned economic activity.

51. If the council of the municipality in the territory of which the planned economic activity is planned, in accordance with Article 11(6) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, adopts a negative reasoned decision on the feasibility of the planned economic activity prior to the adoption of the EIA decision, but not later than within 20 working days from the date of receipt of the EIA report in the municipal administration, the administration of this municipality shall inform the Agency and the organiser of the planned economic activity about the adopted negative reasoned decision of the municipal council within 3 working days from the date of adoption of the decision referred to in this point and shall provide a copy of the decision. The responsible authority shall, upon receipt of the information on this decision of the municipal council, inform the public about it in accordance with the procedure laid down in the description of the procedure for public information and participation in the environmental impact assessment process of planned economic activities.

52. The EIA procedures shall not be continued as long as the negative reasoned decision taken by the municipal council referred to in point 51 of the Procedural Schedule is valid, except in cases where the planned economic activity is recognised as a project of national importance or a project of regional importance or the planned economic activity is necessary for the implementation of a project of national importance or a project of regional importance.

53. If the EIA report is substantially amended or substantially corrected, the preparer of the EIA documents shall, after repeated public presentation of the EIA report, obtain new opinions of the EIA subjects in accordance with the procedure laid down in points 38-43 of the Procedural Schedule and submit the EIA report to the Agency, which shall examine the report and take a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity in accordance with the procedure laid down in Chapter V of the Procedural Schedule.

CHAPTER V

TAKING A DECISION ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF A PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

54. The preparer of the EIA documentation shall submit to the Agency a revised and/or supplemented EIA report based on the conclusions of all the EIA bodies, including the conclusions of all the EIA bodies on the EIA report and the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, and the proposals of the interested public and their assessment. The EIA report shall be submitted to the Agency by e-mail or other electronic means, directly or through the contact point referred to in the Services Act.

55. Upon receipt of the EIA report, the Agency shall:

55.1. publish on its website a notice on the received EIA report in accordance with the procedure set out in the Description of the Procedure for Public Information and Participation in the Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities;

55.2. examine the EIA report, the conclusions of the EIA bodies, and the proposals received from the interested public;

55.3. verify whether the procedures for publicity and public information of the EIA report have been carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Law on Environmental Impact

Assessment of Planned Economic Activities and the Description of the Procedure for Public Information and Participation in the Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities;

55.4. if necessary, in the cases referred to in points 57 and/or 67 and/or 68 of the Rules of Procedure, organise a meeting during the Agency's working hours and draw up the minutes of the meeting;

55.5. no later than within 25 working days from the date of receipt of the EIA report, and in the case of an EIA report on a planned economic activity considered to be of overriding public interest and of importance for public security - within 20 working days from the date of its receipt, on the basis of the conclusions of the EIA entities and the information obtained during the EIA process, shall make a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity or submit reasoned requirements to the EIA documentation preparer for the EIA report to be supplemented or corrected.

56. The Agency, upon finding a violation of the procedures for publication of the EIA report and public information, or when the EIA report is substantially modified (changes in the scope of the economic activity, planning of new technological and/or location alternatives) or substantially corrected (when the report does not adequately or sufficiently assess the potential environmental impacts), obliges the preparer of the EIA documents to organise, in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Description of the Procedure for Public Information and Participation in the Environmental Impact Assessment Process for Planned Economic Activities, a repeated public presentation of the EIA report and to obtain the opinions of the EIA bodies in accordance with the procedure referred to in point 53 of the Description of the Procedure.

57. The Agency, having identified deficiencies in the EIA report on the planned economic activity considered to be of overriding public interest and important for public security, shall inform the preparer of the EIA documents of the identified deficiencies by e-mail no later than by the expiry of the deadline set out in sub-clause 55.5 of the Procedures, before submitting reasoned requirements to the preparer of the EIA documents for its supplementation or correction. The Agency, on its own initiative or at the request of the EIA document preparer, shall organise a meeting with the EIA document preparer and, if necessary, with the organiser of the planned economic activity, whereby the EIA subjects shall also be invited to attend the meeting. The meeting may also be organised remotely. The meeting shall discuss the shortcomings identified in the EIA report and possible ways of correcting them. The procedure for discussing the shortcomings of the EIA report shall be documented in minutes. If the preparer of the EIA documentation is unable to attend the meeting, he/she shall inform the Agency within 1 working day of receipt of the invitation, but at the latest before the date of the meeting, that he/she will not be present, and then the meeting shall be postponed.

58. When the Agency, in accordance with Article 6(7) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, decides on the basis of reasoned grounds to engage a consultant to evaluate and provide conclusions on the EIA report and the conclusions of the EIA bodies submitted with it, the proposals of the interested public on the EIA, the EIA report and their assessments, it shall:

58.1. within 10 working days from the date of receipt of the EIA report, inform the organiser of the planned economic activity and the preparer of the EIA documentation of the decision to engage consultants;

58.2. organise, at its own expense, the procurement of consultancy services in accordance with the Law on Public Procurement of the Republic of Lithuania;

58.3. on the basis of the conclusions of the consultants, within 50 working days from the date of receipt of the EIA report, it shall submit reasoned requirements for correcting and/or supplementing it, or shall take a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity.

59. In accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 12(4) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, the time limit for adopting a decision on the environmental impact of a planned economic activity may be extended once by a maximum of 25 working days, and for a planned economic activity which is of overriding public interest and is considered to be of importance to public security, by a maximum of 20 working days, for objective

reasons outside the control of the Agency. The Agency shall notify the organiser of the planned economic activity and the preparer of the EIA documentation of the reasons for the extension no later than 5 working days before the expiry of the time limit referred to in point 55.5 of the Rules of Procedure.

60. If the Agency has made requirements for supplementing and/or revising the EIA report, the preparer of the EIA documentation shall supplement and/or revise the EIA report in accordance with those requirements and resubmit it to the Agency.

61. The Agency shall examine the revised and/or supplemented EIA report and take a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity within 15 working days from the date of its receipt, and in the case of a planned economic activity which is of overriding public interest and is considered to be of importance to public security - within 10 working days from the date of receipt of the EIA report, or it may repeatedly submit reasoned requests for its correction or supplementation, without requesting the information and (or) data that it did not specify during the initial examination of the EIA report, but which it might have requested.

62. Where a transboundary environmental impact assessment has been carried out in respect of a planned economic activity in accordance with the provisions of Article 10 of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, at the end of the transboundary consultations, the Ministry of the Environment shall inform the Agency, the organiser of the planned economic activity, and the preparer of the EIA documentation of the proposals made by the State concerned, and the preparer of the EIA documentation shall evaluate them and, if necessary, revise and (or) supplement the EIA report.

63. The preparer of the EIA documentation shall submit to the Agency the assessment of the proposals of the State affected by the environmental impact and, where necessary, the revised and/or supplemented EIA report based on the proposals of the State affected by the environmental impact.

64. The Agency shall take a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity after the completion of the transboundary EIA procedures, taking into account the results of the transboundary consultations:

64.1. within the time limits set out in Article 12(1) to (5) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities and in Chapter V of the Schedule, except for the case referred to in sub-paragraph 64.2 of the Schedule;

64.2. not later than within 10 working days from the receipt of the assessment of the proposals of the State affected by the environmental impact and, if necessary, the revised and/or supplemented EIA report in accordance with the proposals of the State affected by the environmental impact, where the time limits for the adoption of the decision on the impact of the planned economic activity on the environment, as specified in Article 12, Paragraphs 1 to 5 of the Law on the Assessment of the Impact of Planned Environmental Activities, and in Chapter V of the Procedures, have expired.

65. Where the planned economic activity is subject to the procedures for consultation with the European Commission in the cases set out in Article 12(12) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, the Agency shall adopt a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity within 10 working days at the latest after receiving the conclusion of the CSTS and the prior opinion of the European Commission.

66. Upon receipt of the interested public's proposals on the EIA report and the EIA being carried out in accordance with Article 11(10) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, the Agency, before taking a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, shall, in accordance with the procedure set out in the description of the procedure for public information and participation in the process of environmental impact assessment of planned economic activities, organise a meeting to discuss the interested public's proposals.

67. Where the conclusions of the EIA bodies on the impact of the planned economic activity contradict each other and/or the conclusion of the EIA body does not comply with the provisions of Article 11(5) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of the Planned Economic Activity,

the Agency shall organise a meeting to discuss the conclusions of the EIA bodies and shall invite in writing to the meeting the EIA bodies referred to in this point, the organiser of the planned economic activity, and the drafter of the EIA documentation (hereinafter referred to as the meeting participants). Together with the invitation, the Agency shall provide a copy of the conclusions of the EIA bodies or a link to the website where they are published. The meeting may be organised remotely.

68. The Agency, if it has any doubts about the compliance of the planned economic activity with the requirements of legal acts or about the possible significant negative impact on the environment, shall, if necessary, organise a public meeting before taking a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, and shall, if necessary, invite in writing the organiser of the planned economic activity and the preparer of the EIA documentation to the meeting, consultants, if they have been engaged in accordance with Article 6(7) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, and the EIA subjects (hereinafter referred to as 'the participants of the meeting') to discuss the issue of changing the scale or location of the planned economic activity or the conditions and/or measures to avoid possible significant adverse environmental effects. The Agency shall provide information relevant to the issues to be discussed together with the invitation. The meeting shall be organised in a hybrid or remote format. The Agency shall announce the meeting in accordance with the procedure laid down in the description of the procedure for public information and participation in the environmental impact assessment process for planned economic activities.

69. If the participant(s) in the meeting cannot attend the meeting referred to in points 67 and/or 68 of the Schedule of Procedures for important reasons, he/she/they shall inform the Agency of his/her/their non-attendance within 3 working days of receipt of the invitation, but at the latest before the date of the meeting, and shall submit his/her/their position in writing on the issue under discussion. The Agency shall consider the matter in his/her absence.

70. The results of the meetings referred to in points 67 and 68 of the Procedural Schedule shall be recorded in minutes. The minutes shall indicate the form, place, date, participants (name, surname, name of the legal entity represented), record the issues discussed and the conclusions and/or proposals adopted during the meeting. An audio or video recording of the meeting may be made, in which case the minutes shall include a record of the audio or video recording of the meeting made and the place where it was kept. The Agency shall provide the minutes of the meeting referred to in point 67 of the Procedural Schedule to the participants of the meeting by electronic means within 5 working days from the date of its preparation, and shall not provide the minutes of the meeting referred to in point 68 of the Procedural Schedule to the participants of the meeting, which shall be used for the preparation of the decision on the assessment of the impact on environment.

71. The decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity shall be drawn up on the Agency's letterhead in accordance with the form set out in Annex 3 to the Procedural Schedule.

72. The Agency shall submit the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity to the organiser of the planned economic activity, the preparer of the EIA documents and the EIA subjects, and shall make it available to the public in accordance with the procedure established in the description of the procedure for informing the public about the procedure for informing the public about the procedure for informing the public about the procedure for informing the public about and participating in the process of assessing the impact of planned economic activities on the environment.

73. A decision on the environmental impact of a planned economic activity shall be valid for a period of 5 years from the date of its adoption, except for a decision on the environmental impact of a planned economic activity that the planned economic activity does not comply with the requirements of the legal acts on the protection of the environment, protection of public health, protection of the immovable heritage of culture, fire safety and civil protection and will have a significant negative impact on the environment, which shall be valid for an indefinite period.

74. The organiser of a planned economic activity may apply for an extension of the validity of a decision on the environmental impact of a planned economic activity when no more than one year,

but at least 30 working days, remain from the date of the application until the expiry of the validity of that decision.

75. The organiser of the planned economic activity, when submitting to the Agency the request referred to in point 74 of the Schedule to the Procedure, shall also submit information justifying that the planned economic activity, its operation and the local conditions on the basis of which the decision has been taken, have not changed. The information shall justify that:

75.1. the nature, extent and conditions (e.g. characteristics, technology to be used, design capacity) of the proposed economic activity have not changed;

75.2. on the basis of the approved spatial planning documents and/or data of the Real Estate Register and/or data of the State Cadastre of Protected Territories of the Republic of Lithuania, has not changed:

75.2.1. the conservation status of the site of the planned economic activity, adjacent land parcels and/or the site;

75.2.2. in the case of linear infrastructure (e.g. roads, railways, power lines, gas pipelines), in accordance with the approved spatial planning documents and/or the State Cadastre of Protected Territories of the Republic of Lithuania, it shall be indicated that the protection status of the site of the planned economic activity has not changed;

75.2.3. no new protected species occurrences have been recorded in the database of the Protected Species Information System (<https://sris.am.lt/>) on the site of the proposed economic activity or on adjacent land plots;

75.2.4. there are no other economic activities on the site of the planned economic activity, adjacent land parcels and/or territories that have not been assessed during the EIA, but there is a potential cumulative effect of these economic activities.

75.3. no changes are envisaged to the measures set out in the decision on the impact of the planned economic activity on the environment to prevent, reduce, compensate for and/or remedy significant adverse environmental effects.

76. The Agency, having received a reasoned request from the organiser of the planned economic activity to extend the validity of the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, having assessed the information referred to in point 75 of the Procedural Schedule, having taken into account the initiation by the organiser of the planned economic activity of the other procedures established by the legislation, which create conditions for the execution of the planned economic activity, and having been satisfied that the planned economic activity, the conditions for its execution and the site conditions, including the environmental protection norms and standards required for the planned economic activity, on the basis of which the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity was taken, has not changed, it shall, within 15 working days from the date of receipt of the application, take a decision on the extension of the validity of the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, by drawing up a decision on the form of the Agency's letterhead in accordance with the form set out in Annex 4 to the Procedural Schedule, for a period of up to 5 years (the period shall be calculated as of the last day of validity of the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity).

(Form for notification of the commencement of an environmental impact assessment of a planned economic activity)

NOTIFICATION OF

_____.
(name of the planned economic activity)

THE START OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT

Organiser of the planned economic activity

(name of natural person or legal entity, address, website, telephone, email)

Preparer of environmental impact assessment documents

(name of natural person or legal entity, address, website, telephone, email)

Name and location of the planned economic activity

(full name of the planned economic activity, county, municipality, ward; city, town, village or hamlet; if any, street, building no., unique and/or cadastral no. of the land plot)

Nature of the planned economic activity

(specify the type of planned economic activity, the capacity of the planned economic activity, the technology to be used)

Legal basis for carrying out an environmental impact assessment

(in accordance with Article 3(1) of the Law of the Republic of Lithuania on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, indicating the item(s) of Annex 1 of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities) or the screening conclusion adopted by the responsible authority that an environmental impact assessment is required (date, letter No.), or the significance conclusion of the Protected Areas Authority that the impact may be significant (date, letter No), or the point(s) of Annex 2 to the Environmental Impact Assessment Act and the fact that the organiser of the planned economic activity has decided to proceed with the environmental impact assessment without carrying out a screening environmental impact assessment).

Alternatives to be considered:

(information on the reasonable alternatives to be considered, e.g. location, timing, technical and technological solutions, measures to reduce environmental impacts.)

Specific features of the location of the proposed economic activity (alternative sites):

(specify: the coordinates of the approximate centre of the beginning and end of the linear infrastructure facility, given in the Lithuanian coordinate system of 1994, approved by the Resolution of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania No 936 of 30 September 1994 "On the Introduction of the Lithuanian Geodetic Coordinate System"; the distances to residential areas, immovable cultural property, protected areas and neighbouring countries).

Environmental impact assessment bodies involved in the environmental impact assessment process shall, within their competence, provide conclusions and, in accordance with the procedure laid down by law, information to the public on the potential environmental impact of the planned economic activity:

(names, addresses, telephone numbers, e-mail addresses of the entities involved in the environmental impact assessment process for the specific planned economic activity)

The Environmental Impact Assessment shall be carried out by the Environmental Protection Agency and a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity shall be taken by the Environmental Protection Agency (A. Juozapavičiaus g. 9, Vilnius, phone +370 682 92 653, e-mail aaa@gamta.lt)

The public shall submit proposals on the environmental impact assessment (including the possibility to ask questions and obtain information) to the Environmental Protection Agency and shall have the right to submit proposals to the preparer of the environmental impact assessment documents or to the organiser of the planned economic activity within 10 working days from the date of publication of the notice of the commencement of the environmental impact assessment on the website of the Environmental Protection Agency, with the time limit to be calculated as of the day following the date of publication.

Following the environmental impact assessment, the Environmental Protection Agency makes a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity. If the Environmental Protection Agency decides on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity that the activity complies with the requirements of the legislation on environmental protection, public health, protection of the immovable cultural heritage, fire safety and civil protection and will not have a significant negative impact on the environment, the planned economic activity may be carried out. If the Agency decides on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity that the planned economic activity does not comply with the requirements of the legislation on the protection of the environment, public health, the protection of the immovable cultural heritage, fire safety and civil protection and will have a significant adverse effect on the environment, the permits provided for by the legislation may not be granted and the activity may not be carried out.

(Environmental impact statement form)

CONCLUSION ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF

_____ (name of the planned economic activity)

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORTS AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS

1. Name of the planned economic activity: _____.
2. the nature of the conclusion on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity - approval or disapproval (delete what is not required).
3. Reasons for approval or disapproval of the proposed economic activity

(taking into account and referring to legislation on the environment, public health, protection of immovable cultural heritage, fire safety and civil protection).

4. Alternative(s) supported or opposed.

(indicate if alternatives have been considered in the report)

5. Proposed conditions to be imposed on the implementation of the planned economic activity in relation to the environmental impact assessment (please specify if such conditions are necessary and possible to impose in accordance with the requirements of legislation):

5.1. _____ before the commencement of operations _____;

5.2. statybos etape _____;

5.3. _____ during the operational phase _____;

5.4. _____ during the phase of cessation of activities _____.

6. Opinion on evaluation methods, results, quality of report

(based on legal requirements or international standards, scientific literature)

7. Proposed measures to avoid, reduce, compensate for and remedy potentially significant adverse environmental effects:

7.1. _____ prior to the commencement of operations _____;

7.2. statybos etape _____;

7.3. _____ during the operational phase _____;

7.4. _____ during the phase of cessation of activities _____.

8. Information on the sanitary protection zone established during the environmental impact assessment - approval or disapproval (delete what is not needed. To be filled in only by the authority authorised by the Minister of Health).

(The conclusion is provided in accordance with the competence referred to in Article 6(5) of the Law of the Republic of Lithuania on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities: 1) the authority authorised by the Minister of Health - on the possible impact of the planned economic activity on public health; 2) the authority authorised by the Minister of Culture, responsible for the protection of cultural heritage - in the field of protection of immovable cultural heritage - on the possible impact of the planned economic activity on immovable cultural heritage; 3) the authorities authorised by the Minister of the Interior responsible for fire and civil protection - on the possible occurrence of events, extreme events, emergencies, measures envisaged to prevent or mitigate them and to liquidate the consequences of the planned economic activity; 4) the authorities for protected areas authorised by the Minister of the Environment - on the impact of the implementation of the planned economic activity on the state protected areas, including the sites of the European Ecological Network Natura 2000; areas of particularly protected landscape and particularly distinctive landscape complexes defined in the general plan of the territory of the Republic of Lithuania, approved by the Government; sites of protected species or breeding sites; 5) the executive authority of the municipality - for the assessment of the environmental impact of the planned economic activity and the potential environmental impact of this activity, taking into account the solutions of the approved and valid spatial planning documents, the possibilities of their modification in accordance with the requirements of the legal acts regulating the spatial planning, the potential impact on the protected areas established by the municipality, and the data from the municipal environmental monitoring carried out in accordance with the Law on environmental monitoring of the Republic of Lithuania. Other EIA subjects not mentioned above shall submit their conclusions in accordance with their competence established by law.)

(Environmental impact decision form)

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT DECISION _____

(name of the planned economic activity)

1. Organiser of the planned economic activity

(name of legal entity, name of natural person, address, telephone)

2. Preparer of environmental impact assessment documents

(name of the legal entity, name of the natural person, address, phone number).

3. Name of the planned economic activity and legal basis for the environmental impact assessment

(in accordance with Article 3(1) of the Law of the Republic of Lithuania on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, indicating the item(s) of Annex 1 to the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities) or the screening conclusion adopted by the responsible authority that an environmental impact assessment is required (date, letter No.), or the significance conclusion of the protected areas authority that the impact may be significant (date, letter No), or the point(s) in Annex 2 to the Act on the Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities and the fact that the organiser of the planned economic activity has decided to proceed with the environmental impact assessment without carrying out a screening exercise for the EIA)

4. Location of the proposed economic activity

(county, municipality, ward; city, town, village or hamlet; if any, street, building no., unique and/or cadastral no. of the land plot)

5. Description of the planned economic activity

(main technical and economic indicators, alternatives considered, etc.)

6. Measures to avoid, reduce, compensate for and restore any significant adverse environmental effects:

6.1. before the commencement of the activity

(e.g. at the stage of a building permit, a permit to exploit subsoil resources or cavities, an integrated pollution prevention and control permit, a pollution permit or other permits specified in law)

6.2. during the operational phase

6.3. during the phase of decommissioning

7. Brief description of environmental monitoring measures, if applicable

8. Summary of the conclusions of the Environmental Impact Assessment Bodies

(nature, date, letter no.)

9. Public information and participation

(where, when, how the public was informed and participated, summary of the nature of the proposals from the public concerned, by topic, summary of the grounds on which the public proposals were accepted and/or rejected)

10. Transboundary environmental impact assessment, if applicable

(when and how the cross-border consultation took place, nature of the proposals received, results of the cross-border consultation)

11. Conditions for the implementation of the planned economic activity in relation to the environmental impact assessment carried out:

11.1. prior to the commencement of the activity (e.g. at the stage of obtaining a building permit, a permit for the exploitation of subsoil resources or cavities, an integrated pollution prevention and control permit, a pollution permit, or any other permits specified in law)

11.2. during the operational phase

11.3. during the winding-up phase

12. the grounds on which the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity was based

13. Alternative(s) supported or opposed, if alternatives considered in the report

14. Nature of the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity

(stating that the planned economic activity complies with or does not comply with the requirements of legislation on environmental protection, public health, protection of immovable cultural heritage, fire safety and civil protection, and that it will not have or will not have a significant negative impact on the environment)

15. The decision is based on the following environmental impact assessment report

(active link to the Agency's website where the EIA report is published)

16. The procedure for appealing against the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity (*this decision may be appealed against within one month from its receipt or publication to the Lithuanian Administrative Disputes Commission in accordance with the procedure established by the Law on Pre-Trial Administrative Disputes Procedure of the Republic of Lithuania or to the Regional Administrative Court in accordance with the procedure established by the Law on Administrative Proceedings of the Republic of Lithuania*).

(Form for decision on the extension of an environmental impact decision)

DECISION ON THE DECISION ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF

_____.
(name of the planned economic activity)

EXTENSION OF VALIDITY

1. Nature, date and letter registration No. of the decision taken by the Agency on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity.

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2. Date and registration number of the reasoned request submitted to the Agency by the promoter of the planned economic activity.

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3. Organiser of the planned economic activity

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(name of legal entity, name of natural person, address, telephone)

4. Name of the planned economic activity

_____.

5. Location of the proposed economic activity

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(county, municipality, ward; city, town, village or hamlet; if available, street, building no., unique and/or cadastral no. of the land plot)

6. Reasons given by the organiser of the planned economic activity for extending the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity

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7. The Agency's reasons for deciding to extend the validity of the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity

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8. Nature of the extension of the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity (*to be extended or not*) and the time limit for the extension

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9. The procedure for appeal against the decision on the extension of the validity of the environmental impact of the planned economic activity (*this decision may be appealed against within one month of its receipt or publication to the Lithuanian Administrative Disputes Commission in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Law on the Procedure of Pre-Trial Administrative Disputes of the Republic of Lithuania, or to the District Administrative Court in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Law on Administrative Proceedings of the Republic of Lithuania*).

APPROVED

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DESCRIPTION OF THE PROCEDURE FOR PREPARING ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT DOCUMENTS FOR PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES

CHAPTER I GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. The description of the procedure for the preparation of environmental impact assessment documents for planned economic activities (hereinafter referred to as the "Procedure Description") establishes the procedure for the preparation of environmental impact assessment (hereinafter referred to as the "EIA") documents - the EIA programme and the EIA report - as well as the requirements for their content, structure and format.

2. The Procedural Schedule shall be binding for all participants in the EIA process, specified in Article 5 of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities of the Republic of Lithuania.

3. The functions of the responsible authority referred to in Article 5(1)(1) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities shall be performed by the Environmental Protection Agency (hereinafter referred to as the "Agency") in accordance with the powers conferred by point 2 of the Resolution of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania No.900 of 28 July 2000 on the Conferral of Powers on the Ministry of the Environment and Institutions Subordinate to it, and the Ministry of the Environment shall coordinate the transboundary EIA process in accordance with the powers conferred by point 1 of the said resolution.

4. The EIA shall identify, characterise and assess the likely effects of the proposed development and the biological, chemical, physical and other factors it may cause, taking into account the state of the art in knowledge and assessment methods:

4.1. elements of the environment - soil, land surface and its depths, air, water, climate, landscape and biodiversity, with particular attention to species of European Community importance and natural habitats, as well as other species protected under the Law on Protected Species of Animals, Plants and Fungi of the Republic of Lithuania, territories of environmental significance, material values, immovable cultural property and the interaction between these elements;

4.2. public health, including interactions between environmental elements and public health.

5. Biological, chemical, physical and other factors may cause and have a significant effect on the environmental elements and public health referred to in point 4 of the Schedule, including (but not limited to):

5.1. the carrying out of the planned economic activity (use of technology, production, introduction, upgrading or modification of technological equipment and the production process, change in the production method, quantity or type of production), the existence of an economic activity, the construction or demolition of structures;

5.2. the use of natural resources (land and subsoil, soil, water, biodiversity) in a sustainable way;

5.3. the use of raw materials, chemicals and chemical mixtures, including hazardous chemicals and chemical mixtures, and radioactive substances;

5.4. emissions to water, land, ambient air, including greenhouse gas emissions;

5.5. the physical pollutants generated, including noise, vibration, light, heat and ionising radiation;

5.6. the generation, storage, use and disposal of non-hazardous, hazardous and radioactive waste and/or residues;

5.7. the nuisance (interference) caused by the planned economic activity;

5.8. the climate impact of the proposed economic activity, including its vulnerability to climate change;

5.9. threats to the environment (including immovable cultural heritage) and human health due to the vulnerability of the planned economic activity to the risk of extreme events and/or potential emergencies (e.g, technical event due to the failure of various technical means or technological processes, which could lead to major accidents; natural event due to natural, catastrophic meteorological and hydrological phenomena, geological phenomena, which may be caused by climate change and which could lead to natural disasters; environmental event due to the contamination of the ambient air, water, soil, ground by chemical, biological and radioactive substances, which could lead to emergency situations).

6. The EIA shall consider all potential direct and indirect effects of the proposed development, including secondary, cumulative, transboundary, short-term, medium- and long-term, permanent and temporary, positive and negative.

7. The EIA examines:

7.1 all planned functionally and/or chronologically related sites of the same planned economic activity;

7.2. other economic activities in the vicinity of the planned economic activity;

7.3. other planned economic activities in the vicinity of the planned economic activity for which a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity has been taken and is in force, or a screening conclusion has been taken and is in force that an environmental impact assessment is not mandatory.

8. Appropriate measures shall be taken to avoid, reduce, remedy or, where possible, compensate for significant adverse effects on the environment and public health identified in the EIA.

9. The environmental impact assessment and the preparation of the EIA documents shall take into account the environmental protection objectives relevant to the planned economic activity, established at European Union and national level.

10. Personal data are processed in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data and repealing Directive 95/46/EC (General Data Protection Regulation) and the Law on Legal Protection of Personal Data of the Republic of Lithuania.

11. The terms used in the Procedure Description shall be understood as defined in the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, the Law on Environmental Protection of the Republic of Lithuania, the Law on Territorial Planning of the Republic of Lithuania, the Law on Construction of the Republic of Lithuania, the Law on Protected Territories of the Republic of Lithuania, the Law on Species of Animals, Plants and Fungi under Protection, the Law on Crisis Management and Civil Safety of the Republic of Lithuania, the Law on Chemical Substances and Mixtures of the Republic of Lithuania, the Waste Management Law of the Republic of Lithuania, and the Law on Management of Radioactive Waste of the Republic of Lithuania.

CHAPTER II

PREPARATION OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT PROGRAMME

12. The EIA programme shall be drawn up in order to define the scope of the assessment, the content of the EIA report and the issues to be addressed in it. The EIA programme shall, subject to the provisions of points 4 to 9 of the Schedule, include:

12.1. a concise description of the planned economic activity and its location, indicating the technical characteristics and technological process of the activity, the energy resources required, the intended use of raw materials and materials and their quantities, the extent of use of natural resources (living and non-living elements of nature), particularly water, the land surface and its subsoil, the soil,

biodiversity, and the regulation of the use of the site (land use designations and uses) in the phases of the preparation for, construction, operation and cessation of the planned economic activity;

12.2. information on the reasonable alternatives to be considered (e.g. location, timing, technical and technological solutions, mitigation measures), including the 'zero' alternative (no activity);

12.3. a concise description of the area and the environmental features for which the effects of the proposed development will be examined and assessed, and the aspects of public health that will be assessed;

12.4. information on the methods of prediction and assessment of environmental effects to be used in the assessment and the measures envisaged to avoid, reduce or compensate for the adverse effects of the planned economic activity on the environment, where these measures are known at the time of preparation of the EIA programme;

12.5. information on the possible significant impact of the planned economic activity on the environment of another Member State of the European Union and/or on the environment of a foreign state, not a Member State of the European Union, which is a party to the 1991 United Nations Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (hereinafter referred to as "the Convention") (hereinafter referred to as the "affected State").

CHAPTER III

PREPARATION OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT

13. The EIA report shall be prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Procedural Schedule and taking into account the recommended structure and content of the EIA report set out in Annex 1 thereto, in accordance with the EIA programme approved by the Agency, or taking into account the proposals of the participants in the EIA process, if a notification of commencement of the EIA has been submitted, and of the State affected by the environment, if the proposed economic activity is subject to the procedures of the transboundary EIA, and the State affected by the environment has submitted proposals.

14. In preparing the EIA report, the provisions of Annex 1 to the Procedural Schedule shall be adapted to the specific planned economic activity, taking into account the specifics of the planned economic activity (its scale, nature, location) and the possibility of collecting the necessary information.

15. The following provisions of the Law on Renewable Energy of the Republic of Lithuania shall be taken into account in the preparation of the EIA report for the construction of wind power plants:

15.1. establishing the minimum required distance from the central axis of the wind turbine mast to garden houses, residential buildings, hotels, cultural buildings, general education, vocational, higher education schools, kindergartens, nurseries, science buildings for educational purposes, other science buildings, non-formal education, recreational, medical, sports and religious buildings, special purpose buildings related to accommodation (barracks buildings, penitentiary institutions), premises of specified use in buildings of other purposes, recreational areas - Article 49(9) - (15);

15.2. for landscape impact assessment, Article 49(18). The list of the most valuable landscape panoramic viewpoints identified in the most valuable landscape habitats referred to in this paragraph is set out in Annex 2 to the Schedule to the Procedure.

16. Relevant information from the Strategic Environmental Assessment or other assessments may be used in the preparation of the EIA report.

17. The EIA report contains the following information:

17.1. a description of the location of the planned economic activity, including information on the existing and intended use of the site (land use and land use designations and patterns) during the preparation, construction, operation and abandonment phases of the planned economic activity. The location of the planned economic activity (alternative sites) and the distances to residential areas,

public facilities, recreational areas, immovable cultural property, protected areas and neighbouring countries;

17.2. a description of the planned economic activity (including demolition, if any), including information on its physical and technical characteristics and technological processes, energy demand and use, the intended use of raw materials and supplies and their quantities, the use of natural resources (elements of living and non-living nature), in particular water, the land surface and its subsoil, soil, biodiversity resources, in the phases of the preparation for, construction, operation and cessation of the planned economic activity;

17.3. an assessment of the types and quantities of pollutants (including water, air, soil and subsoil pollution, odours, noise, vibration, light, heat, radiation) generated during the preparation, construction, operation and abandonment phases of the planned economic activity;

17.4. an assessment of the types and quantities of waste and/or residues generated during the preparation, construction, operation and abandonment phases of the planned economic activity and a description of their management;

17.5. a description of the reasonable alternatives to the planned economic activity that have been examined (e.g. location, scale, technical and technological solutions, timing, mitigation measures), including information on the main reasons for the choice of the alternative(s) proposed by the preparer of the EIA dossier, taking into account the likely environmental effects of the planned economic activity and the best available techniques, if applicable;

17.6. information on the existing state of the environment and the likely natural changes to the environment in the absence of the activity ("zero" alternative). The information provided shall be such as can be assessed with reasonable effort, taking into account the availability of environmental information and the availability of scientific knowledge;

17.7. information on the environmental elements and public health referred to in point 4 of the Schedule, which may be significantly affected by the planned economic activity;

17.8. information on the likely significant effects of the planned economic activity referred to in point 6 of the Schedule on the elements of the environment and on public health referred to in point 4 of the Schedule, which are likely to be caused by the factors referred to in point 5 of the Schedule, taking into account the provisions of point 7 of the Schedule;

17.9. information on potential significant transboundary environmental impacts on the affected State;

17.10. information on the measures envisaged to avoid, reduce, remediate, restore or, where possible, compensate for any significant adverse effects on the environment and public health. A description of these measures shall be provided, indicating at what stage of the planned operation (preparation for the planned operation, construction, operation and cessation) they will be implemented;

17.11. information on measures to prevent or mitigate potential emergencies and their consequences. A description of these measures shall be provided, indicating at what stage of the planned economic activity (preparation for the planned economic activity, construction, operation and cessation of the economic activity) they will be envisaged and implemented;

17.12. a description of the prediction methods (including modelling software) used to identify and assess significant environmental effects;

17.13. a description of the data/evidence supporting the conclusions/statements of the evaluation;

17.14. information on the main uncertainties and problems of a technical, methodological or practical nature that have arisen during the evaluation;

17.15. an analysis of the environmental monitoring data (if any) carried out;

17.16. a description of the monitoring measures to be implemented during the preparation, construction, operation and abandonment phases of the planned economic activity;

17.17. a summary of all the information addressed in the EIA report in a non-technical form;

17.18. a list of literature and information sources used in the impact assessment and the preparation of the EIA report.

18. The annexes to the EIA report include:

18.1. relevant graphic material (maps, diagrams, drawings, plans or other information provided by graphic means) not older than 3 years from the date of the first submission of the EIA report to the Agency;

18.2. information on the higher education, reputation and work experience of the EIA document preparer, demonstrating that the EIA document preparer authorised by the organiser of the planned economic activity meets the requirements set out in Article 5(3) of the Law on the Impact of Planned Economic Activities on Environment. Copies of documents certifying that the applicant has acquired higher education in a field relevant to the specifics of the environmental impact assessment documents or parts thereof to be prepared shall be provided. Information on the reputation of the preparer of the EIA documentation shall be provided in the form set out in Annex 3 to the Procedures. Information on work experience in the field relevant to the specifics of the EIA documents or parts thereof being prepared shall be provided in the curriculum vitae(s) of the natural person(s) and/or the legal entity specialist(s);

18.3. copies of the conclusions of the EIA bodies, correspondence with state or other authorities;

18.4. documents on public information and participation in the EIA process:

18.4.1. documents proving that the information has been posted on notice boards and websites, copies of all notices;

18.4.2. a copy of the page(s) of the newspaper(s) in which the notices were published;

18.4.3. a completed registration form for registration of proposals from the interested public as set out in the description of the procedure for public information and participation in the process of assessment of the impact of planned economic activity on the environment;

18.4.4. together with the organiser of the planned economic activity, an assessment of the interested public's proposals (in the form set out in the Procedures for Public Information and Participation in the Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities);

18.4.5. a copy of the minutes of the public consultation on the EIA report;

18.5. information on the transboundary EIA procedures carried out and their results.

CHAPTER IV

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PRESENTATION OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT PROGRAMME AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT

19. Cover. The cover page shall indicate the title of the EIA programme or EIA report and of the planned activity and whether the planned activity is of overriding public interest and considered to be of public security importance; the version number of the EIA programme or EIA report, if any; and the year, month of preparation.

20. Title page. This is the first page of the EIA document, indicating the title of the EIA programme or EIA report and of the planned economic activity and whether the planned economic activity is of overriding public interest and considered to be of public security importance; the location of the planned economic activity (county, municipality, district, town, city, village or hamlet, if any, street, building no.), unique and/or cadastral no. of the land plot); the version number of the EIA programme or EIA report, if any; the year and month of preparation; the contact details of the organiser of the planned economic activity (name of the natural person, name of the legal person, website, address, telephone, e-mail).

21. The second page of the EIA document shall contain information on the preparer(s): his/her/their details (name of natural person; name of legal person; website, address, telephone, e-mail). Details of all drafters of the EIA document or individual parts of the EIA document must be provided. If the EIA document has been prepared by more than one preparer, it shall be indicated which part was prepared by which preparer.

22. Content. The table of contents shall include the titles and page numbers of all chapters, sections, subsections and annexes (where an EIA report is being prepared).

23. Information on the planned economic activity, the planned assessment and the scope of the assessment is provided in the relevant sections of the EIA programme. Information on the planned economic activity, the assessment carried out and the results of the assessment in accordance with Annex 1 to the Procedural Schedule shall be provided in the relevant chapters of the EIA report. The drafters of EIA documents may refer to chapters containing the information necessary for the assessment of the impact on certain elements of the environment in order to avoid duplication of the same relevant information in other chapters. The calculations of the estimated emissions from the proposed operation and the data used for the calculations shall be presented in the relevant chapter of the EIA report, and the calculations shall not be repeated in the other chapters, but only the results of the calculations and the references to the chapter in which they are presented.

24. The chapters of the EIA programme or the chapters and annexes of the EIA report must be titled and separated so that the information can be easily found where necessary.

25. Where EIA documents use information from scientific literature or other sources of information, the source of the information must be indicated in a footnote. Footnotes shall be numbered consecutively in Arabic numerals throughout the EIA document.

26. Where the preparer of EIA documents uses relevant information from a strategic environmental assessment or other assessment under other legislation to avoid duplication of assessment, this information shall be provided in a footnote or in the text. The assessment may use the analogy method.

27. The organiser of the planned economic activity or the preparer of the EIA documents shall indicate what data, in accordance with the requirements of Article 1.116 of the Civil Code of the Republic of Lithuania, it considers to be a commercial (industrial) secret, which shall not be disclosed or otherwise made available to third parties without the written consent of the organiser of the planned economic activity. Personal data of natural persons shall not be made public, with the exception of the contact details of the organiser of the planned economic activity and the preparer of the EIA documents (name of the legal entity, name, surname, address, telephone number, e-mail address of the natural person), which shall be made public together with the EIA documents.

28. EIA documents are submitted in electronic format. It shall be accompanied by a signed cover letter certifying that the information provided is correct. The cover letter shall be signed with a qualified electronic signature or produced by means of electronic communications which ensure the integrity and unalterability of the text and the identification of the person providing the information. The EIA document shall be submitted in accordance with the following requirements:

28.1. the digital file of the main document shall be in *.docx or *.odt format and in *.pdf format, and the supporting information in one of these formats: *.pdf, *.jpg, *.gif, *.tif., and graphical information in one of the following formats: *.pdf, *.svg, *.jpg, *.gif, *.tif, *.png. Graphic documents shall have a minimum resolution requirement of 200 dpi;

28.2. where EIA documents contain personal data or data considered to be a commercial/industrial secret, such data shall be separated and filed in a separate folder or file when submitted by electronic means or recorded on digital media. Security measures (e.g. password protection) may be taken when providing such data.

29. Where it is not technically feasible to reproduce or read the information submitted electronically, EIA documents and their annexes may be submitted in hard copy (stapled or bound) and recorded on digital media.

30. If EIA documents are submitted in hard copy, they must be stapled or bound and the pages numbered. Where printed EIA documents contain personal data or data considered to be commercially/industrially confidential, the sheets containing personal data or data considered to be commercially/industrially confidential shall be submitted under separate cover.

Description of the procedure for the preparation of environmental impact assessment documents for planned economic activities
Annex 1

RECOMMENDED IN THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT STRUCTURE AND CONTENT

CHAPTER I INTRODUCTION

1. Name and type of planned economic activity.
2. Legal basis for environmental impact assessment. Indicate which item(s) of the list of types of planned economic activity listed in Annex 1 to the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities of the Republic of Lithuania, for which an environmental impact assessment is required, the planned economic activity corresponds to, or the letter from the responsible authority (date, No.) with a screening conclusion that an environmental impact assessment is mandatory, or a conclusion of the protected areas authority that the impact of the implementation of the planned economic activity on the sites of the European ecological network Natura 2000 is likely to be significant (date, letter no.), or the item(s) in Annex 2 of the Act on the Environmental Impact Assessment of the Planned Economic Activity, and the fact that the organiser of the planned economic activity has decided to initiate the environmental impact assessment without carrying out a screening of the planned economic activity for the purpose of the environmental impact assessment.
2. The relevance of the planned economic activity to the strategic objectives of the State, indicating the State's strategic plans for its implementation. Indicate whether the planned economic activity is necessary for the implementation of a project of national or regional importance.
3. Linking the environmental impact assessment of the planned economic activity to the planning and design phases.

CHAPTER II INFORMATION ON THE PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

SECTION 1 LOCATION OF THE PROPOSED ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

4. Location (address) of the planned economic activity according to administrative territorial units, parts thereof and residential areas (county, municipality, ward, city, town, township, village, homestead, if any - street, building no., unique and/or cadastral no. of the land plot).
5. Where site alternatives are considered, a description of each such alternative shall be provided.
6. The location of the land parcel or site of the planned economic activity in accordance with the approved (indicate by whom and when approved) spatial planning document: the main direction of development of the site, the functional zones of the site and the types of use. Indication of whether the planned economic activity corresponds to the content of the types of use of the territory in accordance with the approved spatial planning document, or whether a change of land use and land use will be required. An extract from the approved spatial planning document of an existing condition drawing with the location of the planned economic activity and the boundaries of the land parcel or area marked. If the land parcel or site of the planned economic activity is contiguous with other

administrative territorial units, the land use designations of all contiguous administrative territorial units shall be indicated in accordance with the approved spatial planning documents.

7. Information on the land parcel(s) or area (private, municipal or state ownership, contractual lease) where the proposed economic activity is planned. If a land use plan has been drawn up for the planned economic activity, the main land use and the type(s) of land use, special land use conditions (restrictions and protection zones) established in accordance with the legislation. At the time of the environmental impact assessment, the organiser of the planned economic activity shall not be required to have any ownership, management or use rights over the site(s) under consideration for the environmental impact assessment of the planned economic activity. A map indicating the parcel(s) no. and boundaries is attached.

8. Information shall be provided on the proximity of the planned economic activity - the environment of the area where the planned economic activity is to be carried out, the environment of the area immediately adjacent to the planned economic activity, and/or the environment of the area linked by natural connections, which may be subject to significant adverse effects due to the nature and/or scale of the planned economic activity. Indicate:

8.1. the location of the site(s) or area of the planned economic activity in relation to recreational, resort, residential, public, industrial and warehousing, and engineering infrastructure areas, and the distance from these areas and/or existing structures to the site of the planned economic activity (the boundary of the object or parcel of land, if formed);

8.2. the location of the site(s) or area of the proposed economic activity in environmentally sensitive areas (e.g. surface water bodies and their protection zones and zones, flood zones, karst region, freshwater and mineral water bodies and their protection zones and zones), protected areas, Natura 2000 sites, natural biotopes (e.g. In relation to natural habitats (e.g. forests, parks, natural meadows and pastures, marshes, springs, water bodies), natural habitats of European Community importance and protected species sites, landscape, immovable cultural property, and subsoil resources, the distance to these sites shall be indicated;

8.3. the location of the site(s) or area of the planned economic activity in areas that pose an accident risk (e.g., (e.g. areas subject to flooding, karst area, nearby hazardous objects or historically polluted areas where, according to the results of the environmental monitoring carried out or the results of an ecogeological survey carried out in accordance with the legal requirements, the environmental quality standards applicable to the project have already been breached) for the planned economic activity and which are liable to cause significant adverse effects on the environment and public health, and the distances to these areas.

9. A map of the parcel(s) or area where the economic activity is planned, with the contiguity of the parcel or area, is attached. The map must be no more than 3 years old, counting from the date of the first submission of the EIA report to the Environmental Protection Agency (hereinafter referred to as the Agency). The map shall define the location of the planned economic activity and show the natural and anthropogenic features on the ground surface and their distances to them. The scale of the map (1:500, 1:1 000, 1:2 000; 1:5 000, 1:10 000, 1:50 000) shall be chosen on the basis of an assessment of the scale of the planned economic activity, the size of the planned area and of the area likely to be affected by the planned economic activity, and the specific nature of the planned economic activity.

10. Each environmental element (water, ambient air, climate, land surface and its depths, soil, landscape and biodiversity (flora, fauna, fungi, habitats), material assets, immovable cultural property), public health, which may be significantly affected by the proposed development, shall be described in the EIA report in accordance with Chapter II of this Annex.

11. Thematic spatial data information (spatial objects or phenomena) for the environmental element being assessed may be presented separately in thematic maps, which must have a title and a legend (explanation of the conventional symbols). Where multiple data layers are represented on a map, the map symbology shall be indicated accordingly. Other means of presenting graphical information (e.g. diagrams, graphs, charts, schemes, drawings) may also be used to present thematic graphical information (combining data and graphical components), taking into account the

specificities of the planned economic activity. The graphical material must be no more than 3 years old from the date of the first submission of the EIA report to the Agency.

SECOND SECTION THE PHYSICAL AND TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF THE PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

12. A description of the phases of the planned economic activity: preparation for the planned economic activity, the construction phase (e.g. estimated construction timeframes, demolition of structures, hard surfacing, removal of utilities, excavation, storage, use of soil and scrap, felling of forests or trees, construction of access roads or reconstruction of existing ones), the operation phase (start of the economic activity, sequence, working hours), and the abandonment phase of the economic activity.

13. Physical characteristics of the planned economic activity: the required area of the land plot and the planned area of development or excavation, the planned buildings, installations and their purpose, the planned demolition works, the required engineering infrastructure: engineering networks (water supply, sewage disposal, heat, energy), communications (roads, streets, pavements, parking spaces), as well as structures outside the plot of land for the planned economic activity, including engineering networks and communications, and their location in the graphic material of the EIA report (map).

14. Data on the output (services) and maximum (design) capacity of the proposed economic activity (to be completed in Table 1). In the case of an extension of the economic activity, the maximum (design) capacity of both the existing and the planned economic activity.

Table 1. Data on the output (services) of the proposed economic activity

Name (range)	Measures pcs, t, m ³ , pcs, etc.	Maximum quantity per year
1	2	3

15. Data on estimated energy, fuel and fuel use, energy production (description and completion of Tables 2 and 3). Energy consumption for individual processes or groups of processes. Energy consumed and/or produced from renewable energy sources.

Table 2. Energy, fuel and fuel use

Energy, fuel resources	Measurement units, t, m ³ , kWh, etc.	Consumption per year	Sources of resources
1	2	3	4
Electricity			
Thermal energy			
Natural gas			
Liquefied gas			
Mazutas			
Furnace fuel			
Diesel			
Coal			
Petrol			
Biofuels: 1) 2)			
Other solid fuels: 1) 2)			

Energy, fuel resources	Measurement units, t, m ³ , kWh, etc.	Consumption per year	Sources of resources
1	2	3	4
Other liquid fuels: 1) 2)			
Other gaseous fuels: 1) 2)			

Table 3. Energy production

Energy type	Planned production
1	2
Electricity, kWh	
Thermal energy, kWh	

16. Details of raw materials, chemicals and chemical mixtures used and their storage (complete Table 4).

Table 4. Data on raw materials, chemicals and chemical mixtures used and their storage

Name of the raw material, chemical substance or chemical mixture (excluding fuels, fuels, solvent-containing substances and mixtures)	Planned annual quantity to be used	Classification and labelling of a substance or chemical mixture		Method of transport	Quantity stored on site, t	Method of storage
		Hazard class and category	Danger phrase			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Note: The classification and labelling of a substance or chemical mixture shall be provided in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of chemicals and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, as last amended on 12 August 2021. Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2021/1962 of 20 August 2009.

17. Data on solvent-containing chemicals and chemical mixtures (to be completed in Table 5).

Table 5. Data on solvent-based chemicals and chemical mixtures and their storage

Activities involving the use of solvent-based chemicals and chemical mixtures	Name of the solvent-containing substance or chemical mixture	Components of solvent-based chemicals and chemical mixtures					Planned (maximum) solvent consumption, t/m.	Solvent consumption limit, t/m.	Solvent-based chemicals and chemical mixtures are planned:	
		Name	Hazard class and category	Danger phrase	Concentration, %				quantity stored on site, t	method of storage
					From	By				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11

Notes:

In column 1, information on activities involving the use of solvent-containing chemicals and chemical mixtures shall be provided in anticipation of the economic activities specified in the Rules on the limitation of emissions of volatile organic compounds from the use of organic solvents in installations for certain activities and on the registration of installations approved by the Order of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania of 5 December 2002, No 620 "On the Approval of the Rules on the Limitation of Emissions of Volatile Organic Compounds Produced by the Use of Solvents in Installations for Certain Activities and on the Registration of Installations".

2. in column 5, the hazard class and category according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council.

18. Data on the radioactive material to be used in the planned operation: names, quantities, storage and handling. Radionuclides, their activity, data on the generation of radioactive waste in accordance with the nuclear safety requirements BSR-1.9.1-2017 'Standards for the release of radionuclides into the environment from nuclear power facilities and requirements for the plan for the release of radionuclides into the environment', approved by the Head of the State Nuclear Safety Inspectorate in 2011. The State Nuclear Safety Inspectorate of the State Nuclear Safety Authority has adopted the Order No 22.3-89 of 27 September 2017 "On the approval of the Nuclear Safety Requirements BSR-1.9.1-2017 'Norms and requirements for the plan for the release of radionuclides into the environment from nuclear power facilities'".

19. Waste data. Waste from production and other economic activities shall be managed in accordance with the Waste Management Rules approved by the Order of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania of 14 July 1999 No 217 "On the Approval of Waste Management Rules".

Information on the technological processes that generate waste, storage and handling of waste (fill in Table 6). If the waste is used or disposed of, information on the technological process for its use or disposal shall be provided. Description of the alternatives for the generation and/or management of the waste. Other information that may be relevant to the assessment.

Information on measures to prevent, prepare for reuse, recycle and recover waste arising from the planned economic activity and, if technically and economically not feasible, to dispose of it, including measures to avoid, reduce and compensate for significant adverse environmental effects.

Table 6. Waste, waste management

Technological process	Waste							Waste management activities	On-site storage of waste	
	Name	Quantity		Code	Name	Revised name	Aggregate state (solid, liquid, paste)		Storage conditions	Maximum quantity to be stored at any one time, t/m.
		t/d.	t/m.							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	

20. Information on technological processes:

20.1. a layout diagram of existing and planned structures (scale 1:500 to 1:1 000, 1:5 000, 1:10 000, 1:50 000 for linear infrastructure) and a list;

20.2. a description and flowchart of the technological process(es) of the planned economic activity;

20.3. a description of the proposed production methods, equipment, their comparison and assessment against the best environmental practices and best available techniques (hereinafter referred to as "BAT") in the European Union (hereinafter referred to as the "EU") for this type of economic activity, and an assessment of the feasibility of their implementation, in accordance with the EU's BAT reference documents. The EU BAT reference documents and their annotations are

available on the website of the Environmental Protection Agency (<http://aaa.lrv.lt>) and on the website of the European Integrated Pollution Prevention and Control Agency (<https://eippcb.jrc.ec.europa.eu/reference>);

20.4. the description of the BAT shall pay particular attention to the use of low-waste technologies and less hazardous materials, the promotion of the reuse and recycling of materials generated and used in the process, the preparation for reuse and recycling of relevant wastes, and the consumption and nature of the raw materials used in the process, including water, and their energy efficiency and information on operational testing on an industrial scale; where the specific equipment to be used in the process of the planned activity is known, the equipment shall be declared to comply with the technical documentation of the manufacturer, which shall be attached Where information is available, an assessment of the best environmental practices for the type of planned economic activity;

20.5. a description of the application of the technological measures contained in the HELCOM recommendations for the relevant economic activities in accordance with the production methods proposed by the organiser of the proposed economic activity;

20.6. where a combustion plant with an electrical capacity of 300 MW or more is planned, an assessment shall be made of the existence of suitable geological storage facilities for carbon dioxide; the technical and economic feasibility of carbon dioxide transport facilities; and the technical and economic feasibility of retrofitting carbon dioxide capture equipment; if the above conditions are met, information demonstrating that sufficient space has been provided on the site of the combustion plant for the equipment necessary for the capture and compression of carbon dioxide, indicating the location in the graphical material (diagram or map) of the EIA report.

CHAPTER III

THE LIKELY SIGNIFICANT EFFECTS OF THE PROPOSED OPERATION, MEASURES TO AVOID, REDUCE AND COMPENSATE FOR THE LIKELY SIGNIFICANT ADVERSE ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS

21. The alternatives under consideration describe the significant impacts on environmental elements (soil, land surface and subsurface, air, water, climate, landscape and biodiversity, with particular emphasis on species of European Community importance and natural habitats) during the preparation, construction, operation and decommissioning phases of the proposed development, as well as other species protected under the Act on Protected Species of Animals, Plants and Fungi, environmentally important sites, material assets, immovable cultural property and the interaction between these elements) and public health, including the interaction between environmental elements and public health.

22. The sections of this chapter describe:

22.1. the status of the environmental features likely to be significantly affected by the proposed development, including data from monitoring (if any) of the environmental features and public health. Statistical and other data for the last 3 years shall be used;

22.2. the alternatives assessed for each of the planned economic activities (e.g., 2.2.2.1.1.1 - the environmental impact of the proposed alternative for each environmental element and the impact on public health separately, with particular reference to natural and species habitats of European Community importance (data on these habitats are published in the Biodiversity Database (<https://biomon.lt>) and in the Lithuanian Spatial Information Portal (www.geoportal.lt/map)), protected species (information on them is available in the Protected Species Information System database (<https://sris.am.lt/>)), a comparison of these alternatives with each other and with the "zero" alternative, i.e. the expected changes in aspects of the current state of the environment in the absence of the project, indicating the reasons for the choice of the alternative; a description of the methods chosen for the analysis and comparison of the alternatives (for example, (e.g. checklists; matrices; maps, including multi-layer maps; computer modelling methods, including Geographical Information Systems (GIS); statistical data analysis methods);

22.3. the expected significant effects of all the alternatives considered for the planned operation on the environmental elements and public health referred to in point 21 of this Annex during the preparation, construction, operation and cessation phases of the planned operation, taking into account any potential direct and indirect effects of the planned operation, including secondary, cumulative, transboundary, short, medium and long-term, permanent and temporary, positive and negative, which may be caused by the factors referred to in point 5 of the Description of the Procedure for the Preparation of Environmental Impact Assessment Documents for Planned Economic Activities (hereinafter referred to as 'the Procedure');

22.4. the measures to be taken to avoid, reduce, remedy, restore or, where possible, compensate for any significant adverse effects on the environment and public health. A description of these measures shall be provided, indicating at what stage of the planned operation they will be envisaged and implemented (pre-operational, construction, operational and decommissioning phases);

22.5. the monitoring measures to be implemented. The parameters to be monitored and the duration of the monitoring shall be selected taking into account the nature, location, scale and significance of the environmental impact of the planned economic activity. The monitoring description shall be prepared in accordance with the Law on Environmental Monitoring of the Republic of Lithuania, the Regulations on Environmental Monitoring of Economic Operators approved by Order No D1-546 of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania of 16 September 2009 "On the Approval of the Regulations on Environmental Monitoring of Economic Operators", and the provisions of other legal acts which lay down the requirements of environmental monitoring.

SECTION 1 VANDUO

Description of the current situation

23. Information on surface water bodies (rivers, lakes, ponds, canals, the Baltic Sea, the Curonian Lagoon) in the area of the planned economic activity and in the vicinity of the planned economic activity:

23.1. the name of the surface water body, identification code according to the Cadastre of Rivers, Lakes and Ponds of the Republic of Lithuania (<https://uetk.biip.lt>), location in relation to the planned economic activity (a site plan with marked protection zones and belts shall be attached), area (ha), average and maximum depths, environmental flow rate, actual flow rates (fluctuations, trends), changes in the hydro-morphological condition, changes in the ecological condition;

23.2. flooding from surface water bodies and the extent of flooded areas according to the Flood Hazard and Risk Areas Map (<http://potvyniai.aplinka.lt/potvyniai>);

23.3. water protection objectives for surface water bodies, measures in river basin district management plans, restrictions on use, etc;

23.4. whether the surface water bodies are located in a protected area, including Natura 2000 sites, or whether they are related to the conservation of valuable natural complexes and biodiversity, or whether they are important for the stability of the ecological balance of wetlands and other environmental features;

23.5. whether the surface water bodies are important for recreation, water tourism, amateur and/or commercial fishing;

23.6. whether surface water bodies meet the criteria for good ecological status, and information on the regenerative capacity (recovery) of water bodies;

23.7. the existing anthropogenic load on surface water bodies:

23.7.1. the extent to which water is used (for technological processes, irrigation, fisheries, hydropower, etc.);

23.7.2. the sources and extent of concentrated pollution (discharge points and quantities of effluent).

24. Information on the hydrogeological conditions of the land plot or territory of the planned economic activity and adjacent territories: depth of groundwater subsidence, conditions, dynamics,

28.2. the summary information shall be presented in tables to the extent that the description of the potential effects of the planned economic activity is consistent with the content of the tables.

Potential concentrated and diffuse pollution of water from the planned economic activity

29. Information on the sources of wastewater/pollution, planned locations of wastewater and/or pollutant discharges, expected pollution (calculations, justification), quantity (calculations, justification), magnitude of pollution, unevenness of wastewater and/or pollutant generation. Information on the quantity and treatment of surface (storm) water (calculations, justification).

30. Information on the surface water body (receiving water body) to which the waste water is planned to be discharged or otherwise polluted as a result of the planned economic activity (to be completed in Table 10).

Table 10. Information on the surface water body (receiving body) to which the waste water is planned to be discharged or otherwise polluted as a result of the proposed development activity

Eil. No.	Name and category of the water body and the cadastral object identification code for rivers, lakes and ponds	80 % probability of the average flow of the driest month, m ³ /s (for rivers)	Water body area, ha (for standing water bodies)	Status of the water body					
				Indicator	Existing (background) condition		Permissible load on the water body		
					Units in Mato.	Meaning	hydraulic, m ³ /d.	Pollutants	
								Units in Mato.	Meaning
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

Notes:

Column 1 shall contain the serial number of the waste water reception facility (surface water body). The receptor shall be marked on the diagram attached to the EIA report.

2. in column 2, the surface water body to which the discharge is planned or in whose catchment area the outfall is located and the category of the body: river, lake, pond, peat; installation (e.g. drainage ditch) or other.

Column 3 shall be completed in accordance with the description of the procedure for calculating the nature protection water flow, approved by the Order of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania No D1-382 of 29 July 2005 "On the Approval of the Description of the Procedure for Calculation of the Nature Protection Water Flow".

4. Column 5 shall contain the parameters used to assess the impact of the effluent on the receiver.

6. Graphs 6 and 7 indicate the status of the water body upstream of the outfall (applies to rivers).

7. in Schedules 8 to 10, the results of the assessment of the permissible effects on the water body at the planned discharge point, carried out in accordance with the legal provisions.

31. Information on other wastewater management options. Where sewage infiltration into the ground and/or use of wastewater management infrastructure owned by others is planned, complete Table 11).

Table 11. Information on wastewater discharges.

		Permissible receiver load
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Eil. No.	Description of the waste water discharge point/receiving facility	Hydraulic	Pollutants		
		m ³ /d.	Parameter	Units in Mato.	Meaning
1	2	3	4	5	6

Notes:

1. Column 1 shall contain the serial number of the waste water reception facility. The numbering of receivers shall continue from the last receiver (surface water body) number in Table 10. The number shall be the same as the number of the waste water discharge point and/or reception point on the diagram of the site/facility submitted with the EIA report.

2. column 2 must describe where and by what means the waste water from the site and/or installation is to be discharged (e.g. waste water is planned to be stored in a 300 m³ tank and transported once a month to the city's waste water treatment plant (specify the transporter, the name of the treatment plant and the person operating the plant); waste water is to be infiltrated into the ground in a 1 000 m² underground filtration field; waste water is planned to be discharged into the sewerage network (specify the person operating the sewerage network); etc.).

3. information on the permissible load of the receiver shall be provided if the permissible load of the waste water receiver to be described (intended to be used) is limited (e.g. limit conditions set by the waste water treatment plant operator, permissible loads in the design of the filtration plant etc.).

4. column 5 indicates the parameters which may limit the reception of waste water discharges planned by the organiser of the planned economic activity.

32. Data on sources and/or dischargers of waste water (to be completed in Table 12).

Table 12. Data on sources/dischargers of waste water

No.	Coordinates	Receiver number	Description of the waste water to be discharged	Type of release valve, technical data	Description of the location of the outlet	Maximum expected discharge of waste water	
						m ³ /d.	m ³ /m.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

Notes:

Column 1 shall contain the number of the outfall or source (the source shall be described when waste water is discharged to the environment or transferred to other persons other than via a fixed outfall, (e.g. by means of sanitation vehicles, etc.). The number in the table shall correspond to the number by which the outfall or source is identified on the attached plan.

2. in column 2, the coordinates of the point at which the waste water is discharged to the environment (e.g. last well before discharge to an underground filtration plant, end of a discharge pipe to a river, etc.), discharged into sewerage networks belonging to other persons, transferred to mobile tanks, or otherwise removed from the source.

(3) In column 3, the number of the receiver to which the effluent is intended to be discharged via the described outfall or from the described effluent source from Table 10 or Table 11.

Column 4 shall indicate the type of waste water (industrial, domestic, surface, mixed, slurry, sludge, or similar) and the activity(ies) generating the waste water planned to be discharged via the described outfall or from the described source of waste water.

5. in column 5, the type of outfall or source (e.g. quay, carriage, bottom, surface filtration, underground filtration, sewer outfall, storage tank, etc.) and the technical details (distance of the outfall from the shore, depth, diameter, capacity, etc.).

Column 6 shall describe the location of the outfall, e.g. the location of the outfall in relation to the channel (right bank, left bank, middle of the river), the location of the connection to the sewer (name of the street, etc).

7. the planned maximum discharge in columns 7 and 8 shall not exceed the maximum hydraulic load of the receiver as indicated in Tables 10 and 11.

33. Contamination of the planned effluent discharge (fill in Table 13).

Table 13. Contamination of waste water to be discharged into the natural environment

No.	Name of pollutant	Wastewater contamination before treatment			Maximum projected contamination of wastewater discharged into the environment								Estimated cleaning efficiency, %
		Mom., mg/l	Average, mg/l	t/m.	MRL mom., mg/l	Planned LC mom., mg/l	Average MRL, mg/l	Planned LC average, mg/l	DLT days, t/d.	Planned LT days, t/d.	DLT years, t/m.	Planned LT years, t/m.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14

Notes:

1. in column 1, the publisher, source number according to Table 12.

Column 2 indicates the pollutants for which a permit is required by law.

3. in column 3, the maximum predicted concentration of the pollutant in the instantaneous or daily average effluent sample before treatment.

4. in column 4, the maximum predicted annual average concentration of the pollutant in the effluent before treatment. Columns 3 to 6 are to be completed if the effluent is to be treated prior to discharge from the site/facility.

5. in column 6, the maximum allowable concentration (MAC) of the pollutant in an instantaneous or daily average sample of waste water, as determined and/or calculated in accordance with the legislation (depending on the receiver, the nature of the activity, etc.). The EIA report shall provide a justification for the setting of the MCL.

6. in column 7, the concentration of the pollutant in the instantaneous or daily average effluent sample (MCL) or the provisional concentration (TLC). To be completed if the operation of the installation is planned to require the concentration of the pollutant to be set higher than the concentration specified in column 6 of the permit. The EIA report shall provide appropriate justification.

7. in column 8, the maximum permissible annual average concentration (MAC) of the pollutant established and/or calculated in accordance with the legislation (depending on the receiver, the nature of the activity, etc.). The EIA report shall provide a justification for the setting of the MRL.

8. in column 9, the annual average concentration (MCL and/or LOEL) of the pollutant to be allowed. To be completed if the operation of the installation is planned to require the concentration of the pollutant authorised in the permit to be set higher than the concentration specified in column 8 of the MRL. The EIA report shall provide appropriate justification.

9. in column 10, the maximum daily discharge (daily maximum allowable quantity (daily maximum discharge limit) (daily maximum quantity) established and/or calculated in accordance with the legislation (depending on the receiver, the nature of the activity, etc.). The EIA report shall provide a justification for the setting of the MEL.

10. column 11 - the permissible daily discharge of the pollutant (permissible pollution). To be completed if it is foreseen that the operation of the installation will require the permit to set the

permissible level of pollution higher than the DLT specified in column 10. The EIA report shall provide appropriate justification.

11. in column 12, the maximum allowable annual discharge (MAE) established and/or calculated in accordance with the legislation (depending on the receiver, the nature of the activity, etc.). The EIA report shall provide a justification for the setting of the DLT.

12. column 13 - the amount of pollutant to be discharged per year (allowable pollution). To be completed if it is foreseen that the operation of the installation will require the permit to set an emission limit higher than the DLT specified in column 10. The EIA report shall provide appropriate justification.

34. The summary information is presented in tables to the extent that the description of the planned economic activity corresponds to the content of the tables.

Significant impacts expected

35. The expected impact of the abstraction and/or use of water on the hydrological and hydrogeological regime of the site (calculations and justification to be provided).

36. Significant effects on surface and/or groundwater quality are expected in terms of background water pollution due to significant discharges of wastewater from the economic activity (e.g. industrial or domestic wastewater, pollution from agricultural facilities).

37. Secondary impacts on water bodies and adjacent areas (e.g. coastal erosion, wetting, lowering of the water table, etc.) resulting from the predicted changes in the hydrological regime of the site.

38. Estimated impact of the discharged effluent or other planned pollution on the status of water bodies and/or coastal and associated ecosystems, water resources (e.g. recreational areas, water bodies, protected areas, fisheries, navigation) (provide calculations, results of mathematical modelling, or other justification).

39. The parameters of the status of the water body reflecting the planned impact, their current values and permissible (target) limits, the area of the planned impact (river section, part of a stagnant water body, etc.), the values of the parameters of the potential impact (based on calculations, mathematical modelling, etc.) in the area of the maximum impact, and the spatial and temporal variations (for example, (e.g. trend of changes according to distance from the outfall), seasonal changes in space and time (e.g. cumulative effect in a stagnant water body, etc.). The maximum expected environmental impact under worst case conditions (e.g. drought, flooding) shall be described and justified.

40. Describe the extent and environmental impact of the anticipated accidental release of pollutants into water bodies.

41. If the planned economic activity involves the sea, its potential impact on marine conditions shall be assessed.

Measures to avoid, reduce and compensate for significant adverse environmental effects

42. Describe the measures envisaged to reduce or compensate for impacts on the aquatic environment (pollution, erosion reduction, accident prevention, conservation flow, etc.). The measures are summarised in Table 14.

Table 14. Measures to be used on the site to reduce the volume of wastewater and pollution and to compensate for planned impacts on the receiver

No.	Wastewater source, outlet	Description of the instrument and its purpose	Design features of the planned measure		
			Indicator	Units in Mato.	Meaning
1	2	3	4	5	6

Notes:

Column 1 shall contain the number of the effluent quantity or abatement measure.

2. in column 2, the number of the waste water source, outlet (from Table 12) through which the measure to be described is applied to mitigate the effects of the discharge;

3. in column 3, a brief description of the measure and its purpose (e.g. reduction of wastewater volume (e.g. car wash water recirculation system, etc.), reduction of pollution (industrial, domestic, surface water treatment plants, application of BAT, etc.), or mitigation and/or compensation of the impact on the receptor (regulation of the flow of wastewater according to the flow of the river, rehabilitation of a reclaimed river, etc.) (e.g. removal of petroleum products and drowning substances from surface water, reduction of the volume of effluent, improvement of the treatment capacity of the reception facility, etc.);

4. in columns 4 to 6, the design characteristics of the planned measure. Graphs 5 and 6 indicate the planned design features for reducing the volume and pollution of waste water (e.g. plant capacity - m³ /d., circulating flow - l/s; design pollution of waste water entering the treatment plant in terms of BOD, N, P, petroleum products, total Cr, etc. - mg/l, t/d.; residual pollution in terms of BOD, N, P, petroleum products, total Cr, etc. - mg/l; treatment efficiency).

Graphic material

43. Map(s) showing existing and planned sources of water supply Existing waterworks, captation facilities and their location, protection zones; sources of wastewater (pollution), wastewater treatment plants, wastewater discharge points, coastal protection zones and zones of water bodies, planned locations for measuring and sampling wastewater flow, planned morphological (e.g. (e.g. shoreline changes), networks or hydraulic structures, objects at risk of accidental pollution, drainage, irrigation facilities, recreational sites and facilities. The numbers of the features marked on the maps must be the same as the numbers used for these features in the tables and text of the EIA report.

SECOND SECTION ENVIRONMENTAL AIR

Description of the current situation

44. Meteorological conditions in the area, background ambient air pollution. Data on air temperature, precipitation, prevailing winds, solar radiation, background levels of ambient air pollution, and other factors that may influence the level of ambient air pollution. Background ambient air pollution and meteorological data shall be used in accordance with the Guidelines for the use of background ambient air pollution to assess the impact of planned economic activities on ambient air, approved by Order No AV-112 of the Director of the Environmental Protection Agency of 10 July 2008 on the Approval of Guidelines for the use of background ambient air pollution to assess the impact of planned economic activities on ambient air. The use of dispersion calculation models, background ambient air pollution data and meteorological data must comply with the requirements of the Order of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania No D1-653 of 30 November 2007 'On the use of dispersion calculation models, background ambient air pollution data and meteorological data for the assessment of the impact of economic activities on ambient air'. Information on the source of the background ambient air pollution data and meteorological data used is provided. Where this information, or part of it, is provided in another chapter, only references to the relevant data in the other chapter may be made in this chapter.

Emissions to ambient air

45. Brief characteristics of stationary (organised and unorganised) and mobile sources of pollution.

In the case of an extension, reconstruction or other extension of an existing installation, data from an inventory of the sources of ambient air pollution and their emissions shall be submitted and carried out in accordance with the prescribed procedures.

46. A description of each activity that is planned to generate and release pollutants into the ambient air and the technology to be deployed. The planned production shall be indicated, with

Republic of Lithuania of the Republic of Lithuania of the Republic of Lithuania of the Republic of Lithuania of 30 October 2002 (hereinafter referred to as the ambient air pollution standards).

Significant effects on ambient air are expected

50. The expected impact on ambient air pollution levels taking into account the background level of ambient air pollution and its possible variation (e.g. due to anticipated high energy demand, high fuel use or change in fuel types, increased traffic), meteorological conditions of the area. The calculation of the dispersion of pollutants expected to be emitted into ambient air shall be provided, indicating the model used to calculate the dispersion of pollutants into ambient air, the rationale for the choice of the model, the data used and the coefficients. The choice of the model for the calculation of dispersion of pollutants in ambient air shall be made in accordance with the Guidelines for the selection of models for the calculation of dispersion of pollutants in ambient air for the purpose of assessing the impact of the economic activity on ambient air, approved by Order No AV-200 of the Director of the Environmental Protection Agency of 9 December 2008 on the Approval of the Guidelines for the selection of models for the calculation of dispersion of pollutants for the purpose of assessing the impact of economic activity on ambient air.

51. Estimated emissions of ambient air pollutants due to changes in fuels, changes in fuel types, increased traffic or changes in the use of vehicles and their fuels, manufacturing process features, construction, etc.

52. Calculation of ambient air pollution levels resulting from planned discharges: planned discharges; planned discharges after assessment of background levels of ambient air pollution.

53. Analysis of the results of the calculation of ambient air pollution levels resulting from the planned emissions (comparison with ambient air pollution standards) and conclusions.

Measures to avoid, reduce and compensate for significant adverse environmental effects

54. Technical solutions for the control of ambient air pollution during the phases of preparation for the planned economic activity, construction, operation and cessation of the economic activity (reduction of pollutant emissions, cleaning up (removal of harmful emissions), improvement of parameters or other conditions of pollutant emissions, including emissions under abnormal conditions (start-up, adjustment, shut-down of the installation(s)) etc.). Where options for technical solutions are available, a justification for the chosen option shall be provided.

55. The planned air pollutant emission treatment/removal facilities and pollution prevention measures are given in Table 18. Measures to reduce emissions of VOCs classified as halogenated (hazard statements H341, H351) and as carcinogenic, mutagenic or toxic to reproduction (hazard statements H340, H350, H350i, H360D, H360F) shall be described separately, together with a plan for the substitution of these substances or mixtures by less harmful substances.

Table 18. Ambient air pollutant treatment plants and pollution prevention measures
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No. of the source of the gas flow through the treatment plant.	Cleaning equipment		Pollutants to be treated in the treatment plant	
	Title and description of purpose	Code	Name	Code
1	2	3	4	5
Pollution prevention measures:				

Notes:

1. The names and codes of the treatment plants shall be given in accordance with the requirements of the legislation governing the accounting of emissions to ambient air.

2. The table shall contain the fullest available information and data, e.g. in addition to the name of the installation, the purpose of the installation and details of its operation (e.g. the design removal

rate of the pollutants to be recovered/treated or the design concentration of the pollutants to be emitted from the treatment installation).

56. Options and measures to reduce ambient air pollution under adverse dispersion conditions.

57. Proposals for the setting of ambient air pollution limits, taking into account background ambient air pollution (complete Table 19).

Table 19. Proposals for setting standards for permissible emissions to ambient air (only maximum permissible emission (MPE) standards can be set for the planned economic activity)

Name of pollutant	Contaminant code	Existing pollution in t/m.	Estimated pollution - proposed pollution limits		
			_____m.		Annual, t/m.
			Disposable		
1	2	3	Units.	Size	6
Carbon monoxide					
Oxides of nitrogen					
Particulate matter:					
Sulphur dioxide					
Volatile organic compounds (VOCs) with a hazard statement:					
Halogenated:					
H341:					
H351:					
Carcinogenic, mutagenic or toxic to reproduction:					
H340:					
H350:					
H350i:					
H360D:					
H360F:					
Other VOCs (listed in alphabetical order), except VOCs with code 308:					
LOJ	308				
Total VOCs:					
Other pollutants (listed in alphabetical order):					
Total:					

Notes:

In column 2, the pollutant codes and names shall be written in accordance with the legislation governing the accounting and reporting of emissions to ambient air.

2. Column 3 is to be completed when planning an extension, reconstruction, etc. of an existing facility.

3. The column 'Volatile organic compounds (VOCs) labelled with a hazard statement' shall contain all VOCs labelled with the hazard statements listed. The names of the VOCs labelled with each hazard statement shall be listed in alphabetical order. If there are no VOCs identified by a hazard statement, a dash shall be added to the appropriate line.

4. The last row "Total" shows the sum of all pollutant quantities entered in the table.

5. The table can be extended by repeating columns 4, 5 and 6.

Graphic material

58. A site plan (M1:1 000-M1:5 000) covering an area of at least 50 H (H is the height of the highest source of pollution) radius from the site of the planned economic activity, indicating the site of the planned economic activity, adjacencies, the site's normative "wind rose", and any other economic activity whose emissions have been assessed for the purposes of the calculation of pollution.

59. Site plan (M1:500 - M1:1 000) showing the planned stationary sources of pollution.

60. Diagram showing the planned economic activity and the estimated maximum potential ground level concentration (ambient air pollution level) for each pollutant, with and without an assessment of the background level of ambient air pollution for that pollutant.

SECTION THREE CLIMATE

Description of the current situation

61. Local meteorological and climatic conditions, natural hazards (droughts, very high temperatures, very low temperatures, storms, wind, etc.) and other factors related to climate change. Greenhouse gas emissions (carbon dioxide (CO₂), nitrous oxide (N₂ O), methane (CH₄), perfluorocarbons (PFCs), hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs) and sulphur hexafluoride (SF₆), based on monitoring data, shall be emitted to the atmosphere when an existing facility is planned for extension, reconstruction or other activity.

Significant impacts expected

62. Climate change processes may occur as a result of the release of greenhouse gases (GHGs) into the atmosphere from the planned economic activity, through the disturbance of the ecosystems of the carbon dioxide geological storage complex in the planning area, where carbon dioxide is stored, and may indirectly contribute to the adverse effects of climate change.

63. The climate impact assessment of the planned economic activity shall identify direct and indirect sources of GHG emissions from the planned economic activity:

63.1. directly related, where GHG emissions result from planned economic activities, including construction and decommissioning (e.g. emissions from fuel combustion (boiler houses, power plants), industrial (refineries, chemicals, cement, ceramics, etc.) facilities and mobile sources (transport); from livestock complexes (manure management); or from the destruction of natural sinks that absorb GHGs (e.g. land-use change, deforestation);

63.2. indirectly linked, where GHGs are generated outside the planned economic activity (e.g. use of energy or heat from a service provider that produces energy that emits GHGs; disposal of waste from the planned economic activity at a landfill site that generates GHGs).

64. The projected GHG emissions from emission sources are presented in Table 20.

Table 20. Data on projected GHG emissions from emission sources

Direct and indirect emissions of GHGs from emission sources of the proposed economic activity	Estimated GHG emissions, t CO ₂ eq.						
	Carbon dioxide (CO ₂)	Methane (CH ₄)	Nitrogen suboxide (N ₂ O)	Hydrofluor-angliavandenyons (HFCs)	Perfluorocarbons (PFCs)	Sulphur hexafluoride (SF ₆)	Nitrogen trifluoride (NF ₃)
Directly at							
Indirectly							
Total:							

65. The expected impact of the proposed development on climate change adaptation shall be assessed taking into account the following aspects:

- (a) heat waves (including impacts on public health, agriculture, forests, fire, etc.);
- (b) droughts (including degraded water quality and increased water demand);
- (c) extreme rainfall events, river flooding and flash flooding;
- (d) storms, high winds (including damage to infrastructure, buildings, agriculture and forests);
- (e) landslides;
- (f) rising sea levels, storms, coastal erosion, increased salinity;
- (g) cold waves;
- (h) weather damage.

Ecosystems and their biodiversity increase resilience to the impacts of climate change and natural disasters (e.g. green spaces can regulate the movement of water from storms, reducing the risk of flooding. Forests, green spaces and vegetation provide cooling in cities by reducing the effects of heat waves and the urban 'heat island' effect, and plants stabilise soils by reducing the risk of landslides and erosion).

66. For the assessment of climate change aspects, it is recommended to take into account the Guidelines for the Integration of Climate Change and Biodiversity into Environmental Impact Assessment commissioned by the European Commission.

67. In assessing the impact of the proposed development, it is recommended that an analysis of the site's vulnerability and risk to climate change, and the mitigation and adaptation measures required, is undertaken.

Measures to avoid, reduce and compensate for significant adverse environmental effects

68. Planned mitigation (GHG emission reductions) and adaptation measures:

68.1. protecting natural carbon sinks such as wetlands, forests, grasslands, green spaces and plantations from destruction, and increasing the amount of land used for such purposes in order to absorb more carbon dioxide from the atmosphere;

68.2. technical solutions (e.g. reduction of GHG emissions through the selection of the most affordable and innovative low-emission technologies, promoting climate-resilient infrastructure development, sustainable economic development, efficient use of energy, in particular renewable energy sources, cleaning up emissions);

68.3. participation in the EU ETS, i.e., the trading of allowances for actual GHG emissions (in carbon dioxide equivalent), or other measures to reduce GHG emissions;

68.4. the application in the planned economic activity of advanced technical solutions and technological processes that increase the resilience of the planned facility to dangerous natural phenomena due to climate change (e.g. the application of building structures that are resistant to long-term changes in climate change (temperature changes, snow, gusty winds)).

69. Comparison of GHG emissions projected to be emitted from the sources of the planned economic activity and those projected to be reduced as a result of the implementation of the proposed mitigation measures (to be completed in Table 21).

Table 21. Comparison of emissions and reductions data.

GHG	Expected to be discarded GHG emissions, t CO ₂ eq.	Estimated GHG reductions, t CO ₂ eq.
Carbon dioxide (CO) ₂		
Methane (CH) ₄		
Nitrous oxide (N ₂ O)		
Hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs)		
Perfluorocarbons (PFCs)		
Sulphur hexafluoride (SF) ₆		
Nitrogen trifluoride (NF) ₃		
Total:		

SECTION FOUR SOIL, LAND SURFACE AND DEPTHS

Description of the current situation

70. Characteristics of the soils prevailing in the area (types, granulometric composition, water permeability, density). Vulnerability and resilience of the prevailing soils.

71. Engineering-geological and hydrogeological conditions of the area of the planned economic activity. Characteristics of the subsurface structure of the site: landforms, composition, origin and conditions of subsidence.

72. Information on the ecogeological conditions of the site of the proposed operation: soil background concentrations (soil geochemistry) and contamination of the subsurface (including bedrock), where ecogeological studies have been conducted. Reports of ecogeological surveys shall be deposited in the Geological Fund of the Lithuanian Geological Survey.

73. Information on past pollution of the territory of the planned economic activity and of adjacent land plots or territories, if the environmental quality norms have not been complied with in the course of the economic activity (according to the data of the environmental monitoring carried out, the results of an ecogeological survey carried out in accordance with the requirements of the legislation).

74. Information on exploited and explored subsoil resources (minerals, fresh and mineral water sources), valuable and protected geological objects in relation to the location of the planned economic activity.

75. Information on geological processes and phenomena (e.g. erosion, folding, karst, landslides, tectonic structure, neotectonic activity, seismicity), geotopes of the planned area, the geotopes of which data are stored in the State Geological Information System (hereafter referred to as "GEOLIS"), at the following website <https://epaslaugos.am.lt>.

Significant impacts expected

76. Physical (mechanical) effects of the planned economic activity on soil. Mixing of soil layers, compaction, changes in soil density.

77. Impacts on land and soil due to foreseeable major earthworks (e.g. hill-cutting, dredging of water bodies or straightening of river beds), the exploitation of abundant natural resources, destruction of fertile topsoil.

78. Soil pollution (chemical, entomological, parasitological, microbiological, radioactive) and the impact of pollution caused by the planned economic activity, depending on the prevailing soil types. Accumulation and migration of pollutants in soil.

79. Soil pollution from stationary or mobile sources and potential accidents. Potential soil degradation after the end of the economic activity (by analogy with similar economic activities).

80. Predicted changes in the conditions under which water or wind erosion will spread. Mixing, compaction, trampling of soil layers, changes in soil density.

81. Direct impacts on the subsurface (geological) components of the earth (soil, deeper aquifers and groundwater) and on the condition of the ecosystems associated with these components.

82. Impact of the change in the geological environment resulting from the planned economic activity on other environmental components (e.g. hydrological regime, hydrographic network, wetlands, biotopes).

Measures to avoid, reduce and compensate for significant adverse environmental effects

83. Intended use of the removed topsoil (e.g. for reclamation of the planned area), conditions for the preservation and use of the soil and other excavated soil.

84. Measures to reduce the physical impact of the proposed development on the soil (e.g. restoration of mechanically disturbed (compacted) soil by shallow ploughing; sowing of perennial herbaceous plants to prevent erosion).

85. Measures to reduce soil pollution from the planned economic activity.

86. Land reclamation or renaturalisation.

Graphic material

87. A map showing the predominant soil types, granulometric composition and the distribution of geological processes and phenomena.

88. Geological map. Geological-lithological (for mineral extraction) or engineering-geological (for construction work) sections.

89. Map of the location of the Earth's subsoil resources.

90. Map showing protected geological features and areas of concern (geological processes and phenomena).

SECTION 5 LANDSCAPE AND BIODIVERSITY

Description of the current situation

91. Landscape information:

91.1. its characteristics (predominant type, naturalness, mosaicism, diversity, cultural values, traditional character, regional significance, aesthetic features, key viewpoints, vantage points and panoramas (the site's visibility and position in relation to the most important sites), places of interest and other recreational uses), information on the natural framework in accordance with the provisions of the Convention on the European Landscape Convention, the Committee of the Council of Europe's Committee of Ministers' Resolution of 2008 on the European Union on Landscape and Natural Heritage, and the Convention on the Protection of the Natural Environment. Recommendations CM/Rec (2008) 3 to the Member States on guidelines for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention, the Outline of the Lithuanian Landscape Policy approved by the Government of the Republic of Lithuania in 2004. The National Landscape Management Plan, approved by the Order of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 October 2015 No. D1-703 "On Approval of the National Landscape Management Plan", the Study on the Identification of the Diversity and Types of the Spatial Structure of the Landscape of the Republic of Lithuania, the decisions of the General Plan of the Territory of the Republic of Lithuania and the general plans of the municipalities and the landscape management plans, and the municipal environmental monitoring data;

91.2. the topography and geomorphological characteristics of the site;

91.3. resorts, resort areas;

91.4. recreational territories (in accordance with comprehensive spatial planning documents, tourism and recreation schemes, planning documents for protected territories, other special spatial planning documents);

91.5. the diversity and characteristics of the biotopes/habitats present in the area of the proposed development and its immediate surroundings (forests, natural grasslands, pastures, water bodies, buffer zones and strips, flood zones, areas of non-forested swamps and wetlands, etc.).

92. Information on the protected areas and Natura 2000 sites of the European Ecological Network registered in the State Cadastre of Protected Areas of the Republic of Lithuania (website: <http://stk.am.lt>) and the distances from the site of the planned economic activity (the boundary of the object or the plot, if such is formed) to the protected areas:

92.1. state and municipal protected areas (listed), the purposes for which they were established, and the position of these protected areas in relation to the site of the proposed economic activity;

92.2. the Natura 2000 sites of the European Ecological Network, the species and natural habitats protected therein, the objectives of their protection, the position of these protected sites and the habitats of the species and natural habitats protected therein in relation to the site of the proposed development, the approved management plans of the Natura 2000 sites and the management objectives formulated therein, which are available on the Biodiversity Database (hereafter referred to as the "BDB") and on the Internet site <https://biomon.lt>. Areas of natural habitats and species habitats of European Community importance according to the list of sites meeting the selection criteria for sites of importance for the conservation of natural habitats for submission to the European Commission, approved by Order No. D1-210 "On approval of the list of sites meeting the selection criteria for sites of importance for the conservation of natural habitats for submission to the European Commission" and the list of sites of importance for the conservation of habitats approved by the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania in 2018. In the case of sites not listed in the annexes, they shall be listed according to the annexes of the Order of the Lithuanian Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania of 19 April 2018 No D1-317 "On the Designation of Sites of Importance for the Conservation of Habitats" (also available in the CBD), and where they are not listed in the annexes - according to the data available on the Lithuanian spatial information portal (www.geoportal.lt), and the information of the nature management plans.

93. Data on protected species, their habitats and localities in the area of the planned economic activity and in the immediate vicinity, the information on which is collected in the database of the Protected Species Information System (hereinafter - SRIS) (<https://sris.am.lt>), distances from them to the site of the planned economic activity (the boundary of the object or the boundary of the land plot, if such is formed). The biodiversity data used for the impact assessment must be at least 6 years old. If the information published in the SRIS on the occurrence and distribution of protected species in the area of the proposed development is older than 6 years or is not available, the preparer of the EIA documentation shall collect relevant information on protected species and other biodiversity in the area from other available official sources (with references to the sources), or carry out a field survey of a sufficient duration in the appropriate season of the year to ensure that the results obtained are reliable and allow predictions of the potential impact of the proposed development on biodiversity. For information on protected species in national and Natura 2000 protected areas, it is recommended that the preparer of the EIA documentation should contact the protected area directorates to provide available relevant data collected through monitoring of protected species, surveys and inventories of the natural values of the protected area, or to suggest the most appropriate methods and timeframes for collecting data on the species and natural habitats. For information on protected species outside national and Natura 2000 protected areas, it is recommended that the preparer of the EIA documentation should contact the State Service for Protected Areas under the Ministry of the Environment to provide available data collected through monitoring of protected species, surveys and inventories of natural values, or to suggest the most appropriate methods and timeframes for collecting data on species and natural habitats.

94. Information on the vegetation of the area:

94.1. the forest cover of the area, forest groups and regime, the age structure and species composition of stands, the possibilities of conversion of forest land to other land uses when economic activities are planned in a forested area, in accordance with the Forest Law of the Republic of

Lithuania (the information shall be collected in the State Forest Cadastre of the Republic of Lithuania);

94.2. separate green areas (parks, squares, green links, etc., as regulated by the Law on Green Areas of the Republic of Lithuania);

94.3. plants protected under the Law on Protected Species of Animals, Plants and Fungi of the Republic of Lithuania and plant species of European Community importance;

94.4. the areas of national plant genetic resources included in the Lists of National Plant Genetic Resources approved by the Order of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania No D1-861 of 31 December 2009 "On the Approval of the Lists of National Plant Genetic Resources";

94.5. the occurrence of alien and invasive plant species in the area.

95. Information on the area's fungi: sites of fungal species protected under the Act on Protected Species of Animals, Plants and Fungi and sites of fungal species of European Community importance.

96. Information on the area's wildlife:

96.1. an overview of the size or density of populations and distributional features of species of animals (mammals and birds (with special reference to game), fish, amphibians, reptiles, invertebrates) that are characteristic of the site;

96.2. animal congregation, breeding, feeding, resting, hibernation and migration routes;

96.3. animals protected under the Protected Animals, Plants and Fungi Act and species of European Community importance;

96.4. the presence of alien and invasive animal species in the area.

97. Information on ecosystem benefits (services):

97.1. provisioning services (resources directly used by people, e.g. game, fish, berries, mushrooms, water, raw materials, medicines);

97.2. support services (processes that support biodiversity renewal, e.g. plant and animal reproduction, regeneration, recovery, soil formation);

97.3. regulatory services (e.g. regulation of air quality, climate change nutrient and water cycles, flood prevention);

97.4. cultural services (e.g. recreation, recreational fishing, eco-tourism, wildlife observation and knowledge, object of scientific research, recreational benefits that people derive from the use of the natural environment for recreational, cultural and spiritual purposes).

Significant impacts expected

98. Impacts on landscapes with aesthetic, immovable cultural or other properties, recreational resources, especially visual, including impacts due to changes in landforms (e.g. lowering, elevation). Impacts on the natural framework, recreational areas, forests, isolated green spaces, recreational areas.

99. Change in landscape types, mosaic character and visual impact on the landscape caused by the planned economic activity.

100. In assessing the impact on the visual aesthetic potential of the landscape of special structures (hereinafter referred to in this point as "tall structures") higher than 30 metres in height, except for wind farms for which the criteria for significance of the impact on the landscape are set out in Article 49(18) of the Law on Renewable Energy of the Republic of Lithuania, the expected significant impact of tall structures shall be determined by taking into account whether:

100.1. the tall buildings fall within the National Landscape Management Plan of the special territorial planning document at the state level, approved by the Order of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 October 2015 No. D1-703 „Dėl Nacionalinio kraštovaizdžio tvarkymo plano patvirtinimo“, nustatytus ypač saugomo šalies vizualinio estetinio potencialo arealus ir vietoves, labai didelio ir didelio estetinio potencialo ypač ir vidutiniškai raiškius kraštovaizdžio kompleksus (AI, AII, AIII, AIV, BI, BII, BIII ir BIV kraštovaizdžio vizualinės struktūros tipai) (toliau – YS kraštovaizdžio arealai);

100.2. the tall structures are not within the YS landscape habitats but will be visible in the horizontal field of view of the country's most valuable landscape panoramas at a vertical angle of view greater than 2.80° from vantage points within the YS landscape habitats. Viewpoints are viewpoints or vantage points identified in the general and/or specific spatial planning documents from which the most valuable panoramas of the country's landscape are viewed in the direction indicated in the name of the viewpoint. If the direction of view is not specified in the name of the viewpoint, the view of the country's most valuable landscape panoramas shall be taken from this viewpoint in the direction of the YS landscape habitats. The horizontal boundaries of the field of view shall coincide with the visible boundaries of the panorama. A list of the most valuable panoramic viewpoints in the country, based on the approved spatial planning documents, is provided in Annex 2 to the Description of the Procedure for the Preparation of Environmental Impact Assessment Documents for Planned Economic Activities (hereinafter referred to as 'the Procedure').

101. Impact on the integrity of the European Ecological Network Natura 2000 sites on or adjacent to the site, and on the natural habitats, species and their habitats of European Community importance (in terms of their structure and function) protected therein: destruction, fragmentation, isolation or deterioration of natural habitats, destruction of populations and individuals of species, reduction in abundance, significant disturbance of species, disruption or deterioration of feeding, migratory, breeding or wintering sites, destruction, fragmentation, isolation or deterioration of species' habitats, spread of invasive species.

102. The position of the planned economic activity in relation to protected areas, the expected impact on the landscape and biodiversity protected in these areas and the regime for the protection and use of these areas.

103. Significant impact of the proposed development on biodiversity - the assessment shall not only cover the impact on the Natura 2000 sites of the European Ecological Network for the protection of species and natural habitats of European Community importance, but also the potential impact on biodiversity as a whole.

104. The assessment of the proposed development must take into account the main drivers of biodiversity loss:

104.1. habitat loss and fragmentation;

104.2. overexploitation and unsustainable use of natural resources;

104.3. pollution;

104.4. the spread of invasive alien species;

104.5. climate change.

105. When assessing impacts on biodiversity and ecosystem change, it is important to assess the baseline state of the environment.

106. It is important to determine the ability of an ecosystem to cope with change without losing its essential features or functions, where the ecosystem may reach a critical threshold and additional impacts may lead to a reduction in natural resources and, if unconstrained, to the loss of the prevailing ecosystem.

107. Qualitative (descriptive) assessment methods (e.g. data from scientific studies, monitoring, surveys of certain groups of the public, analyses, expert opinions, site-specific analyses, etc.) shall be used to assess the impact on biodiversity of factors for which the threshold values of the indicators are not regulated by the legislation.

108. The planned economic activity may have a direct impact by destroying, fragmenting or isolating habitats (e.g. wetlands, natural grasslands, forests), disrupting the links between habitats and causing the extinction of species native to that habitat, spreading invasive species that may replace natural habitats and species, or even leading to the loss of the diversity of national genetic resources for plants or animals.

109. The planned economic activity may have indirect effects, e.g. the destruction of natural habitats (wetlands, natural grasslands, forests) that absorb and store carbon dioxide in soils and plants may release the stored carbon dioxide into the environment, thus contributing to the effects of climate change.

110. Destruction of individual habitats and green links, and disruption of the functional links between living and non-living elements in an ecosystem, can alter the material and energy cycling processes that regulate the movement of storm flows, the risk of flooding, landslides, and erosion, the movement of air masses that regulate changes in heat and cooling, and the occurrence of heat waves.

111. Exposure to pollution can lead to deterioration of ecosystems, with possible cumulative effects on surface water ecosystems and species (e.g. changes in the chemistry of the water and bottom sediments can lead to the extinction of certain species). In the event of an accident, massive destruction of wildlife could occur.

112. Impacts on animal congregation, breeding, feeding, resting and hibernation areas due to reduction of living space, disturbance of the ecosystem or irresponsible use of natural resources. Impacts on animal migration due to the fragmentation or isolation of forest masses, green links and other ecologically coherent areas where animals regularly migrate.

113. Biodiversity loss can lead to a decline in ecosystem services and harm human well-being.

Measures to avoid, reduce and compensate for significant adverse environmental effects

114. Where potential negative impacts on the landscape have been identified, reclamation of damaged areas, opportunities for recreational use of the area, and opportunities for restoration (renaturalisation) of ecosystems to restore their biodiversity, e.g. through reforestation, creation of green spaces (lawns, plantations), parks, artificial water bodies, or the creation of wetlands, shall be considered.

115. Modelling of the interaction between the surface (terrain) and the buildings, landscaping of the site, selection of appropriate form, materials and type of buildings.

116. Measures to protect and restore animal migration routes.

117. Measures for the protection of aquatic animals at sites of water abstraction from open reservoirs, hydroelectric power stations, measures for the protection of birds and bats at wind farms.

118. Where negative residual effects are still predicted following the application of mitigation measures, measures to compensate for the negative effects shall be envisaged.

Graphic material

119. Maps and diagrams showing protected areas and Natura 2000 sites, natural habitats of European Community importance, landscape and biodiversity features likely to be affected, as well as spatial data for the alternatives under consideration, shall be provided for the area of the proposed development and its immediate surroundings. Maps and diagrams shall be drawn to the appropriate scale of choice and only those features whose characteristics allow them to be expressed graphically shall be marked.

SIXTH SECTION MATERIAL GOODS

Description of the current situation

120. Information on the material assets (e.g. engineering and social infrastructure, residents' immovable property - land, buildings) located on the planned land or in the area and in the immediate vicinity.

Significant impacts expected

121. Effects on material assets due to noise, vibration, light, heat, radiation, flooding, etc., from the proposed economic activity

122. Impacts on material assets (e.g. land, buildings) due to their removal, destruction (e.g. buildings, infrastructure) or planned land use restrictions related to the planned economic activity, in accordance with the special conditions for the use of land and forests.

Measures to avoid, reduce and compensate for significant adverse environmental effects

123. Measures to mitigate the impact of the planned economic activity on physical assets (measures to avoid or reduce significant adverse effects; rehabilitation of infrastructure, buy-back of land or structures or other compensatory measures).

Graphic material

124. Map showing existing engineering and social infrastructure, existing real estate and planned restrictions under the special conditions for the use of land and forests.

SEVENTH SECTION IMMOVABLE CULTURAL PROPERTY

Description of the current situation

125. Information on immovable objects and/or sites of cultural heritage (hereinafter referred to as immovable cultural property) located on the site of the planned economic activity and in its vicinity, which are registered in the Register of Cultural Property (<http://kvr.kpd.lt/heritage>): names of the immovable cultural property, information on their territories and protection zones, minimum distances from the immovable cultural property to the site of the planned economic activity (the boundaries of the object or the boundaries of the plot, if such a plot has been formed).

Significant impacts expected

126. Significant impact of the planned economic activity on immovable cultural values, their territories and protection zones, authenticity, valuable properties, heritage protection requirements shall be determined by analysing legal acts, documents of the planned economic activity, acts of immovable cultural heritage assessment councils determining valuable properties of cultural heritage objects and/or sites, protection regulations, territorial planning documents, concluded agreements on protection of cultural heritage objects, relevant documents and data published in the Register of Cultural Property. Where new knowledge is needed, the necessary applied research shall be carried out.

127. Significant adverse effects of the planned economic activity on the ethno-cultural environment.

128. The assessment shall be made as to whether the planned economic activity at the site of the planned economic activity (land plot or territory) falling within the position of protection against physical impact of the protection zone of the object of cultural heritage will not physically harm the valuable properties of the object of cultural heritage, and whether the planned economic activity at the site of the planned economic activity falling within the position of visual protection of the protection zone will not obstruct the view of the object of cultural heritage from the vantage points specified in the act of the Council for the Evaluation of the Real Cultural Heritage.

129. The planting (or type of planting) of the planned economic activity area is historically uncharacteristic and inconsistent with, isolates, damages and alters the historic environment of significant recognised historic planting and immovable cultural property in the plan area.

130. Anticipated impacts due to traffic (vibrations, emissions that damage the authenticity and the valuable features of the immovable cultural property).

131. Possible damage or destruction of the authenticity, valuable properties and archaeological layer of immovable cultural property due to planned economic activities, including construction works, change of groundwater level, change of land relief, establishment of quarries, water bodies or their alteration.

132. When assessing potential impacts on immovable cultural property, it is necessary to take into account the fact that impacts may occur during the preparation, construction, operation and abandonment phases of the planned economic activity, and it is therefore appropriate to provide for the monitoring of the potential impacts on individual cultural heritage objects (e.g. noise, vibration, light, heat, radiation etc.).

Measures to avoid, reduce and compensate for significant adverse environmental effects

133. Measures to mitigate the impact of the planned economic activity on immovable cultural property and ethno-cultural environment.

Graphic material

134. Thematic map showing existing immovable cultural properties, their protection zones and the area of possible impact of the planned economic activity. A scheme for the landscaping of the area of the planned economic activity.

EIGHTH SECTION PUBLIC HEALTH

135. The likely significant effects of the planned economic activity on public health shall be determined by assessing the potential direct and indirect effects on public health of biological, chemical and physical factors arising from the planned economic activity, and the interactions between environmental elements and public health. The health effects on the population living in the area of influence of the economic activity and on other people, in particular the most sensitive population groups (e.g. children, the elderly and the sick, who are the most sensitive to increased pollution) shall be considered. It is recommended to use methodological guidelines for public health impact assessment commissioned by health authorities and published on the website of the National Centre for Public Health under the Ministry of Health, methodological guidelines or models for public health impact assessment from other countries, and research data for conducting the assessment.

Description of the current situation

136. Analysis of the existing public health status in the area of the planned development (analysis of demographic and health statistics of population groups that are available and relevant for the assessment of the impact of the planned development on public health; may include a review of scientific studies or official statistics):

136.1. demographic characteristics of the population of the locality (if no locality-level data are available, municipal or county-level data are provided);

136.2. an analysis of population morbidity rates (if data are not available at the locality level, municipal or county level data are provided);

136.3. an analysis of the population at risk (describing the most important risk groups in the population, with a particular focus on the most vulnerable groups, such as children, the elderly, and low-income people);

136.4. a comparison of the demographic and health indicators of the population with those of the population as a whole (national average, other municipalities, etc.).

137. Distance from the planned economic activity to recreational, resort, residential, public use areas and buildings.

Significant impacts expected

138. Likely impact of the planned economic activity on public health due to biological (pathogenic micro-organisms, parasitic organisms, viruses), chemical (air pollution, soil pollution, water pollution, annoying smells), physical (noise, infrasound, vibration, electromagnetic fields, ionising radiation, light, heat), other (smell, shadow flicker) factors:

138.1. an assessment of the pollution from the planned economic activity likely to affect public health. A description of each planned activity (phase of the activity) which will generate and emit pollutants into ambient air, the characteristics of stationary (organised and unorganised) and mobile sources, their locations (coordinates, diagram) and emission calculations (calculation methodologies), the meteorological conditions in the area, the ambient air background pollution, the limit values for ambient air pollution of the pollutants expected to be released. The ambient air pollution forecast shall be provided: data used to calculate the maximum ground level concentration of the pollutants to be emitted, calculation methodologies used, information on the options used to calculate the pollutant concentrations (terrain, buildings, sediments, temporal variation of the emissions, etc.), if any, the computer software used, the background ambient pollution data and the justification for their selection, the results of the calculation of the ground level concentrations and their analysis (calculation tables, maps, etc.), the forecast of ambient air pollution and the expected impact on public health;

138.2. the anticipated impact of the proposed operation on public health, taking into account odours emitted by the operation. It shall describe each activity (phase of the activity) envisaged that will generate and release odours into the ambient air, the odour-emitting substances and their characteristics, the sources of odour generation (stationary organised and unorganised), their

characteristics, the locations (coordinates, schematic diagrams) and the calculation of the odour emissions (calculation methodologies), and the meteorological conditions of the area. The forecast of odour contamination of ambient air shall be provided: data used to calculate the predicted odour concentrations in ambient air, calculation methodologies used, information on odour calculation options (terrain, buildings, sediments, temporal variation of emissions, etc.), if used, computer software used, odour thresholds for the chemical substances, results of odour calculations (including, where possible, the emission from odour sources in the vicinity of the planned activity that may have an impact on public health and the boundaries of the sanitary protection zones) and their analysis (calculation tables, maps, etc). The forecast of odour contamination of ambient air and the expected impact on public health shall be presented in accordance with the Lithuanian Hygienic Standard HN 121:2010 'Limit value for odour concentration in the air of the living environment' approved by the Order of the Minister of Health of the Republic of Lithuania No V-885 of 4 October 2010 'On the Approval of Lithuanian Hygienic Norm HN 121:2010 "Limit value for odour concentration in the air of the living environment" and the Rules for the control of odours in the air of the living environment';

138.3. the assessment of physical pollution of the planned economic activity, which may affect public health, shall be carried out in accordance with the Lithuanian Hygienic Standard HN 33:2011 "Noise Limits in Residential and Public Buildings and their Surroundings" approved by the Order of the Lithuanian Minister of Health No. V-604 "On Approval of the Lithuanian Hygienic Standard HN 33:2011 "Noise Limits in Residential and Public Buildings and their Surroundings", Lithuanian Hygienic Standard HN 30:2018 "Infrasound and Terrestrial Sound: Limits in Residential, Special and Public Premises", approved by the Order No. V-190 'On the approval of the Lithuanian Hygienic Standard HN 30:2009 'Infrasound and low-frequency sound: limit values in residential and public buildings', the Lithuanian Hygienic Standard HN 50:2016 'Whole-body vibration: maximum permissible values and requirements for measurements in residential, special-purpose and public premises', approved by Order No. V-791 "On the approval of the Lithuanian hygiene standard HN 50:2016 "Whole-body vibration: maximum permissible values and measurement requirements in residential, special and public premises", Lithuanian hygiene standard HN 104:2011 "Safety of the population against electromagnetic fields generated by power lines", approved by the Minister of Health of the Republic of Lithuania on 31 December 31 December 2011. Hygienic Standard HN 104:2011 "Safety of the population against electromagnetic fields generated by power lines", Order of the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Lithuania of 30 May 2011 No V-552 "On the approval of the Hygienic Standard HN 104:2011 "Safety of the population against electromagnetic fields generated by power lines", Hygienic Standard HN 80:2015 "Electromagnetic fields in the residential environment. Normative values of parameters and measurement requirements in the 10 kHz-300 GHz radio frequency band", approved by Order No V-199 of the Minister of Health of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 March 2011 'On the implementation of the Lithuanian Hygienic Standard HN 80:2015 'Electromagnetic field in the residential environment. Approval of the 'Hygienic hygiene regulation for the radio frequency band 10 kHz to 300 GHz', or in accordance with equivalent Lithuanian standards applicable to other economic activities, after measurements of the sound pressure level or sound intensity of equivalent stationary noise sources used for the purpose of calculating the sound power; a description of the stationary and mobile sources, their location, the forecast of the propagation of the pollution, and the limits for the pollution. The results of the dispersion modelling (tables, maps), the noise dispersion modelling software used for the calculations, the calculation standard, the noise indices, the meteorological conditions of the area, the altitude, the size of the area to be modelled, the size of the noise dispersion step, the coordinate system of the pollution dispersion map, and the scale of the dispersion map shall be provided;

138.4. data on sources of electromagnetic radiation shall be provided: technical data on radiotechnical facilities in accordance with the description of the procedure for coordination of the radiotechnical part of the radiotechnical facility design and the electromagnetic radiation monitoring plan, approved by Order of the Minister of Health of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 March 2011 No. In addition, the electromagnetic radiation dispersion programme used for the calculation, the calculation standard and/or method, the altitude, the size of the modelling area, the size of the

electromagnetic radiation dispersion step, the coordinate system of the pollution dispersion map and the scale shall be indicated;

138.5. the data for the assessment of the impact of ionising radiation on public health shall be provided, the assessment shall be carried out in accordance with the Lithuanian Hygienic Standard HN 73:2018 "Basic Radiation Protection Standards", approved by the Order of the Minister of Health of the Republic of Lithuania No.663 "On Approval of Lithuanian Hygienic Standard HN 73:2018 "Basic Radiation Protection Standards"" of 21 December 2001, Nuclear Safety Requirements BSR-1.9.1-2017 "Norms and requirements for the plan for the release of radionuclides into the environment from nuclear energy facilities", approved by the Order of the Head of the State Nuclear Energy Safety Inspectorate No 22.3-89 of 27 September 2011 "On the approval of nuclear safety requirements BSR-1.9.1-2017 "Norms and requirements for the plan for the release of radionuclides into the environment from nuclear energy facilities"".

Measures to avoid, reduce and compensate for significant adverse environmental effects

139. A description of the measures that will prevent or reduce the adverse effects of the planned economic activity on public health, the reasons for their selection, documentation demonstrating the potential for pollution prevention or reduction and the effectiveness of the planned or implemented measures, and the changes in the public health risk factors in the immediate living environment and at the boundaries of the sanitary protection zone (SPZ) as a result of the implementation of these measures. Measures to mitigate the adverse effects of biological, chemical, physical and other factors shall be indicated.

140. If a sanitary protection zone is established during the environmental impact assessment, the normative size of the sanitary protection zone shall be indicated, where this is regulated by legislation, and/or the proposed size of the sanitary protection zone of the planned economic activity. Information justifying the proposed size of the buffer zone shall be provided in accordance with the requirements of point 138 of this Annex. The proposed size of the sanitary protection zone in metres, the source(s) of pollution from which the sanitary protection zone shall be established, accompanied by a plan of the boundaries of the sanitary protection zone as specified in point 141 of this Annex. If the buffer zone was established prior to the environmental impact assessment, the document in which the buffer zone was established shall be indicated and a plan (topographical plan, drawing or map) of the buffer zone boundaries not older than 1 year or a reference to where the buffer zone boundary plan can be found.

Graphic material

141. A map of potential maximum ground-level concentrations of pollutants and a map of the dispersion of odour concentrations in ambient air shall be attached, indicating the planned site, the sources of pollution, the concentrations of individual pollutants, the odour concentration isolines (only available for pollutants, (only those with ground-level concentrations above the limit value), predicted levels or magnitudes of physical pollution (noise, ionising and electromagnetic radiation), and the proximity of the planned facility (residential buildings, public buildings, pollution or other significant objects).

If a sanitary protection zone is established as part of the environmental impact assessment, a plan of the boundaries of the sanitary protection zone shall be submitted (topographic plan, drawing or map), showing the proposed boundaries of the sanitary protection zone for the pollution source and/or the pollution object or several of them as adjusted according to meteorological data, and the justification for the establishment or adjustment of the boundaries of the sanitary protection zone (values of the calculation of the pollutant dispersion, isolines, sources of pollution etc.), residential buildings (houses), garden houses, buildings for hotel, administrative, commercial, catering, cultural, scientific, recreational, medical, sporting and religious purposes, buildings for special purposes related to accommodation, recreational areas, other objects. The scale of the plan shall be chosen on the basis of an assessment of the scale of the planned economic activity, the size of the planned territory and the territory likely to be affected by the planned economic activity, and the specifics of the planned economic activity; the recommended scale of the plan shall be between 1:500-1:10 000.

SECTION NINE RISK ANALYSIS

142. Information on the following in the immediate vicinity of the planned economic activity:

142.1. hazardous installations where hazardous substances are manufactured, used, handled or stored;

142.2. objects of national importance, which ensure the functioning of nationally important economic facilities or infrastructure (e.g. energy, transport, telecommunications);

142.3. engineering networks that may be affected by an emergency (power stations, lines, gas supply systems, water supply networks, wastewater management networks, water treatment plants);

142.4. the parcels or areas and their land use (e.g. forest, water, conservation or other uses), taking into account the potential impact of extreme events;

142.5. areas of natural events (e.g. earthquakes, karst phenomena, landslides, subsidence, floods) which, by virtue of their location, severity and frequency, pose a threat to the planned economic activity;

142.6. the residential areas and their population;

142.7. companies and organisations, and the number of employees working in them;

142.8. places of mass public assembly (e.g. stadiums, parks), public facilities (e.g. schools, hospitals, churches).

Significant impacts expected

143. The risk analysis shall assess the potential impact of the planned economic activity on environmental elements and public health as a result of possible events, major industrial accidents, nuclear or radiological accidents, casualties, extreme events and/or potential emergencies arising from the planned economic activity. It shall also assess the impact on the planned economic activity and its continuity caused by objects located outside the planned activity or by natural, social, ecological or biological phenomena.

144. The risk analysis shall be carried out in accordance with the Description of the Procedure for Notification and Exchange of Information on an Event, Emergency, Special Event, Emergency Situation or Crisis, approved by the Resolution of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania of 29 December 2022 No. 1317 "On Implementation of the Law on Crisis Management and Civil Protection of the Republic of Lithuania", the List of Criteria for Extreme Events in Annex 2 (hereinafter referred to as the "List of Criteria for Extreme Events"), the Indicators of Natural, Catastrophic Meteorological and Hydrological Phenomena, approved by the Minister of Environment of the Republic of Lithuania on 30 September 2011. The Ministry of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania has adopted the following methodological guidelines for the analysis of potential hazards and risks of emergencies, approved by the Order of the Director of the Fire and Rescue Department under the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania of 11 November 2011 No. D1-870 on the Approval of the Indicators of Disastrous, Catastrophic Meteorological and Hydrological Phenomena (hereafter referred to as the "Indicators of Disastrous, Catastrophic Meteorological and Hydrological Phenomena"), the Methodological Guidelines for the Analysis of the Risk of Possible Hazards and Emergencies of the Entity, Other Institution, and the Director of the Department of the Ministry of Interior. Risk analysis, forecasting, assessment of potential emergency situations and preventive measures when the planned economic activity in a higher level hazardous object involves hazardous substances or the site of the planned economic activity becomes a higher level hazardous object, the minimum requirements for the risk analysis shall be guided by the minimum requirements for the risk analysis set out in the Guidelines for the preparation of the safety report for a hazardous facility with quantities of hazardous substances equal to or exceeding the higher qualifying quantities, approved by order of the Director of the Fire Protection and Rescue Department under the Ministry of the Interior. The analysis shall assess the individual and social risks posed by the planned economic activity.

145. In risk analysis:

145.1. individual risk objects of the planned economic activity (e.g. multi-purpose structures, installations, tanks, transport and its infrastructure) are considered;

145.2. the operations/activities carried out at the risk facilities under consideration which may involve the risk of potential accidents, major industrial accidents, nuclear or radiological accidents, casualties, emergencies and/or potential emergencies (e.g. production, processing, assembly, packaging, storage, handling, transport, sale);

145.3. address hazardous factors that may be associated with the risk of potential accidents, major industrial accidents, other accidents, casualties, emergencies and/or potential emergencies, including but not limited to:

145.3.1. chemicals and chemical mixtures, including hazardous chemicals and chemical mixtures, which, in accordance with Regulation (EC) No . 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of chemicals and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, as amended, as hazardous, the production, use or storage of radioactive substances, taking into account the quantity and properties of such substances and mixtures (e.g. toxicity, flammability, explosiveness);

145.3.2. the generation, storage, use and disposal of hazardous, non-hazardous and radioactive waste, including information on the technological flows of hazardous waste, the planned quantities, and the management;

145.3.3. technical, technological or storage conditions affecting the ejection of tanks, pipelines and technological equipment, fire or explosion, collapse of structures due to technological failures, personnel errors, erosion and/or corrosion, mechanical damage, traffic accidents, terrorism and/or sabotage, etc.;

145.3.4. the organisation and intensity of transport (road, rail, water, air) during the planned economic activity;

145.3.5. the vulnerability of the planned economic activity to outbreaks of various diseases, epidemics, pandemics and other events of biological origin;

145.3.6. the possibility of terrorism, sabotage, criminal activity or other social events;

145.3.7. the risk posed by a nuclear or radiological incident;

145.3.8. extreme geological, meteorological or hydrological events;

145.3.9. unplanned interruption of energy, utilities, communications services;

145.3.10. other factors and conditions determined in accordance with the List of Criteria for Extreme Events and the Indicators for Severe, Catastrophic Meteorological and Hydrological Events;

145.4. worst-case (highest, most severe consequences) and typical (medium or low, most likely consequences) scenarios are considered;

145.5. address the potential for incidents, major industrial accidents, other accidents, casualties, emergencies and/or potential emergencies (explosion, fire, release of hazardous substances, uncontrolled chemical reactions, release of uncontrolled energy, collapse) that may be caused by the hazardous agents alone or in combination with other hazardous agents, including those that may result from climate change;

145.6. the impact of the planned economic activity on the occurrence of events, major industrial and other accidents, casualties, emergencies and/or potential emergencies (e.g. (e.g. contamination of the air, water, soil, land and its subsoil by chemical, biological, radioactive substances or destruction of the landscape and biodiversity, material and immovable cultural heritage) may have on hazardous and vulnerable objects in the immediate vicinity of the planned economic activity (e.g. (e.g. roads, railways, airports and seaports, residential buildings, shops, warehouses, petrol stations, industrial facilities, power transmission lines, water and heat networks, sewage pipelines, water supply, water points, ground and surface water, gas and oil pipelines, storage facilities (reservoirs), enterprises and organisations located and carrying out their activities in the territory under consideration, etc.)), environmental elements and public health, and how environmental objects, elements and phenomena may be affected by the planned economic activity;

145.7. the areas (spread) and probability of potential hazard consequences (impacts) of potential events, major industrial accidents, nuclear or radiological accidents, casualties, extreme events and/or potential emergencies, taking into account the risk objects, operations/activities and hazardous factors analysed;

145.8. identify the risk of potential accidents, major industrial accidents, nuclear or radiological accidents, casualties, emergencies and/or potential emergencies according to the magnitude of the impact and the likelihood;

145.9. the acceptability of the risk of potential accidents, major industrial accidents, nuclear or radiological accidents, casualties, emergencies and/or potential emergencies.

Measures to avoid, reduce and compensate for significant adverse environmental effects

146. The risk analysis of the planned economic activity shall include preventive and remedial measures to avoid, reduce or, where possible, compensate for any significant adverse effects that are likely to occur. A description of the measures relating to emergency preparedness and the proposed emergency response shall be provided. The risk analysis shall indicate whether the entity planning the economic activity meets (will meet) the criteria applicable to entities and other bodies whose managers are required to organise the preparation, coordination and approval of emergency plans; entities whose managers are required to set up an emergency operations centre; are required to (will be required to) prepare (adjust) an emergency plan in accordance with Article 23(1)(3) and (4) of the Law of the Republic of Lithuania on Crisis Management and Civil Protection; and are required to (will be required to) draw up a plan of measures for the prevention of emergencies. When registering existing or new hazardous objects, it shall be indicated whether it will be obligatory to prepare (adjust) the documents referred to in the Regulations on Prevention, Elimination and Investigation of Industrial Accidents approved by the Resolution of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania of 17 August 2004, No. 966 of 17 August 2004 "On the approval of the Regulations on prevention, elimination and investigation of industrial accidents and the list of hazardous substances and mixtures, their qualifying quantities and the description of criteria for classification of chemicals and mixtures as hazardous substances" (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations on prevention, elimination and investigation of industrial accidents).

147. During the environmental impact assessment of the planned economic activity, the emergency management plan, the plan of measures for prevention of emergency situations or the documents on hazardous objects specified in the Regulations on Prevention, Elimination and Investigation of Industrial Accidents shall not be prepared.

Graphic material

148. Graphic material is attached. The scale of the map (1:500, 1:1 000, 1:2 000; 1:5 000, 1:10 000, 1:50 000) shall be chosen after taking into account the type and scale of the planned economic activity, the size of the planned area and the size of the area likely to be affected by the planned economic activity or the area of the natural hazards likely to be affected by the planned economic activity:

148.1. a flood hazard map (identifying areas subject to flooding from a range of origins and probabilities) where flood zones are present in the immediate vicinity of the proposed development;

148.2. a flood risk map (which assesses the potential adverse effects of flooding on the population and on public health, the environment, cultural heritage and economic activities), if flood zones are present in the immediate vicinity of the planned economic activity;

148.3. maps of the environmental impact of the planned economic activity in the event of a potential accident, major industrial accident, nuclear or radiological accident, emergency and/or potential emergency;

148.4. other maps, where the vulnerability of the planned economic activity is linked to other risks (e.g. hazardous objects in the vicinity, karst area), indicating hazardous objects, objects of national importance and potential threats.

**SECTION 10
ANALYSIS AND EVALUATION OF ALTERNATIVES**

149. Describe the reasonable alternatives (e.g. location, scale, technical and technological solutions, timing, mitigation measures) examined by the EIA document preparer, including the "zero" alternative. The reasonable alternatives must be relevant to the proposed planned economic activity and its specific characteristics. They should contribute to the achievement of the objectives pursued and be feasible on the basis of technical, economic, environmental, political and other relevant criteria.

150. The potential impacts of the examined and selected alternatives shall be compared in terms of their potential effects on individual environmental components and their interactions, giving relative priority values of significance taking into account the magnitude, duration, reversibility, feasibility and effectiveness of mitigation measures, including transboundary impacts.

151. The main reasons for the choice of the alternative(s) shall be stated, taking into account the environmental impact of the planned economic activity and the best available techniques, if any.

SECTION ELEVEN MONITORING (MONITORING)

152. The parameters to be monitored for the relevant environmental elements shall be determined taking into account the nature, location and scale of the planned activity, the requirements of the legal acts governing monitoring, the possible environmental changes and their significance due to the impact of the planned economic activity, the vulnerability of the environmental elements, and the potential for their recovery. The purpose of monitoring is to identify:

152.1. whether the adverse effects of the economic activity do not exceed those foreseen in the EIA report;

152.2. the effectiveness of the measures taken to avoid, reduce or compensate for significant effects;

152.3. unforeseen adverse impacts and take appropriate action to reduce or avoid them;

152.4. whether the assessment methods used can reliably assess significant adverse effects (which may help to identify impacts more precisely in future EIAs).

153. The EIA report shall describe the monitoring measures to be carried out, indicating the environmental elements to be monitored, specifying the frequency of monitoring of each element, the parameters to be monitored and the locations of the monitoring during the preparation for, construction, operation and termination of the planned economic activity.

CHAPTER IV TRANSBOUNDARY ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

154. Description and analysis of the possible transboundary environmental effects of the planned economic activity. The expected transboundary impact on public health and on each element of the environment likely to be affected by the planned economic activity shall be analysed in accordance with the requirements of the 1991 United Nations Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context and the international treaties concluded between the Republic of Lithuania and the other State, taking into account information received from a Member State of the European Union or a foreign State. It shall describe the measures to be taken to avoid, reduce, remedy, restore or, where possible, compensate for any significant transboundary adverse effects on the environment and public health.

CHAPTER V A DESCRIPTION OF THE FORECASTING METHODS, EVIDENCE USED TO IDENTIFY AND ASSESS ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS AND PROBLEMS

155. Indicate the environmental impact assessment and prediction methods used, the justification for their choice for assessing the impact on the environmental components, and/or a description of the data/evidence supporting the conclusions/statements of the assessment. Quantitative (e.g. various studies, modelling, measurements) and qualitative (e.g. comparative analysis, descriptive statistics, analysis of monitoring results) methods of environmental impact assessment may be used.

156. A description of the problems (of a technical or practical nature) encountered by the EIA preparer in carrying out the EIA and in preparing the EIA programme and the EIA report (e.g. lack of reliable baseline data, identification of inter-relationships between environmental elements, unquantifiable impacts), indicating which problems in the assessment of the environmental impacts were the most significant, which procedures were the most complex and which environmental elements were the most difficult to assess.

CHAPTER VI NON-TECHNICAL SUMMARY OF THE EIA REPORT

157. A concise, non-technical summary of all the information covered in the EIA report, which is easily understandable to the public.

CHAPTER VII LIST OF REFERENCES

158. This list includes:

158.1. normative and other documents (e.g. reports of archaeological or biodiversity studies, monitoring data, methodologies, reports of strategic environmental impact assessments and other assessments) on which the environmental impact assessment documents are based;

158.2. the websites where the material used for the preparation of the environmental impact assessment documents has been published on websites (link, author of the published material and/or title of the document, date of the link).

CHAPTER VIII ANNEXES TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT

159. The Annexes referred to in point 18 of the Schedule shall be provided.

Description of the procedure for the preparation of environmental impact assessment documents for planned economic activities
Annex 2

LIST OF THE MOST VALUABLE PANORAMIC VIEWPOINTS IN THE LITHUANIAN LANDSCAPE

Eil. No.	Name	Coordinates		Planning document	Municipality
		X	Y		
1.	A. Juozapavičius Bridge in Alytus (viewing point)	503502	6029340	Alytus City Master Plan	Alytus municipality
2.	Alytus Castle Mound Lookout Point	505186	6028880	Alytus City Master Plan	Alytus municipality
3.	Alytus Old Town Observation Point	503799	6029600	Alytus City Master Plan	Alytus municipality
4.	Nemunas valley and Alytus lookout point on the pedestrian and cycle path at the Alytus College recreation ground	504365	6029150	Alytus City Master Plan	Alytus municipality
5.	Baltosios rožės Pedestrian and Cyclist Bridge (lookout point)	505271	6028500	Alytus City Master Plan	Alytus municipality
6.	Radžiūnai Mound (lookout point)	500381	6026350	Alytus City Master Plan	Alytus municipality
7.	Millennium Bridge and its approaches (viewpoint)	502409	6031650	Alytus City Master Plan	Alytus municipality
8.	Slopes of the Kirmijos Stream (ecological educational trail) of the Vidzgiris Botanical Reserve (viewpoint)	500167	6026870	Alytus City Master Plan	Alytus municipality
9.	Nest Lake Lookout	499586	6006900	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Alytus r. sav.
10.	Miežioniai viewpoint to the Nemunas valley	498510	6004250	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Alytus r. sav.
11.	The view of Pakrikšte Circus (Veismūnai) to the Nemunas valley	504316	6007990	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Alytus r. sav.
12.	Papėčiai Mound Lookout Point	486794	6019710	Management plan for Meteliai Regional Park	Alytus r. sav.
13.	Punios Castle Mound with Ancient Settlement (viewpoint)	505947	6041740	Nemunas Kilpi Regional Park planning scheme	Alytus r. sav.
14.	Viewing platform at the Mikierių outcrop	575286	6170560	Management plan for the Šventoji State Landscape Reserve	Anykščiai r. sav.
15.	Bijeikiai lookout tower	580131	6150580	Anykščiai Regional Park Management Plan	Anykščiai r. sav.
16.	Treetop Trail Lookout Tower	567028	6150570	Anykščiai Regional Park Management Plan	Anykščiai r. sav.
17.	Svirnų (Žiogai) mound with a settlement (lookout point)	556572	6137580	Anykščiai district cultural heritage network diagram	Anykščiai r. sav.

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18.	Birštonas / Nemunas Loops Lookout Tower	500913	6051890	Nemunas Kilpi Regional Park planning scheme	Birštonas sav.
19.	Birštonas hillfort with settlement	502222	6050890	Nemunas Kilpi Regional Park planning scheme	Birštonas sav.
20.	Būdai village (viewpoint)	504976	6051910	Landscape structure diagram of the Nemunas Loops Regional Park	Birštonas sav.
21.	Nemajūnai mound, called Pilale (a lookout point)	504622	6047710	Nemunas Kilpi Regional Park planning scheme	Birštonas sav.
22.	Liškiava Manor Hill (viewpoint)	503204	5993820	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Druskininkai municipality
23.	Raigard Lookout	499084	5979270	Management plan for the Raigard State Landscape Reserve	Druskininkai municipality
24.	Raigards Landscape Reserve and the historical part of the village of Švendubře (10340) (viewpoint)	499052	5979460	Management plan for the Raigard State Landscape Reserve	Druskininkai municipality
25.	Raigard valley (viewpoint)	496226	5982360	Management plan for the Raigard State Landscape Reserve	Druskininkai municipality
26.	Ausiutiškės viewpoint	560233	6071530	Neris Regional Park Management Plan	Elektrėnai municipality
27.	Paneriskės viewpoint	563224	6068250	Neris Regional Park Management Plan	Elektrėnai municipality
28.	Gražutė Regional Park lake viewpoint in Dvarekščiaus village	645804	6158860	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Ignalina r. sav.
29.	Ladakalnis (lookout)	626178	6138590	Aukštaitija National Park Management Plan	Ignalina r. sav.
30.	Vilkakalnis (Ignalina) lookout tower	638165	6135440	Specific plan for the development of the resort area and recreation	Ignalina r. sav.
31.	Jurbarkas r., Kaniūkų k., Nemunas valley lookout point	439241	6108380	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan, Jurbarkas District Municipality Territory Master Plan	Jurbarkas r. sav.
32.	The viewpoint of Kartupėnai Mound	436575	6107840	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Jurbarkas r. sav.
33.	Panemune Castle viewpoint	435428	6107390	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Jurbarkas r. sav.
34.	Raudone Castle Tower Lookout	444489	6107100	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan, Jurbarkas District Municipality Territory Master Plan	Jurbarkas r. sav.
35.	Seredžis Mound Viewpoint from Belvederis	461723	6105100	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Jurbarkas r. sav.

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36.	Seredžis hillfort viewpoint	462121	6105100	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Jurbarkas r. sav.
37.	Veliuona town lookout	453617	6104970	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Jurbarkas r. sav.
38.	Veliuona Town Hall	452461	6105280	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Jurbarkas r. sav.
39.	Veliuona mound viewpoint	454114	6104850	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Jurbarkas r. sav.
40.	Gastilioniai outcrop (viewpoint)	509599	6081750	Kaunas Lagoon Regional Park Management Plan	Kaišiadorys r. sav.
41.	Observation tower of the Lithuanian Folk and Household Museum	512357	6080340	Kaunas Lagoon Regional Park Management Plan	Kaišiadorys r. sav.
42..	Mergakalnis lookout	515694	6076510	Kaunas Lagoon Regional Park Management Plan	Kaišiadorys r. sav.
43.	Viewpoint of the Aguonis Geomorphological Reserve	442118	6024980	Kalvarija Municipality Master Plan	Kalvarija sav.
44.	Juodeliai Quarry (viewpoint of the Suvalki Hills)	441842	6028180	Kalvarija Municipality Master Plan	Kalvarija sav.
45.	Lake Šarkaitis (viewpoint)	444347	6023640	Kalvarija Municipality Master Plan	Kalvarija sav.
46.	Trakėnai (viewpoint)	446381	6022140	Kalvarija Municipality Master Plan	Kalvarija sav.
47.	Aleksotas Observation Point	492735	6083910	Kaunas city master plan	Kaunas city municipality
48.	Viewing point from the outcrop at P. Babicko g., Rokai, Kaunas r. sav.	495932	6078730	Management plan for the Jiesios Landscape Reserve	Kaunas city municipality
49.	Jiesia Nature Trail, viewing platform and grill at the dead oak tree	495973	6079760	Management plan for the Jiesios Landscape Reserve	Kaunas city municipality
50.	Kaunas lagoon viewpoint in Neveronyse	505946	6086410	Kaunas Lagoon Regional Park Management Plan	Kaunas city municipality
51.	Viewing platform on Linkuvos g. Kauno m.	493197	6087330	Kaunas city master plan	Kaunas city municipality
52.	Napoleon Hill (viewpoint)	495315	6080600	Kaunas city master plan	Kaunas city municipality
53.	Pažaislis Homestead near Pažaislis Monastery (viewpoint)	501616	6081890	Cultural heritage object in the Register of Cultural Property	Kaunas city municipality
54.	Veršvų Castle Mound (lookout point)	491947	6086490	Kaunas city master plan	Kaunas city municipality
55.	Vieškūnai (Šuneliškių) Mound (1 viewpoint)	503219	6084780	Kaunas Lagoon Regional Park Management Plan	Kaunas city municipality

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56.	Vieškūnai (Šuneliškių) Mound (2 viewpoints)	501844	6084440	Kaunas city master plan	Kaunas city municipality
57.	Altoniškės hillfort Kaunas r. municipality, Zapyškis sen., Altoniškės village.	474425	6091650	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.
58.	Observation deck Kaunas r. municipality, Vilkija sen., Vilkija m., Bažnyčios st. 21	473258	6100570	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.
59.	Viewing platform at the entrance to Vilkija town Kaunas county municipality, Vilkija sen., Vilkija town	473583	6100040	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.
60.	Viewing point in Ringove village	470181	6101580	General plan of the territory of the Republic of Lithuania	Kaunas r. sav.
61.	Arlaviskės Nature Trail Observation Point-Greenhouse	511581	6075280	Kaunas Lagoon Regional Park Management Plan	Kaunas r. sav.
62.	Jadagoniai mound Kaunas r. municipality, Zapyškio sen., Jadagoniai village (observation point)	473206	6095720	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.
63.	Lantainiai mound Kaunas county municipality, Domeikavos sen., Radikių village (a lookout point).	496646	6091740	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.
64.	Overlooking the Nemunas Valley and the town of Vilkija at a car park	473130	6100280	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.
65.	Nevėžis Landscape Reserve viewpoint	487811	6093230	Kaunas district municipality general plan	Kaunas r. sav.
66.	Pakalniškių mound viewpoint	501241	6080010	Kaunas Lagoon Regional Park Management Plan	Kaunas r. sav.
67.	Piepalių mound Kaunas r. municipality, Babtų sen., Žemaitkiemio k. (lookout point)	486163	6104270	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.
68.	Pyplių mound observation deck Kaunas r. municipality, Ringaudų sen., Pyplių k.	484012	6087970	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.
69.	Regykla at the Lithuanian Gliding Valley	475633	6091860	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.
70.	Ringovės mound Kaunas county municipality, Vilkija district sen., Ringovės village (lookout point)	469438	6101710	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.
71.	Samila's rest area (Kaunas lagoon viewpoint)	507363	6080320	Kaunas Lagoon Regional Park Management Plan	Kaunas r. sav.
72.	Sklandytojų kalva Kaunas r. municipality, Raudondvario sen., Netonii k. (lookout point)	482184	6089420	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.

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73.	Stabaunyčius Hill Kaunas r. municipality, Babtų sen., Stabaunyčius k. (lookout point)	487112	6103980	Amendment 1 to the general plan of Kaunas district municipality territory	Kaunas r. sav.
74.	Bakainiai mound lookout point	501852	6147840	Management plan for Krekenava Regional Park	Kėdainiai r. sav.
75.	Nevėžis old valley viewpoint from Surviliskis town	502339	6145940	Management plan for Krekenava Regional Park	Kėdainiai r. sav.
76.	Bridvaišis Mound Lookout	450584	6162390	Tytuvėnai Regional Park planning scheme	Kelme r. sav.
77.	Gordai Hill (viewpoint)	443249	6179040	Kurtuvėnai Regional Park Management Plan	Kelme r. sav.
78.	A hill called Kražiai Medžiokalni (lookout point)	417825	6164700	General plan of the territory of Kelme district	Kelme r. sav.
79.	Kurtuvėnai Regional Park landscape viewpoint in Mančių village	439652	6181880	Kurtuvėnai Regional Park Management Plan	Kelme r. sav.
80.	Hunting Camp	417825	6164700	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Kelme r. sav.
81.	Singe Hills (viewpoint)	404040	6171530	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Kelme r. sav.
82.	Vainagiai Mound (lookout point)	436929	6185720	Kurtuvėnai Regional Park Management Plan	Kelme r. sav.
83.	The Viper's Viewpoint	441419	6178590	Dubysa Regional Park planning scheme	Kelme r. sav.
84.	Viewing point from Smukle Dune	318573	6178270	Klaipėda City Master Plan	Klaipėda city municipality
85.	Viewing point on the Smiltyne quay	317947	6179690	Klaipėda City Master Plan	Klaipėda city municipality
86.	Viewing point on the Smiltyne quay - Senoji perkėla	318550	6178440	Klaipėda City Master Plan	Klaipėda city municipality
87.	Lookout point on Smiltyne quay - Smiltynes Yacht Club	319014	6177430	Klaipėda City Master Plan	Klaipėda city municipality
88.	Mount Hagen lookout	318905	6175680	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Klaipėda city municipality
89.	Landscape viewpoint of the Akmena-Danė river valley	325640	6194130	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Klaipėda r. sav.
90.	Kretingale Bridge over the Akmena-Dana (valley viewpoint)	324714	6192080	Klaipėda District Master Plan	Klaipėda r. sav.
91.	Panoramic viewpoint of the valley of the River Akmena	328625	6203010	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
92.	Dauginci outcrop viewpoint	346987	6204610	Salantai Regional Park Management Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
93.	Imbare Castle Mound (lookout point)	347657	6212990	Salantai Regional Park planning scheme	Kretinga r. sav.
94.	Kalnali lookout tower	346717	6211960	Salantai Regional Park planning scheme	Kretinga r. sav.
95.	Kartena landscape (viewpoint)	340957	6200940	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
96.	Panorama of Kartena Lourdes	341698	6200040	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.

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97.	Kartena town and the Minija valley from the north	341866	6201900	Kretinga r. municipality territory general plan	Kretinga r. sav.
98.	Kartena town panorama from the side of Žadeikiai village	341665	6201760	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
99.	Kretinga city surroundings from the Railway Viaduct	325592	6195530	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
100.	Kretinga city panorama from the northern side of Kretinga city	327468	6199450	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
101.	Kretinga city centre panorama	327415	6198360	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
102.	Kretinga landscape from the Angel sculpture	327343	6198800	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
103.	Kretinga city panorama from J. Basanavičiaus st.	327392	6199230	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
104.	Kretinga city panorama from the cemetery side	327732	6200570	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
105.	Kurmaičiai village landscape (viewpoint)	328681	6203480	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
106.	Landscape of the Minija river valley in Baubliai village (viewpoint)	336797	6191680	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
107.	Landscape of the Minija river valley in Nausodis village (viewpoint)	338547	6198190	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
108.	Minija River Valley Landscape Panorama Viewpoint	336931	6194550	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
109.	Panorama of Nasrenai village from the side of Kūlupėnai village	344083	6207040	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
110.	Padvariai village and pond landscape (viewpoint)	329124	6203930	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
111.	Panorama of Padvariai pond (viewpoint)	328135	6200840	Kretinga District Municipality Master Plan	Kretinga r. sav.
112.	Panorama of the Anča Landscape Reserve (viewpoint)	478956	5996170	Veisii Regional Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Lazdijai r. sav.
113.	Viewing point - the lake resort at Lake Šlavants	477620	6002500	Veisii Regional Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Lazdijai r. sav.
114.	Dusios Lake viewpoint in Barčiai Old Cemetery	478325	6017320	Management plan for Meteliai Regional Park	Lazdijai r. sav.
115.	Lake Dusios viewpoint in Straigiškės village	482666	6013710	Management plan for Meteliai Regional Park	Lazdijai r. sav.
116.	Dzūkija Great Lakes Visitor Centre in the village of Akuočių	485991	6013460	Management plan for Meteliai Regional Park	Lazdijai r. sav.
117.	Ancient settlement of Mėčiūnai (view of the ancient settlement from across the lake)	480682	5993410	Veisii Regional Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Lazdijai r. sav.
118.	Ancient settlement of Mėčiūnai (lookout point)	480412	5993430	Veisii Regional Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Lazdijai r. sav.
119.	Meteli Lookout Tower	483246	6017650	Management plan for Meteliai Regional Park	Lazdijai r. sav.
120.	Paveisininkai hillfort with settlement	474293	5993160	Lazdijai r. municipality general plan	Lazdijai r. sav.
121.	Prelomciškės mound lookout	477557	6019550	Management plan for Meteliai Regional Park	Lazdijai r. sav.

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122.	Rudamina Castle Mound	463615	6016330	Lazdijai r. municipality general plan	Lazdijai r. sav.
123.	The defensive fortifications of the Vainežeris Manor, called "Okopka" (lookout point)	478596	5993690	Veisii Regional Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Lazdijai r. sav.
124.	Veisei Manor Park (viewpoint)	479828	5995680	Veisii Regional Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Lazdijai r. sav.
125.	Veisei Regional Park observation tower	481824	5996040	Veisii Regional Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Lazdijai r. sav.
126.	Verstaminai III Mound (viewpoint)	471640	6016550	Management plan for Meteliai Regional Park	Lazdijai r. sav.
127.	The old water tower of the Kvietiškis Manor Farmstead and other buildings (viewpoint)	457824	6044050	Marijampolė r. municipality general plan	Marijampolė municipality
128.	Marijampolė, Kumelioniai mound with a settlement (viewing point)	456716	6043020	Marijampolė r. municipality general plan	Marijampolė municipality
129.	Svirkanti outcrop viewpoint	408666	6228410	Venta Regional Park Management Plan	Mažeikiai r. sav.
130.	Andrulėnai hill, known as Bažnyčia hill (viewpoint)	610230	6111370	Correction of the general plan of the territory of Moletai municipality; Register of cultural values	Moletai r. sav.
131.	Lake Asvejos Lookout Point in Žalktyne Bay	590785	6100840	Asvejos Regional Park Management Plan	Moletai r. sav.
132.	Lake Baluošai viewpoint	597968	6102420	Asvejos Regional Park Management Plan	Moletai r. sav.
133.	Dubingiai castle site, known as Castle Hill (lookout point)	592288	6103530	Asvejos Regional Park Management Plan	Moletai r. sav.
134.	Mindūnai Observation Tower	599317	6121510	Labanoras Regional Park Management Plan	Moletai r. sav.
135.	Pagrunda Rina viewpoint	590015	6103720	Asvejos Regional Park Management Plan	Moletai r. sav.
136.	Žalktyne Bay Viewpoint	590790	6100830	Asvejos Regional Park Management Plan	Moletai r. sav.
137.	Viewing point on Karvaičiai Dune	314614	6143640	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality
138.	Sheep Hill Viewpoint	317513	6156990	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality
139.	Bear's Head (lookout point)	319124	6171320	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality
140.	Nagliai Nature Reserve Educational Trail Viewpoint	315759	6148850	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality
141.	Parnidis Dune (lookout point)	308900	6132940	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality

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142.	Preila Dune Lookout	313229	6140960	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality
143.	Witch's Hill (viewpoint)	317988	6161860	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality
144.	Viewpoint of the Witch Mountain Landscape Reserve	318463	6161980	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality
145.	Skirpstas Dune lookout	314922	6145570	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality
146.	Mount Urbo rack	309256	6134080	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality
147.	Mount Urbo rack	309081	6133950	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality
148.	Vecekrugs Dune Camp	312215	6139470	Curonian Spit National Park Management Plan	Neringa municipality
149.	Nemunas riverside viewpoint (near the Bitėnai White Stork colony)	375046	6106760	Rambynas Regional Park Management Plan	Pagėgiai municipality
150.	Trici Mound (lookout point)	501449	6219340	Pakruojis District Municipality Master Plan	Pakruojis r. sav.
151.	Burvelių Alkakalnis and Nevėžis Old Valley Viewpoint	504157	6147740	Management plan for Krekenava Regional Park	Panevėžio r. sav.
152.	Krekenava Regional Park Observation Tower	506657	6157440	Management plan for Krekenava Regional Park	Panevėžio r. sav.
153.	Nevėžis Old Valley Viewpoint from Burvelių Alkakalnis	503400	6147350	Management plan for Krekenava Regional Park	Panevėžio r. sav.
154.	Nevėžis Old Valley viewpoint from the Kazokiai Old Bridge site	502872	6146060	Management plan for Krekenava Regional Park	Panevėžio r. sav.
155.	Nevėžis River valley lookout point on the nature trail	505508	6154220	Management plan for Krekenava Regional Park	Panevėžio r. sav.
156.	View from the tower of Naujamiestis Church to the Nevėžis Valley (vantage point)	509811	6172470	Panevėžys District General Plan	Panevėžio r. sav.
157.	Velniakalnis Pasvalys r., Vaškų sen., Kriaušiškės k. (observation point)	512656	6220670	General plan of Pasvalys district municipality	Pasvalys r. sav.
158.	Viewing point from the Chapel of St. Elena (Žemaičių Kalvarija)	375498	6221650	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
159.	Dyburiu outcrop viewpoint	349889	6203240	Salantai Regional Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.

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160.	Panorama of Ertenis Telmological Reserve	372446	6220450	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
161.	Viewpoint of the Gardai Ozone	375281	6223430	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
162.	Gegrenai Manor Viewpoint	370812	6219800	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
163.	Gegrenai I mound lookout point	371442	6219050	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
164.	Gegrenai Cemetery II (viewpoint)	371280	6219290	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
165.	Gelindenai village (lookout point)	374920	6203820	Plungė r. municipality general plan	Plungė r. sav.
166.	Lake Long Lake lookout tower	364454	6210560	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
167.	Jogaudai Lookout Tower (Žemaitija National Park)	371774	6209140	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
168.	Kumelkakte lookout point	365378	6215470	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
169.	Mikytų alkakalnis lookout point	365033	6223430	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
170.	Paežerė village (lookout point)	378652	6207100	Plungė r. municipality general plan	Plungė r. sav.
171.	Paplatelė lookout point	368185	6214220	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
172.	Plateliai Lake viewpoint on Jasmine Hill	363336	6214010	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
173.	Platelių Lake lookout point in Medsėdžiai village	363363	6216940	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
174.	Plateliai Lake lookout point on Starica Hill	362679	6212560	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
175.	Plateliai Lake Lookout	364705	6214680	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
176.	Siberian Lookout Tower (Žemaitija National Park)	363784	6212870	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
177.	St. St. John's (Gardai Mound) (lookout point)	376290	6220910	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Plungė r. sav.
178.	Observation deck at Greimas Bridge	496710	6054990	Prienai City Master Plan	Prienai r. sav.
179.	Balbieriškis outcrop (viewing platform)	492473	6044190	Prienai municipality general plan	Prienai r. sav.
180.	Gelioniai Hill (viewpoint)	530373	6052610	Aukštadvaris Regional Park Management Plan	Prienai r. sav.
181.	Gelioniai hill viewpoint	530333	6052670	Prienai District Municipality General Plan	Prienai r. sav.
182.	Giraitiškės Recreation Site (viewpoint)	500319	6051850	Prienai District Municipality General Plan	Prienai r. sav.
183.	Islaužas ponds, panorama of Veiveriai ridge (viewpoint)	494885	6068170	Prienai District Municipality General Plan	Prienai r. sav.
184.	Mačiūnai Mound (lookout point)	496652	6057250	Prienai Town Master Plan	Prienai r. sav.
185.	Naravai Mound (lookout point)	499156	6050450	Prienai District Municipality General Plan	Prienai r. sav.
186.	Nemunas riverbank at Beržynas Park (lookout point)	497339	6056260	Prienai City Master Plan	Prienai r. sav.
187.	Nibriu village (Nemunas valley viewpoint)	506679	6055280	Landscape structure diagram of the Nemunas Loops Regional Park	Prienai r. sav.
188.	Pabrasci village (Nemunas valley viewpoint)	492466	6044500	Nemunas Kilpi Regional Park planning scheme	Prienai r. sav.
189.	Pašventupis Castle Mound (lookout point)	504316	6062820	Prienai District Municipality General Plan	Prienai r. sav.

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190.	Paukščių Mound (lookout point)	514427	6058150	Prienai District Municipality General Plan	Prienai r. sav.
191.	Birdwatching site	499453	6056820	Prienai District Municipality General Plan	Prienai r. sav.
192.	Pieštuvėnai Mound (lookout point)	520972	6055070	Prienai District Municipality General Plan	Prienai r. sav.
193.	Surmiaus str. Steponiškės village, Jiezno sen. (observation point)	514887	6059040	Prienai District Municipality General Plan	Prienai r. sav.
194.	Public space at the Kęstutis Monument in Prienai (viewing point)	496706	6055050	Prienai City Master Plan	Prienai r. sav.
195.	Šiauliai Hill Observation Tower	463440	6168020	Tytuvėnai Regional Park Management Plan	Radviliškis r. sav.
196.	Betygala I mound	460143	6135270	Dubysa Regional Park planning scheme	Raseiniai r. sav.
197.	Betygala II Mound (Alkakalnis)	460407	6135110	Dubysa Regional Park planning scheme	Raseiniai r. sav.
198.	Daugirdėnai hillside viewpoint	461238	6129440	Dubysa Regional Park planning scheme	Raseiniai r. sav.
199.	Daugirdėnai hillside viewpoint	464495	6129600	Dubysa Regional Park planning scheme	Raseiniai r. sav.
200.	Dubysa valley in Maslauskiskis (lookout point)	456763	6136990	Dubysa Regional Park Planning Scheme, Raseiniai r. municipality master plan	Raseiniai r. sav.
201.	Kengiai Manor viewpoint (lookout point)	451983	6140490	Dubysa Regional Park planning scheme	Raseiniai r. sav.
202.	Lyduvėnai Railway Bridge (viewpoint)	442341	6152740	Dubysa Regional Park planning scheme	Raseiniai r. sav.
203.	Lyduvėnai railway bridge viewpoint	442345	6152740	Dubysa Regional Park planning scheme	Raseiniai r. sav.
204.	Lukne hillside viewpoint	453122	6140830	Dubysa Regional Park Planning Scheme, Raseiniai r. municipality master plan	Raseiniai r. sav.
205.	Molavėnai archaeological complex (viewing point)	428577	6146500	Raseiniai District Master Plan	Raseiniai r. sav.
206.	Padubysys Castle Mound (lookout point)	452010	6140690	Dubysa Regional Park planning scheme	Raseiniai r. sav.
207.	Rocheske Mound Viewpoint	460830	6130650	Dubysa Regional Park Planning Scheme, Raseiniai r. municipality master plan	Raseiniai r. sav.
208.	Ročiškės Castle Mound (lookout point)	460809	6130670	Dubysa Regional Park planning scheme	Raseiniai r. sav.
209.	Smulkiškės village hill (viewpoint)	458925	6132700	Dubysa Regional Park Planning Scheme, Raseiniai r. municipality master plan	Raseiniai r. sav.
210.	Viewpoint of Šiluva town	450359	6155590	Tytuvėnai Regional Park planning scheme	Raseiniai r. sav.
211.	Ugioniai Sanctuary access (lookout point)	459507	6131440	Dubysa Regional Park Planning Scheme, Raseiniai r. municipality master plan	Raseiniai r. sav.
212.	Lopaičiai Šventkalnis panorama	386073	6180490	Rietavas Municipality Master Plan	Rietavas sav.
213.	Tverai lookout tower	385152	6181130	Specific plan for road tourism at national level	Rietavas sav.

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214.	Keležeriai village hills (viewpoint)	618992	6195010	Management plan for Krekenava Regional Park	Rokiškio r. sav.
215.	Sartai Lake lookout tower in Baršėnai village	615143	6191150	Sartai Regional Park Management Plan	Rokiškio r. sav.
216.	Barstytalai Marsh Viewpoint	367203	6225920	General plan of the territory of Skuodas district	Skuodas r. sav.
217.	Gudali village hills (viewpoint)	368071	6223380	National Landscape Management Plan and Skuodas District Municipality Master Plan	Skuodas r. sav.
218.	Paparčiai hill (lookout point)	369690	6225440	National Landscape Management Plan	Skuodas r. sav.
219.	Paparčiai hill, known as Auškalni (lookout point)	370046	6224420	General plan of the territory of Skuodas district	Skuodas r. sav.
220.	Viewing platform in Ilguva	456723	6103370	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
221.	Observation deck in Plokščiai	447198	6105490	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
222.	Burgaičiai Castle Mound I (called Vorpilius) (lookout point)	412760	6102460	Šakiai District Municipality Master Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
223.	Burgaičiai Castle Mound II (called Pilaite) (viewpoint)	412908	6102250	Šakiai District Municipality Master Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
224.	Burgaičiai Castle Mound III (called Bevardis) (lookout point)	412953	6102360	Šakiai District Municipality Master Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
225.	Gelgaudiškis Manor Homestead (lookout point)	434919	6105250	Šakiai district municipality master plan; cultural heritage site	Šakiai r. sav.
226.	Grinaičiai Castle Mound (called Saddle Hill) (viewpoint)	413499	6102100	Šakiai District Municipality Master Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
227.	Grinaičiai Mound II (called Žydkapis) (viewing point)	413482	6102140	Šakiai District Municipality Master Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
228.	Maštaičiai-Narkūnai mound with its mounds and mound (lookout point)	430663	6105150	Šakiai district municipality master plan; cultural heritage site	Šakiai r. sav.
229.	A viewpoint on the Zemoji Panemune Mound	465419	6101990	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
230.	A view of the Nemunas valley at the Gelgaudiškis marina	434539	6106440	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
231.	A view of the Nemunas valley in Ilguva	456800	6103370	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
232.	View of the Nemunas valley in Paežerėliai village	459812	6103560	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
233.	A view of the Nemunas valley in Pakalniškės village	436648	6107490	Panemuni Regional Park Management Plan	Šakiai r. sav.
234.	Bėčionys mound viewpoint	604307	6010410	Management plan for the Dieveniškės Historical Regional Park	Šalčininkai r. sav.
235.	Carpenter's Hill Lookout Point	604157	6016670	Management plan for the Dieveniškės Historical Regional Park	Šalčininkai r. sav.
236.	Grybiškės Hill lookout point	606462	6013670	Management plan for the Dieveniškės Historical Regional Park	Šalčininkai r. sav.

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237.	Bubiai Mound Lookout Point	445533	6192290	Kurtuvėnai Regional Park Management Plan, Šiauliai municipality master plan	Šiauliai r. sav.
238.	Girnikai Hill Viewpoint (Kurtuvėnai Regional Park)	439524	6192560	Kurtuvėnai Regional Park Management Plan	Šiauliai r. sav.
239.	Viewpoint of Kartuvi Hill	440205	6189300	Kurtuvėnai Regional Park Management Plan	Šiauliai r. sav.
240.	Kurtuvėnai Castle Mound (lookout point)	440071	6188430	Kurtuvėnai Regional Park Management Plan	Šiauliai r. sav.
241.	Mount Rimas (viewpoint)	439584	6187140	Kurtuvėnai Regional Park Management Plan	Šiauliai r. sav.
242.	Aukštagirė lookout tower	393455	6163480	Land reform land use planning project for Laukuva, Bilioniai, Šilalė village elderships, Šilalė district	Šilalė r. sav.
243.	Bilionioi Mound Lookout	394206	6163730	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Šilalė r. sav.
244.	India Mound Viewpoint	387879	6147320	Pagamantis Regional Park planning scheme	Šilalė r. sav.
245.	Kaltinėnai Spirituality Park (viewpoint)	401275	6160120	Land reform land-use planning project of Kaltinėnai sub-district, Šilalė district	Šilalė r. sav.
246.	Viewing point of the hill near Paršežeris	392151	6170040	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Šilalė r. sav.
247.	Mount Medvegal viewpoint	398525	6167190	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Šilalė r. sav.
248.	Medvegalis Castle Mound Alko Hill Viewpoint	398252	6167100	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Šilalė r. sav.
249.	Medvegalis mound viewpoint	398761	6167060	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Šilalė r. sav.
250.	Čiobiškis Manor (viewpoint)	542075	6090860	General plan of the territory of Širvintos district	Širvintu r. sav.
251.	White Mountain Observation Point	553258	6083730	General plan of the territory of Širvintos district	Širvintu r. sav.
252.	View from Lapelių village (viewpoint)	546764	6090030	General plan of the territory of Širvintos district	Širvintu r. sav.
253.	Lake Asvejos viewpoint from the Žingiai castle cemetery	600999	6098500	Asvejos Regional Park Management Plan	Švenčionys r. sav.
254.	Lake Asvejos lookout point at the Abejučiai Mound	605218	6095120	Asvejos Regional Park Management Plan	Švenčionys r. sav.
255.	Kačėniškės Mound (lookout point)	643924	6122990	Sirveta Regional Park Management Plan	Švenčionys r. sav.
256.	Lygumai lookout tower-observation deck	634866	6128170	Aukštaitija National Park Management Plan	Švenčionys r. sav.
257.	Meilūnai Lookout Tower	640816	6116670	Sirveta Regional Park Management Plan	Švenčionys r. sav.
258.	Stashkine viewpoint	649881	6120820	Žemaitija National Park planning scheme	Švenčionys r. sav.
259.	Geniai outcrop viewpoint	384181	6136600	Pagamantis Regional Park planning scheme	Tauragė r. sav.
260.	Viewpoint at the confluence of the Sea and the Akmena River	387743	6136540	Pagamantis Regional Park planning scheme	Tauragė r. sav.
261.	Pagamantis outcrop viewpoint	387871	6139040	Pagamantis Regional Park planning scheme	Tauragė r. sav.

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262.	Rextuki outcrop viewpoint	389025	6130960	Pagramantis Regional Park planning scheme	Tauragė r. sav.
263.	Strawberry Hill in Kietkalnis Geomorphological Reserve (viewpoint)	410841	6190520	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Telšių r. sav.
264.	Strawberry Hill Viewpoint	410825	6190520	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Telšių r. sav.
265.	Panorama of the town of Gadūnavas	387512	6214450	Telšiai District Master Plan	Telšių r. sav.
266.	Lake Germant (viewpoint)	383453	6206050	Telšiai District Master Plan	Telšių r. sav.
267.	Jaušaičiai Hill (lookout point)	390539	6177520	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Telšių r. sav.
268.	Hill near Luoke (viewpoint)	406773	6196080	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Telšių r. sav.
269.	Hill near Baltininkai (viewpoint)	401835	6192660	Telšiai District Master Plan	Telšių r. sav.
270.	Kietkalnis Hill (viewpoint)	409977	6187840	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Telšių r. sav.
271.	Lenartiškės village hill (viewpoint)	410061	6189290	Varniai Regional Park landscape structure diagram	Telšių r. sav.
272.	Viewpoint of the Mound of the Lady's Mound	405962	6182090	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Telšių r. sav.
273.	Castle Hill in Luoke (lookout point)	408055	6195990	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Telšių r. sav.
274.	Sprude Mound viewpoint	405047	6184340	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Telšių r. sav.
275.	Šatrija Hill viewpoint	409771	6194100	Varniai Regional Park Management Plan	Telšių r. sav.
276.	Telšiai city skyline	388898	6209150	Telšiai District Master Plan	Telšių r. sav.
277.	Vanagos Hill (lookout point)	404674	6196380	Telšiai District Master Plan	Telšių r. sav.
278.	Panorama of Žarėnai town	386461	6189430	Telšiai District Master Plan	Telšių r. sav.
279.	Antakalnis respite site (viewpoint)	545779	6040580	Aukštadvaris Regional Park Management Plan	Trakai r. sav.
280.	Viewing platform in Štareinė village	546084	6053120	Aukštadvaris Regional Park Management Plan	Trakai r. sav.
281.	Elevation on the north-eastern shore of Galvė Lake (vantage point)	560418	6059700	Trakai Historical National Park planning scheme	Trakai r. sav.
282.	A hill on the Trakai-Vievis road on the north-western shore of Galvė Lake (lookout point)	558922	6059610	Trakai Historical National Park planning scheme	Trakai r. sav.
283.	Viewing point of the Strėva upstream landscape reserve	546137	6054900	Aukštadvaris Regional Park Management Plan	Trakai r. sav.
284.	Trakai Old Town (viewpoint)	559489	6057490	Trakai Historical National Park planning scheme	Trakai r. sav.
285.	Žuklijai Castle Mound (lookout point)	544205	6041690	Aukštadvaris Regional Park Management Plan	Trakai r. sav.

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286.	Čepkelių Rašt' Educational Trail Observation Tower	528105	5987170	Planning scheme of the Čepkelių State Nature Reserve (boundaries and management plans)	Varėnos r. sav.
287.	Liškiava Castle tower observation deck	502841	5993760	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
288.	Liškiava St. Trinity Church and Dominican Monastery ensemble (viewpoint)	503729	5993600	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
289.	Liškiava St. The churchyard gate of the Holy Trinity Church in Liskava (viewing point)	503689	5993700	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
290.	Maksimoni lookout	510636	6002920	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
291.	Merkine Lookout Tower	511404	6002950	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
292.	Panorama of the Merkiai Loop (Bingelių outcrop)	515380	6000850	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
293.	The confluence of the Nemunas and Merkiai rivers from the Merkinė Castle Mound (viewing point)	511985	6002340	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
294.	Netiesai Lakes Viewing Platform	507824	6005320	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
295.	Puvočiči lookout tower	520221	5997460	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
296.	Skerdzimai Meadow Viewpoint	519646	5987480	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
297.	Viewing tower of Stegali Nature Complex	532606	5994640	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
298.	Ula's eye viewpoint	528818	6000790	Dzūkija National Park planning scheme (boundaries and management plan)	Varėnos r. sav.
299.	Viewing point on the Dunoy Hill (Vištytis Regional Park)	424435	6031150	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
300.	Viewing point to Vištytis Lake on Jokimas Hill	418970	6032850	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
301.	Viewpoint to the southern part of Vištytis Lake in Bakšiškės village.	420333	6028490	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
302.	Viewing point to Vištytis Lake Vartele village.	421920	6029330	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
303.	Lookout point in Pavištytis	422934	6032310	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.

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304.	Kaupiškės Mound (lookout point)	416009	6045690	Vilkaviškis district municipality territory general plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
305.	Kylininkai moraine massif viewpoint	420929	6043680	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
306.	Kylininkai moraine massif viewpoint (Dobilynų village)	419032	6041530	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
307.	Kylininkai moraine massif lookout point (Kvetkininku village)	420929	6043680	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
308.	Kylininkai moraine massif viewpoint (Oko kalva)	421234	6043400	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
309.	Kylininkai Serpentine Lookout Point	421169	6044660	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
310.	Panorama viewpoint from Pavištytis I mound	420845	6031570	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
311.	Panoramic view from the Vištytis Mound	420592	6034890	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
312.	Svirkalnis Regyklnis	430975	6040510	Vilkaviškis district municipality territory general plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
313.	Three Lakes Viewpoint (Vištytis Regional Park)	421207	6030800	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
314.	View of the Rominta Forest	420271	6029560	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
315.	A viewpoint at the birthplace of the book carrier P. Mikolainis	419731	6031420	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
316.	Stirniškių regykla (Vištytis Regional Park)	426004	6033870	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
317.	Suopkalnis lookout (Vištytis Regional Park)	421040	6045330	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
318.	Vištytis Regional Park panorama viewpoint (Kybartai-Vištytis road)	416220	6037030	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
319.	Vištytis panorama viewpoint from Vištytis windmill	418425	6036280	Vištytis Regional Park Management Plan	Vilkaviškis r. sav.
320.	Oak Hill viewpoint	559734	6076150	Neris Regional Park Management Plan	Vilnius r. sav.
321.	Bradėliskės Mound	560651	6077110	Neris Regional Park Management Plan	Vilnius r. sav.
322.	Juozapinė Geomorphological Reserve Observation Tower	605247	6044600	Management plan for the Juozapinė Geomorphological Reserve	Vilnius r. sav.
323.	Karmazini Mound, known as Viršupis (lookout point)	559834	6076200	Neris Regional Park Management Plan	Vilnius r. sav.
324.	The Little Ship's Lookout	608321	6051410	Management plan for the Kuosinė State Geomorphological Reserve	Vilnius r. sav.
325.	New Reva Mound viewpoint	565887	6067510	Neris Regional Park Management Plan	Vilnius r. sav.
326.	The viewpoint at the Great Kuosinė Mound	606519	6051630	Management plan for the Kuosinė State Geomorphological Reserve	Vilnius r. sav.
327.	The Vellum Camp	562904	6074280	Neris Regional Park Management Plan	Vilnius r. sav.
328.	Verkšioniai viewpoint	559135	6075850	Neris Regional Park Management Plan	Vilnius r. sav.

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329.	Antalieptė lagoon viewpoint in Bikėnai	630667	6168030	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
330.	Antalieptė lagoon viewpoint in Daneikiai village	624523	6167850	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
331.	Antalieptė lagoon viewpoint in Drobai village	625336	6165070	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
332.	Antalieptė lagoon viewpoint in Kiemionių I	629625	6165370	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
333.	Antalieptė lagoon viewpoint Kiemionių II	629378	6164210	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
334.	Antalieptė lagoon lookout point in Kruopelių village	620019	6168120	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
335.	Antalieptė lagoon lookout point in Senadvario village	623344	6171140	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
336.	Antalieptė lagoon viewpoint in Trinkušės village	626325	6164030	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
337.	Antalieptė lagoon viewpoint in Verslava	620352	6169500	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
338.	Lookout point at Trinkuški Cross overlooking the Gražutė Regional Park lake	625398	6162670	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
339.	Gražutė Regional Park lake and Šventoji upstream viewpoint in Tiltiškės village	633157	6167630	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
340.	Gražutė Regional Park lake viewpoint in Degučiai village	630395	6171610	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
341.	Gražutė Regional Park lake viewpoint in Skeldai village	627730	6168600	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
342.	Gražutė Regional Park lake viewpoint Smalvų II (Rutiniškis)	647024	6170320	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
343.	Laukes Lake Sand Peninsula (viewpoint)	644702	6181250	Zarasai City Master Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
344.	Lake Luodis viewpoint in Paluode	639685	6160430	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.
345.	Smalvi Landscape Reserve (viewpoint)	648149	6169140	Gražutė Regional Park Management Plan	Zarasai r. sav.

Remark. Viewpoints of the most valuable panoramas of the Lithuanian landscape, in particular the boundaries of protected landscape areas and habitats, national protected areas, and Natura 2000 sites of the European Ecological Network can be found at <https://vst-t.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=80388c28c00845d9a9792bb01cd936df>

(Declaration of compliance with the requirements of good repute by a natural person)

DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF GOOD REPUTE

(first name, last name)

(date)

(location)

1. Have you been found guilty in accordance with the procedure established by law of a corruption offence as defined in the Law on Prevention of Corruption of the Republic of Lithuania and have an unexpired or unreversed criminal record or an unexpired period of surety?

2. In the last 5 years, have you been punished in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Code of Administrative Offences of the Republic of Lithuania for submitting false information required for the screening procedure for the assessment of the environmental impact of a planned economic activity, or for approving an environmental impact assessment programme, or for adopting a decision on a planned economic activity?

(signature)

(first name, last name)

(Declaration of compliance with the requirements of good repute by a legal person)

DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF GOOD REPUTE

(Name of legal entity)

(date)

(location)

1. During the last 5 years, has the represented legal entity been penalised in accordance with the procedure established by the Law on Environmental Protection of the Republic of Lithuania for providing false information necessary for the screening for the assessment of the environmental impact of a planned economic activity or for the approval of an environmental impact assessment programme or for the adoption of a decision on a planned economic activity?

2. Are the manager and/or specialists of the represented legal entity considered to be natural persons of good repute in accordance with Article 5(3)(1)(a) of the Law of the Republic of Lithuania on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities?

(signature)

(name of the head of the legal person or authorised person)

APPROVED

Minister for the Environment of the
Republic of Lithuania
Order of 23 May 2023
No D1-157

PROCEDURES FOR THE Intergovernmental ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT OF PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES

CHAPTER I GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. The description of procedures for transboundary environmental impact assessment of planned economic activities (hereinafter - the description of procedures) determines the conduct of procedures for transboundary environmental impact assessment (hereinafter - transboundary EIA), the submission of transboundary EIA documents to another Member State of the European Union and/or to a foreign country, a non-Member State of the European Union, which acceded to the United Nations in 1991. The Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (hereinafter referred to as the Convention), the procedure for the organisation of transboundary EIA consultations, the procedure for informing the affected state of the decisions taken, and the relationship between the participants in transboundary EIA procedures in this process.

2. Procedures for transboundary environmental impact assessment shall be carried out if the circumstances referred to in Article 10(3) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of the Republic of Lithuania on Planned Economic Activities are established.

3. The procedure description is binding for the participants of the environmental impact assessment process specified in Article 10 of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities.

4. The functions of the responsible authority referred to in Article 5(1)(1) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities shall be performed by the Environmental Protection Agency (hereinafter referred to as the "Agency") in accordance with the powers conferred by point 2 of the Resolution of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania No.900 of 28 July 2000 on the Conferral of Powers on the Ministry of the Environment and Institutions Subordinate to it, and the Ministry of the Environment shall coordinate the transboundary EIA process in accordance with the powers conferred by point 1 of the Resolution.

5. In carrying out the duties set out in the Procedural Regulation, the Environmental Protection Agency, the EIA document preparer, the organiser of the planned economic activity and the EIA subjects shall process personal data in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Directive 95/46/EC (the "General Data Protection Regulation"), as well as with other legal acts regulating personal data protection.

6. The terms used in the Procedures shall be understood as defined in the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities.

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7. The Agency, having received, in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Procedures for conducting procedures for the environmental impact assessment of planned economic activities, an environmental impact assessment programme (hereinafter referred to as the EIA programme) or a notice of commencement of an environmental impact assessment (hereinafter referred to as the notice

of commencement of an environmental impact assessment), shall, taking into account the type of the planned economic activity, the scale of the planned economic activity and the distance from the border of the affected country(ies), assess whether the impact of the planned economic activity could be significant on the environment in the affected country.

8. If it appears that the impact of the planned economic activity could be significant for the environment of the State affected by the environmental impact, the Agency shall, within 10 working days from the date of receipt of the EIA programme or the notification of commencement of the EIA, apply to the Ministry of the Environment for a conclusion on the need to apply the procedures for a transboundary EIA to the proposed economic activity (hereafter referred to as the "conclusion on transboundary EIA"), indicating the active internet link of the published EIA programme or the notice of commencement of the EIA, and notifying in writing the promoter of the planned economic activity and the preparer of the environmental impact assessment documentation (hereinafter referred to as the preparer of the EIA documentation) that it has applied to the Ministry of the Environment for a conclusion on transboundary EIA, and informing them that the EIA programme will be adopted once the Ministry of the Environment has submitted this conclusion.

9. If the environmental impact assessment (hereinafter referred to as EIA) procedures are carried out after the conclusion of the screening on the environmental impact assessment of the planned economic activity (hereinafter referred to as screening) that the environmental impact assessment is mandatory and during the screening the Agency, in accordance with Article 10(2) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of the Planned Economic Activity, has applied to the Ministry of the Environment and has received the Ministry of Environment's conclusion on the transboundary environmental impact assessment, then the Agency does not apply to the Ministry of Environment for a second time in accordance with the procedure set out in point 7 of the Procedural Schedule for the planned economic activity referred to in the present point.

10. The Ministry of the Environment, after examining the request and information received from the Agency, taking into account the nature, scale, location and environmental features of the planned economic activity, shall, within 5 working days from the date of receipt of the request, submit a conclusion on the transboundary EIA to the Agency, to the organiser of the planned economic activity, and to the preparer of the EIA documents.

11. The Ministry of the Environment, having determined that transboundary EIA procedures need to be carried out, shall, when submitting a conclusion on transboundary EIA, instruct the organiser of the planned economic activity and the preparer of the EIA documentation to prepare and submit to the Ministry of the Environment by e-mail or other electronic means of communication or digital media in the language specified in the bilateral agreement, if any, and in English in other cases:

11.1. information on the planned economic activity and its potential transboundary impact, if the submission of the EIA programme to another country is not required by international agreements concluded between the Republic of Lithuania and the other country. The information on the planned economic activity and its possible transboundary impacts to be provided to the affected State is specified in Annexes 1 and 2 to the Procedural Schedule;

11.2. the EIA programme and information on the planned economic activity and its potential transboundary impact referred to in sub-paragraph 11.1 of the Procedural Schedule, if the submission of the EIA programme to the other State is provided for in international agreements concluded between the Republic of Lithuania and the other State.

12. The Agency, having received the conclusion of the Ministry of the Environment on the transboundary EIA, shall examine and approve the programme in accordance with the procedure set out in the Description of Procedures for Conducting Procedures for Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities.

13. The Ministry of the Environment, having determined that the procedures for transboundary EIA are to be carried out and the EIA programme is to be submitted to another state as provided for in international agreements concluded between the Republic of Lithuania and the other state, and the notification on the start of the EIA has been submitted, shall instruct the preparer of the EIA documents to prepare the EIA programme in accordance with the requirements of the description of

the procedure for preparation of the documents for the assessment of the impact of the environmental impact of the planned economic activity and submit it to the procedure established by Article 8 of the Law on the Assessment of the Impact of the Environmental Impact of the Planned Economic Activity on the Planned Economic Activity on the Environment for approval.

14. In the case set out in point 13 of the Procedural Schedule, the Agency, having received the EIA programme for coordination in accordance with the procedure set out in the Procedural Schedule for conducting the environmental impact assessment procedures for planned economic activities, shall not request the Ministry of the Environment to submit the conclusion on the transboundary EIA again.

15. In the cases set out in points 9 and 13 of the Procedural Schedule, the preparer of the EIA documentation shall submit to the Ministry of the Environment the documents referred to in point 11 of the Procedural Schedule by e-mail or by other electronic means of communication or in digital format when submitting the EIA programme or the notification of the start of EIA to the Agency.

16. The Agency, upon receipt of a reply from the Ministry of the Environment that the planned economic activity is subject to transboundary EIA procedures, shall, within 3 working days from the date of receipt of such information, publish the information on its web site.

17. The organiser of the planned economic activity or the preparer of the EIA documents, when submitting the documents referred to in points 11 and 24 of the Procedural Schedule, if they are subject to restrictions on the disclosure of information related to the protection of commercial and industrial secrets, including intellectual property, shall inform the Ministry of the Environment and indicate to which submitted information these restrictions apply.

18. The Ministry of the Environment, upon receipt of the documents referred to in point 11 of the Procedural Schedule, shall prepare a notification on the planned economic activity, indicating information on the nature of the decision to be taken, in the language specified in the bilateral agreement, if any, otherwise in English, and shall forward it, together with the documents referred to in point 11 of the Schedule, to the affected State in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 10(6) of the Law on the Assessment of the Effects of Planned Activities on the Environment, shall consult the affected State on the procedures for transboundary environmental impact, and shall specify a time limit of at least 25 working days for the submission of a response. That time limit may be extended at the reasoned request of the affected State.

19. If the documents referred to in points 11 and 24 of the Schedule are subject to the restrictions on disclosure referred to in point 17 of the Schedule or to restrictions on disclosure related to the protection of the public interest, the Ministry of the Environment shall indicate, in the case of the submission of the information to the affected State, which information is subject to the restrictions on disclosure, in accordance with the procedure set out in points 18 and 24 of the Schedule.

20. Information on initiated transboundary environmental impact assessment procedures shall be published on the website of the Ministry of the Environment within 3 working days from the transmission of the notification referred to in point 18 of the Procedural Schedule.

21. If the State affected by environmental impact, having received the notification referred to in point 18 of the Procedure Schedule, requests to submit the documents referred to in point 11 of the Procedure Schedule in its national language, the Ministry of the Environment shall inform the organiser of the planned economic activity and the preparer of the EIA documents about it within 5 working days at the latest and shall instruct to prepare and submit to the Ministry of the Environment the documents referred to in point 11 of the Procedure Schedule in the national language of the State affected by environmental impact. In such a case, the time limit referred to in point 17 of the Schedule shall be calculated from the date of submission of the documents referred to in point 11 of the Schedule to the State affected by the environmental impact in its official language.

22. After the expiry of the deadline for submission of the response specified by the State affected by environmental impact or after the expiry of the extended deadline, if it has been extended, the Ministry of the Environment shall inform the Agency, the organiser of the planned economic activity and the preparer of the EIA documentation about the results and:

22.1. if the affected State notifies that it will participate in the transboundary environmental impact assessment process of the planned economic activity, it shall instruct the preparer of the EIA documentation to prepare and submit to the Ministry of the Environment, in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 10(8) of the Law on the Environmental Impact Assessment of the Planned Economic Activity, an environmental impact assessment report in the English language and a summary of the EIA report of the non-technical nature in the scope set out in the description of the procedure for preparation of the documents for the assessment of the impact of the planned environmental activity in the bilateral agreement, in the language specified in the bilateral agreement, if any, and in English in other cases, and in the national language of the State affected by the environmental impact, if requested by the State affected by the environmental impact, and other documents provided for in the bilateral agreement, if any;

22.2. if the affected State makes suggestions or comments, it shall instruct the preparer of the EIA documentation to take them into account in the preparation of the EIA report;

22.3. if the affected State does not respond within the prescribed time limit or notifies that it will not participate in the transboundary environmental impact assessment process for the planned economic activity, it shall indicate that the environmental impact assessment shall continue in accordance with the provisions of national law.

23. The preparer of the EIA documentation may apply to the Ministry of the Environment for assistance in obtaining additional information on the environment of the affected State in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 10(9) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities.

24. The Ministry of the Environment shall, upon receipt of the EIA report and the non-technical summary of the EIA report from the EIA document preparer, prepare information in the language specified in the bilateral agreement, if any, and in English in other cases, on the proposed transboundary consultations, including the possibility of a bilateral or multilateral meeting, and, within 10 working days of receipt of the documents referred to in this point, shall provide this information and documentation to the affected State, requesting information to its public and competent authorities and indicating a time limit of at least 30 working days within which a reply shall be submitted. That time limit may be extended at the reasoned request of the affected State.

25. If the affected State informs about the need to organise a public presentation of the EIA report of the planned economic activity subject to transboundary EIA procedures or a meeting with the authorities of the affected State, the Ministry of the Environment shall forward the information to the organiser of the planned economic activity and the preparer of the EIA documents and request the location(s), date(s) and time(s) for the organisation of the meeting referred to in this point. The Ministry of the Environment shall mediate the coordination of the venue(s), date(s) and time(s) of the meeting(s) with the State affected by the environmental impact.

26. The meeting(s) referred to in point 25 of the Schedule may be organised remotely by agreement with the affected State, in which case a direct link to the meeting shall be provided. Alternatively, a single meeting may be organised with the participation of the public and/or authorities of several States affected by the environmental impact, in agreement with the States concerned.

27. If the Ministry of the Environment has received information on the need to organise the meeting(s) referred to in point 25 of the Schedule prior to the submission of the information and documents referred to in point 24 of the Schedule, the place(s)

) where the meeting(s) will take place, or in the case of a remote meeting - the direct link to the meeting, the date(s) and the time(s) of the meeting, may be specified when submitting the information and documents referred to in point 24 of the Schedule.

28. The organiser of the planned economic activity and/or the preparer of the EIA documentation shall ensure translation into English during the meetings referred to in point 25 of the Procedural Schedule, and, if the affected State so requests, into its national language during the public information. In the case of a simultaneous meeting with the public of several affected States,

translation shall be provided into the official languages of the affected States as agreed with them and, where appropriate, into English.

29. The organiser of the planned economic activity and/or the preparer of the EIA documentation shall prepare the minutes of the meeting in English and submit them and the recording of the meeting, or its active link if it has been agreed that the meeting will be recorded, to the Ministry of the Environment, which shall forward them to the State Party affected by the environmental impact.

30. At the end of the transboundary consultation, the Ministry of the Environment shall inform the Agency, the organiser of the planned economic activity and the preparer of the EIA documentation, and shall submit the proposals of the State affected by the environmental impact to be assessed by the preparer of the EIA documentation and, if necessary, to amend and/or supplement the EIA report.

31. The preparer of the EIA documentation shall submit to the Agency the assessment of the proposals of the State affected by the environmental impact and, where necessary, the revised and/or supplemented EIA report based on the proposals of the State affected by the environmental impact.

32. The Agency, taking into account the results of the transboundary consultations, shall adopt a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity after the completion of the transboundary EIA procedures in accordance with the procedure established in Article 12 of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities and the Procedures for Conducting Procedures for Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, but not later than 10 working days after the submission of the assessment of the proposals of the State affected by the environmental impact and, where necessary, the submission of a revised and/or supplemented EIA report in accordance with the proposals of the State affected by the environmental impact, where the time limits for the adoption of this decision as referred to in Article 12(1) to (5) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of the planned environmental activity have expired.

33. The decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity shall state the reasons and considerations on which the decision is based and how the results of the transboundary consultation on the planned economic activity have been taken into account.

34. The Agency, having taken a decision on the environmental impact of a planned economic activity subject to transboundary EIA procedures, shall, within 5 working days, submit to the Ministry of the Environment the information on the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, indicating the active internet link to the website where the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, the EIA report and the assessment of the proposals of the State affected by the impact on the environment are published, or by submitting the above-mentioned documents by means of electronic communication or in a digital format.

35. Planuojamos ūkinės veiklos organizatorius ar PAV dokumentų rengėjas, Planuojamos ūkinės veiklos poveikio aplinkai vertinimo procedūrų vykdymo tvarkos aprašo nustatyta tvarka gavęs informaciją apie priimtą sprendimą dėl planuojamos ūkinės veiklos, kuriai atliktos tarpvalstybinio PAV procedūros, per 20 darbo dienų nusiunčia Aplinkos ministerijai jo vertimą į dvišaliame susitarime su poveikį aplinkai patiriančia valstybe, jeigu toks susitarimas yra, nurodyta kalba, kitais atvejais – anglų kalba, o kai poveikį aplinkai patirianti valstybė to prašo – ir jos valstybine kalba.

36. The Ministry of the Environment, upon receipt of the information and documents referred to in points 34 and 35 of the Procedural Schedule, shall, within 10 working days, inform the State affected by environmental impact that participated in the transboundary EIA process of the completion of the EIA process, shall submit, in the language specified in the bilateral agreement with the State affected by environmental impact, if such an agreement exists, and otherwise - in English, and, if the State affected by environmental impact so requests - in its national language, the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity adopted by the Agency, and shall ask to inform the public of its adoption of such decision. The information referred to in this point shall be published on the website of the Ministry of the Environment.

37. The Ministry of the Environment, having received a request from the State affected by environmental impact to participate in the EIA procedures upon commencement of the environmental impact assessment of the planned economic activity, shall inform the Agency, the organiser of the

planned economic activity and the preparer of the EIA documents about the request, and shall instruct to submit the documents prepared in the course of the EIA procedures of the planned economic activity, as specified in sub-paragraphs (11) or (22.1) of this point of the Procedural Description. Cross-border EIA procedures shall be carried out in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Schedule.

38. The Ministry of the Environment, upon receipt of information on the issuance of a permit for a planned economic activity for which transboundary EIA procedures have been carried out, shall, within 10 working days, provide this information to the State affected by the environmental impact.

39. If, in the course of a transboundary EIA, in accordance with Article 7(1) of the Convention, it is agreed with the State affected by the environmental impact that transboundary impact monitoring will be carried out for a planned economic activity that has been subject to transboundary EIA procedures, the organiser of the planned economic activity shall, at the latest prior to the commencement of the planned economic activity, prepare and submit to the Ministry of Environment a programme for monitoring of transboundary impacts in English.

40. The programme must include:

40.1. monitoring of compliance with the conditions for the implementation of the planned economic activity set out in the decision on the impact of the planned economic activity on the environment and the measures planned to avoid, reduce, compensate for, or remediate the significant adverse environmental effects that are planned to be implemented;

40.2. environmental impact analysis;

40.3. a comparison of the predictions of environmental impacts made during the environmental impact assessment with the identified environmental impacts.

41. Upon commencement of the planned economic activity, the organiser of the planned economic activity shall submit to the Ministry of the Environment, no later than 1 July of the following calendar year, a transboundary impact monitoring report in English, prepared in accordance with the transboundary impact monitoring programme for the preceding calendar year.

42. The Ministry of Environment shall submit the documents referred to in points 39 and 41 of the Schedule to the State with environmental impact referred to in point 38 of the Schedule to the Ministry of Environment, in accordance with the deadlines set out in the Law on Public Administration of the Republic of Lithuania.

43. The Ministry of the Environment, having received comments and/or suggestions from the State affected by environmental impact, shall forward them to the organiser of the planned economic activity and shall instruct the organiser of the planned economic activity to respond to them or to take them into account in the preparation of the transboundary impact monitoring report for the following calendar year.

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PROCEDURES FOR INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT WHEN LITHUANIA IS AN ENVIRONMENTALLY IMPACTED COUNTRY

44. The Ministry of the Environment, having received information from another Member State of the European Union and (or) a foreign state outside a Member State of the European Union that has acceded to the Convention on the planned economic activity in its territory that may have significant transboundary environmental impact (hereinafter referred to as the impacting state), shall submit it in writing to the state and (or) municipal authorities concerned not later than within 10 working days, indicating a deadline for the submission of the Ministry's conclusions on the information and on the transboundary EIA to be submitted to it. If the impacting State, having submitted the information referred to in this point, informs the Ministry of the Environment of the restrictions on the disclosure of information in the impacting State relating to the protection of commercial and industrial secrets, including intellectual property, and the protection of the public

interest, the Ministry of the Environment shall disclose the information referred to in this point in a manner that takes into account those restrictions.

45. The Ministry of the Environment shall publish the information received from the affected State on its website for public access within 10 working days at the latest, indicating the name, surname, telephone number, e-mail address of the responsible person and the deadline for submitting suggestions and appeals to the Ministry of the Environment regarding this information and the transboundary EIA procedures.

46. The Ministry of the Environment, having assessed the received public proposals and the conclusions of the interested state and/or municipal authorities regarding the information on the planned economic activity in the affected state and the transboundary EIA, shall provide a response to the affected state within the deadlines specified by the latter as to whether the Republic of Lithuania, as a party affected by the environmental impact, will participate in the transboundary EIA procedures.

47. The Ministry of the Environment shall publish the information referred to in point 46 of the Procedural Schedule within 10 working days from the date of sending the reply to the state causing environmental impact on the website of the Ministry of the Environment and inform in writing the state and/or municipal institutions that submitted proposals.

48. When the Republic of Lithuania participates in a transboundary EIA, the Ministry of the Environment, upon receipt of the EIA report and (or) its summary from the State causing environmental impact, shall, not later than within 10 working days, make them available on its website for public access, and shall inform the interested State and/or municipal authorities in writing, how and by when the EIA report and/or the executive summary thereof may be consulted, indicating a period of at least 20 working days within which comments may be submitted on the report, and, where a public hearing on the EIA report is organised, where and when it will take place (venue or a direct link to a meeting, date and time).

49. After the public presentation of the EIA report and/or after the expiry of the deadline for submission of proposals, the Ministry of the Environment shall summarise the comments received from the interested public, the interested state and/or municipal authorities and shall submit in writing to the State causing the environmental impact the response of the Republic of Lithuania to the EIA report, its summary and/or additional information on the possible significant transboundary impact of the planned economic activity on the environment of the Republic of Lithuania and, if necessary, in accordance with the provisions of the Convention, shall request the affected State for further consultations on the possible transboundary impact on the environment of the Republic of Lithuania of the planned economic activity in its territory.

50. The Ministry of the Environment, having received information from the state causing environmental impact about the decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity or the permit issued for this economic activity, shall, within 10 working days from the date of receipt of the documents referred to in this clause, make the received information available to the general public on the website of the Ministry of the Environment, and shall inform in writing the interested state and (or) municipal authorities that have submitted proposals.

51. If, during the transboundary EIA consultations, in accordance with Article 7(1) of the Convention, it has been agreed with the State causing the environmental impact that transboundary impact monitoring will be carried out for the planned economic activity subject to the transboundary EIA procedures, the Ministry of the Environment, upon receipt of the transboundary monitoring programme or the report on the transboundary monitoring of the transboundary impact, shall inform the State and municipal authorities of the receipt of the documents within 10 working days at the latest, and shall ask them to submit suggestions and/or comments.

52. The Ministry of the Environment shall, within 10 working days of receipt, publish the information on the transboundary impact monitoring programme or the transboundary impact monitoring report referred to in point 51 of the Procedural Description on the website of the Ministry of the Environment.

53. The Ministry of the Environment, having received comments and/or suggestions on the documents referred to in point 51 of the Procedural Schedule from state and municipal authorities and the public, shall summarise them and submit them to the State responsible for environmental impact.

**(Information on the environmental impact assessment of a planned economic activity
provided to the affected country)**

**INFORMATION ON THE PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND ITS
POTENTIAL TRANSBOUNDARY IMPACTS**

1. Details of the organiser of the planned economic activity (name of the natural person, name of the legal person), address, telephone number, email).
 2. Information on the planned economic activity:
 - 2.1. the name of the planned economic activity;
 - 2.2. the type of planned economic activity, indicating whether it is listed in Annex I to the 1991 United Nations Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (hereinafter referred to as the Convention);
 - 2.3. a description of the planned economic activity, including the main activity and directly related secondary activities, including information on the main activity and directly related secondary activities (including information on the technology to be used, the infrastructure involved, changes in traffic flows, etc.);
 - 2.4. the scale of the planned economic activity (area covered, capacity, scale of production, consumption of water, raw materials and energy, waste generation, etc.);
 - 2.5. the duration of the planned economic activity (e.g. start and duration of construction works, duration of the phases of operation and cessation, etc.).
 3. Information on the location of the proposed economic activity:
 - 3.1. the location of the proposed economic activity and a description of the site (geographical features of the site, socio-economic characteristics, distance to the affected Party and to sensitive areas such as the European Ecological Network Natura 2000 and other protected areas, cultural heritage sites and sites of cultural heritage, residential areas etc.);
 - 3.2. justification for the choice of the location of the proposed economic activity (e.g. geographical, economic reasons);
 - 3.3. maps or other graphical means of presenting information, defining the planned activity and indicating the distances to the affected Contracting Party and to the sensitive areas referred to in paragraph 3.1 of this Annex.
 4. Information on possible significant adverse transboundary environmental effects.
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**(Information on the environmental impact assessment of a planned economic activity
provided to the affected country)**

**INFORMATION ON THE PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND ITS POSSIBLE
TRANSBOUNDARY IMPACT**

1. Name (title), address, telephone, e-mail of the developer (proponent of the proposed economic activity).
 2. Information on the nature of the proposed activity:
 - 2.1. title of the proposed economic activity;
 - 2.2. type of activity and indication whether the proposed activity is listed in Appendix I to the UN Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (Espoo Convention);
 - 2.3. description of the proposed activity, including the main activity and all peripheral and directly related activities (incl. description of technology to be used, related infrastructure, changes in traffic flows, etc.);
 - 2.4. scale of the proposed activity (occupied area, scope, production capacity, water, raw material and energy use, generation of waste, etc.);
 - 2.5. time-frame for proposed activity (start and duration of construction, operation and decommissioning, etc.).
 3. Information on the location of the proposed activity:
 - 3.1. location and description of the location (geographical, socio-economic characteristics, distance to the Affected Party to the Espoo Convention and its sensitive areas, e. g. "Natura 2000" and other protected sites, objects and sites of cultural heritage, residential areas, etc.);
 - 3.2. rationale for location of the proposed activity (e.g. geographical, economical reasons);
 - 3.3. maps and other pictorial documents related to the spatial boundaries of the proposed activity, with a clear indication of the distance to the Affected Party to the Espoo Convention and its sensitive areas, as noted in 3.1.
 4. Information on possible significant adverse transboundary impact of the proposed activity.
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DESCRIPTION OF THE PROCEDURE FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION AND PARTICIPATION IN THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT OF PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES

CHAPTER I GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. The description of the procedure for public information and participation in the process of environmental impact assessment of planned economic activities (hereinafter - the Procedure Description) establishes the procedure for public information and participation in the process of environmental impact assessment of planned economic activities (hereinafter - EIA) and the relations between the participants of this process.

2. The Procedural Schedule shall be binding for all participants in the EIA process, specified in Article 5 of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities of the Republic of Lithuania.

3. The functions of the responsible authority referred to in Article 5(1)(1) of the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities shall be performed by the Environmental Protection Agency (hereinafter referred to as the Agency) in accordance with the powers conferred by the Government of the Republic of Lithuania in point 2 of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania's Resolution of 28 July 2000 No.900 "On the Granting of Powers to the Ministry of the Environment and Institutions Subordinate to the Ministry of the Environment".

4. The terms used in the Procedure Description shall be understood as defined in the Law on Environmental Impact Assessment of Planned Economic Activities, Law on Crisis Management and Civil Protection of the Republic of Lithuania.

CHAPTER II GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION AND PARTICIPATION

5. During the EIA process, the interested public shall have the right to receive information on the potential environmental impact of the planned economic activity from other participants in the EIA process in accordance with the procedure established by law.

6. During the EIA process of the planned economic activity, the interested public shall have the right to submit to the Agency, the preparer of the EIA documents, the organiser of the planned economic activity, and the EIA subjects, in accordance with the procedure set out in the Procedures, proposals, questions, comments, information, analyses, or opinions on the planned economic activity and its EIA (hereinafter referred to as proposals).

7. In carrying out the duties set out in the Procedural Regulation, the Environmental Protection Agency, the EIA document preparer, the organiser of the planned economic activity and the EIA subjects shall process personal data in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Directive 95/46/EC (the "General Data Protection Regulation"), as well as with other legal acts regulating personal data protection.

8. The interested public may submit proposals in writing, by e-mail or by other electronic means. Proposals shall include:

8.1. if the bids are submitted by natural persons, the name and contact details (address, telephone, e-mail); if the bids are submitted by legal persons, the name of the legal person and contact details (registered office address, telephone, e-mail);

8.2. the date of submission.

9. Members of the public who wish to receive a copy of the EIA report made available to the public or submitted to the Agency shall be required to pay the copying costs.

CHAPTER III

INFORMING ABOUT THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT PROGRAMME

10. The preparer of the EIA documentation, having prepared the EIA programme, shall inform the public about the possibility to get acquainted with it and to submit proposals by publishing the information referred to in point 12 of the Procedural Schedule:

10.1. submit the information by means of electronic communications to the Agency and to the administration of the municipality(ies) in whose territory(s) the economic activity is planned, and if the economic activity is planned in the territorial sea of the Republic of Lithuania and/or the exclusive economic zone of the Republic of Lithuania in the Baltic Sea - to the Agency and to the administrations of municipalities bordering the Baltic Sea. The authorities shall publish the information received within 3 working days on their websites;

10.2. submit the information in writing to the administration(s) of the municipality(ies) in whose territory(ies) the economic activity is planned and to the district(s) in whose territory(ies) the economic activity is planned, and if the economic activity is planned in the territorial sea of the Republic of Lithuania and/or the exclusive economic zone of the Republic of Lithuania in the Baltic Sea - to the administrations of the municipalities adjacent to the Baltic Sea. The authorities shall publish the information received within 3 working days on their notice boards;

10.3. publish it on the website of the preparer of the EIA documentation and/or the organiser of the planned economic activity;

10.4. publish in a local newspaper published periodically and distributed by the municipality(ies) in whose territory(ies) the proposed economic activity is planned, or, if no such newspaper is permitted, in a regional or national newspaper. If the economic activity is planned in the territorial sea of the Republic of Lithuania and/or the exclusive economic zone of the Republic of Lithuania in the Baltic Sea, it shall publish the information in local newspapers published periodically and distributed in the municipalities bordering the Baltic Sea, or, if these are not allowed, in a regional or national newspaper.

11. It is recommended that the information referred to in point 12 of the Schedule be additionally published by one or more of the following methods of informing the general public: by erecting information boards at the location of the planned economic activity; by posting notices on the notice boards of public organisations, shops, residential houses or other buildings; by sending it to public organisations, chairpersons of multi-apartment houses or gardeners' associations, chairpersons of communities by e-mail; by publishing it in social networks; and by conducting surveys of residents.

12. The information to be made available to the public on the form set out in Annex 1 to the Schedule shall state:

12.1. contact details of the organiser of the planned economic activity;

12.2. contact details of the preparer of the EIA documentation;

12.3. the name and location of the planned economic activity;

12.4. The EIA bodies that examine the EIA programme shall, within their competence, submit conclusions and provide information to the public on the potential environmental impact of the planned economic activity, and the responsible authority that approves the EIA programme shall take a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity;

12.5. to whom, by when and at what address proposals, including the opportunity to ask questions and obtain information, on the EIA programme and the EIA being carried out may be

submitted. It shall be specified that the interested public shall submit proposals on the EIA programme to the Agency and shall have the right to submit them to the preparer of the EIA documentation or to the promoter of the planned economic activity. The deadline for submitting proposals shall be specified as at least 10 working days from the date of publication of the information on the EIA programme received by the Agency, starting from the day following the publication;

12.6. an active web link of the published EIA programme on the website of the preparer of the EIA documentation or the organiser of the planned economic activity, which must be up and running before the Agency approves the EIA programme. In the event of a revision or addition to the EIA programme, the promoter of the EIA documentation or the organiser of the planned economic activity shall publish an updated version of the EIA programme on its website within one working day;

12.7. information on the likely nature of the decision.

13. The interested public shall submit proposals on the EIA programme to the Agency and shall have the right to submit proposals to the preparer of the EIA documentation or the organiser of the planned economic activity by the deadline specified in the information published by the preparer of the EIA documentation for the public, which shall be at least 10 working days from the date of publication of the information on the EIA programme, received by the Agency, counting from the day following the date of publication of the information.

14. The Agency, having received the interested public's proposals on the EIA programme within its competence directly from the representatives of the interested public, shall reply to them in writing within 10 working days. The Agency, having received the interested public's proposals on the EIA programme that are not within its competence, shall, within 5 working days, submit a personalised copy of the proposals to the preparer of the EIA documentation and inform the representatives of the interested public who submitted the proposals that the proposals have been received, that they shall be forwarded to the preparer of the EIA documentation and that an assessment of the interested public's proposals will be prepared, which will be published on the Agency's website, together with the approved EIA programme.

15. The organiser of the planned economic activity, upon receipt of the interested public's proposals on the EIA programme, shall submit a copy of the proposals to the preparer of the EIA documents.

16. The preparer of the EIA documentation, having received the suggestions of the interested public on the EIA programme directly from the representatives of the interested public or from the organiser of the planned economic activity, shall inform the representatives of the interested public in writing that the suggestions have been received and that an assessment of the suggestions of the interested public will be prepared, which will be published on the Agency's website together with the approved EIA programme.

17. The preparer of the EIA documentation shall register the proposals of the interested public on the EIA programme received from the Agency, the organiser of the planned economic activity and directly from the representatives of the interested public in accordance with the form for registration of the proposals of the interested public set out in Annex 2 to the Procedures and, together with the organiser of the planned economic activity, shall prepare an assessment of the proposals of the interested public by completing the form set out in Annex 3 to the Procedures. The proposals shall be evaluated, indicating whether they have been accepted, partially accepted or rejected. Information shall be provided on how the accepted proposal has been taken into account. In the event of rejection or partial rejection of a tender, reasons shall be given for the rejection or partial rejection.

18. When approving the EIA programme, the Agency shall evaluate the proposals of the public concerned and the evaluation of the proposals made by the EIA document preparer and shall inform the public about the approved EIA programme within 3 working days after the approval of the EIA programme by publishing on its website the letter on the approval of the EIA programme, the evaluation of the proposals of the public concerned and the approved EIA programme.

19. Participants in the EIA process referred to in point 13 of the Procedural Schedule, upon receipt of the interested public's proposals on the EIA programme, which were submitted after the deadline for submission of proposals on the EIA programme referred to in point 13 of the Procedural

Schedule, shall perform the actions referred to in points 14 to 17 of the Procedural Schedule, however, the proposals shall be examined by preparing an assessment of the interested public's proposals, which shall be included into the annex to the EIA report on public information and participation in the EIA procedures, and shall be made available at the Agency's website.

20. If, prior to the approval of the EIA programme, the Agency receives from the municipal administration a negative reasoned decision of the municipal council on the feasibility of the planned economic activity, it shall, within 3 working days of receipt of this decision, inform the public by publishing the decision of the municipal council on its website and by notifying, that the environmental impact assessment procedures may not be continued as long as the negative reasoned decision taken by the municipal council remains in force, except in cases where the planned economic activity has been recognised as a project of national importance or is a project of regional interest or the planned economic activity is necessary for the implementation of a project of national importance or regional interest.

CHAPTER IV PUBLICATION OF A NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT

21. If no EIA programme is prepared, the organiser of the planned economic activity or the preparer of the EIA documents, having prepared a notice on the commencement of the EIA in the form specified in the Procedures for conducting the procedures for carrying out the environmental impact assessment of planned economic activities, shall publish it by the means of the public information referred to in point 10 of the Procedures. The public concerned shall submit proposals on the EIA to the Agency and shall have the right to submit them to the preparer of the EIA documentation or the organiser of the planned economic activity within 10 working days from the date of publication of the notice of commencement of EIA by the Agency.

22. The Agency, having received proposals from the interested public within its competence concerning the EIA, shall reply in writing within 10 working days to the representatives of the interested public who submitted them. The Agency, having received suggestions from the interested public on the EIA which are not within its competence, shall, within 5 working days, submit a personalised copy of the suggestions to the preparer of the EIA documentation and inform the representatives of the interested public who submitted the suggestions that the suggestions have been received, that they shall be forwarded to the preparer of the EIA documentation and that an assessment of the suggestions from the interested public will be prepared, which shall be included in the EIA report.

23. The organiser of the planned economic activity, having received the proposals of the interested public concerning the EIA, shall submit copies thereof to the preparer of the EIA documents.

24. The preparer of the EIA documentation, having received the suggestions of the interested public on the EIA, either directly from the representatives of the interested public or from the organiser of the planned economic activity, shall inform the representatives of the interested public that the suggestions have been received and that an assessment of the suggestions of the interested public will be prepared, which will be presented in the EIA report.

25. The preparer of the EIA documents shall register the proposals of the interested public concerning the EIA, received from the Agency, the organiser of the planned economic activity and directly from the representatives of the interested public, in accordance with the form for registration of the proposals of the interested public, set out in Annex 2 to the Procedures and, together with the organiser of the planned economic activity, shall prepare an assessment of the proposals of the interested public by completing the form set out in Annex 3 to the Procedures.

CHAPTER V

INFORMING THE PUBLIC ABOUT THE EIA REPORT AND MAKING THE EIA REPORT PUBLICLY AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC

26. The preparer of the EIA documentation, after preparing the EIA report, shall:

26.1. make the EIA Report available to the public at its registered office (during working hours) and on its own website and/or the website of the organiser of the planned economic activity;

26.2. ensure that the EIA report is made available to the public at the administrative offices of the sub-district(s) in whose territory(s) the economic activity is planned. Where there is no eldership in the territory(s) of the municipality(ies), or where the economic activity is planned in the territory(s) of more than one municipality, the EIA report shall be made available to the public at the administrative premises of the municipality(ies) in whose territory(ies) the economic activity is planned. Where the economic activity is planned in the territorial sea of the Republic of Lithuania and/or the exclusive economic zone of the Republic of Lithuania in the Baltic Sea, the EIA report shall be made public in the administrative offices of the municipalities adjacent to the Baltic Sea.

27. The preparer of the EIA documentation shall, at least 20 working days prior to the public presentation of the EIA report to the public, inform the public about the possibilities to get acquainted with it, to submit proposals and to take part in the process of the public presentation of this report, and shall make available to the public the information referred to in point 29 of the Procedural Schedule:

27.1. submit the information by e-mail to the Agency and to the administration of the municipality(ies) in whose territory(s) the economic activity is planned, and if the economic activity is planned in the territorial sea of the Republic of Lithuania and/or the exclusive economic zone of the Republic of Lithuania in the Baltic Sea - to the Agency and to the administrations of the municipalities bordering on the Baltic Sea. The authorities shall publish the information received on their websites;

27.2. submit the information in writing to the administration(s) of the municipality(ies) in whose territory(ies) the economic activity is planned and to the district(s) in whose territory(ies) the economic activity is planned, and if the economic activity is planned in the territorial sea of the Republic of Lithuania and/or the exclusive economic zone of the Republic of Lithuania in the Baltic Sea - to the administrations of the municipalities adjacent to the Baltic Sea. The authorities shall publish the information received on their notice boards;

27.3. publish it on the website of the preparer of the EIA documentation and/or the organiser of the planned economic activity;

27.4. in a local newspaper published periodically and distributed by the municipality(ies) in whose territory(ies) the economic activity is planned, or, if no such newspaper is permitted, in a regional or national newspaper. If the economic activity is planned in the territorial sea of the Republic of Lithuania and/or the exclusive economic zone of the Republic of Lithuania in the Baltic Sea, it shall publish the information in local newspapers published periodically and distributed in the municipalities bordering the Baltic Sea, or, if such is not permitted, in a regional or national newspaper.

28. It is recommended that the information referred to in point 29 of the Schedule be additionally published by one or more of the following methods of informing the general public: by erecting information boards at the location of the planned economic activity; by posting notices on the notice boards of public organisations, shops, residential houses or other buildings; by sending it to public organisations, chairpersons of multi-apartment houses or gardeners' associations, chairpersons of communities by e-mail; by publishing it in social networks; and by conducting surveys of residents.

29. The information on the public presentation of the EIA Report, which shall be made available to the public in the form set out in Annex 4 to the Procedural Schedule, shall state:

29.1. details of the organiser of the planned economic activity;

29.2. data from the preparer of the EIA documentation;

29.3. the name and location of the planned economic activity;

29.4. the EIA bodies, which will provide conclusions on the EIA report in accordance with their competence and provide information to the public on the potential environmental impact of the planned economic activity in accordance with the procedure laid down by law, and the responsible authority, which will make a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity;

29.5. the website of the preparer of the EIA documentation or the organiser of the planned economic activity, with a direct active link to the published EIA report, which shall remain active until the Agency has taken a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity. In the event of a revision or addition to the report, the updated version of the report must be published within one working day of the revision or addition;

29.6. the address, telephone number and time of access to the EIA report of the preparer of the EIA documentation, the municipality and/or district office(s) or other place(s) where the EIA report shall be made available to the public, taking into account the requirements of Clauses 26, 31 and 32 of the Procedural Schedule;

29.7. to whom, by when and at what address suggestions, including the opportunity to ask questions and obtain information, may be made concerning the EIA report and the EIA being carried out. It is specified that the interested public shall submit suggestions to the Agency and shall have the right to submit suggestions to the EIA document preparer. The deadline for submission of proposals shall be specified, which shall be at least 20 working days before and at the time of the public presentation of the EIA report;

29.8. where and when the public presentation of the EIA report and the live webcast video link will take place, taking into account the requirements of points 30, 31 and 32 of the Procedural Schedule.

30. Public information on the EIA report is carried out in a hybrid way:

30.1. by live webcast, allowing remote access, questions and answers;

30.2. at the administrative premises of the eldership in the territory of which the economic activity is planned or at another place chosen by the EIA document preparer and agreed in writing with the eldership. If there is no eldership(s) in the territory of the municipality - at the administrative premises of the municipality in whose territory the economic activity is planned or at another place chosen by the preparer of the EIA documentation and agreed in writing with the municipal administration.

31. If the economic activity is planned in the territories of several sub-districts and/or municipalities, the EIA report shall be made public and the public shall be informed about the possibilities to get acquainted with it, to submit proposals and to participate in the public presentation of this report in all the sub-districts and/or municipalities referred to in this point. The public presentation of the EIA report referred to in point 30 of the Rules of Procedure shall take place in all or one of the sub-districts and/or municipalities referred to in this point. If the public presentation is carried out in one of these sub-districts and/or municipalities, technical possibilities shall be made available for representatives of the interested public, who come to the administrative premises of the other sub-districts and/or municipalities referred to in this point, to participate remotely in the public presentation of the EIA report, to ask questions and hear answers.

32. If the planned economic activity and its dependencies, e.g. construction of related infrastructure, are planned in the territories of different wards and/or municipalities, the EIA report shall be made public and the public shall be informed about the possibilities to get acquainted with it, to submit proposals and to participate in public familiarisation with the EIA report in all the wards and/or municipalities referred to in this point. Public presentation of the EIA report shall only take place in the municipality or submunicipality in which the planned economic activity, and not its dependencies, is located.

33. If the economic activity is planned in the territorial sea of the Republic of Lithuania and/or the exclusive economic zone of the Republic of Lithuania in the Baltic Sea, the public presentation of the EIA report shall be carried out in a hybrid way: live webcast, with the possibility to connect remotely, to ask questions and hear answers, and in the administrative premises of the municipalities

bordering the Baltic Sea or in other places chosen by the EIA document preparer and agreed in writing with the municipal administrations. The public presentation of the EIA report shall take place in all or one of the municipalities referred to in this point. If the public presentation is carried out in one of the municipalities, technical possibilities shall be made available for representatives of the public concerned, who are present in the administrative premises of the other municipalities referred to in this point, to participate remotely in the public presentation of the EIA report, to ask questions and to hear the answers.

34. The public concerned has the right to submit proposals on the EIA report and the EIA process:

34.1. for the Agency and the EIA document preparer - in the information on the public consultation of the EIA report published by the EIA document preparer to the public within the time limit set by the Agency, which shall be at least 20 working days prior to the public consultation on the EIA report;

34.2. to the preparer of the EIA documentation - during the public presentation of the EIA report;

34.3. to the Agency within the time limit referred to in point 47 of the Schedule.

35. The Agency, having received directly from the representatives of the public concerned the proposals of the public concerned falling within its competence, shall reply to them in writing within 10 working days. The Agency, having received suggestions from the interested public outside its competence, shall, within 5 working days, provide personalised copies of the suggestions to the EIA document preparer and inform the representatives of the interested public who submitted the suggestions that the suggestions have been received, that the suggestions have been forwarded to the EIA document preparer and that an assessment of the suggestions from the interested public will be prepared, which will be included in the annex to the EIA report on public information and participation in the EIA procedure and published on the website of the Agency.

36. The preparer of the EIA documentation, having received the suggestions of the interested public directly from the representatives of the interested public, shall inform them in writing that the suggestions have been received and that an assessment of the suggestions of the interested public will be prepared, which will be included in the annex to the EIA report on public information and participation in the EIA procedures and published on the website of the Agency.

37. The preparer of the EIA documentation shall register the proposals of the interested public received from the Agency and directly from the representatives of the interested public in accordance with the form for registration of the proposals of the interested public set out in Annex 2 to the Procedural Schedule, revise, if necessary, the EIA report, and, together with the organiser of the planned economic activity, prepare an assessment of the proposals of the interested public in the form set out in Annex 3 to the Procedural Schedule. The evaluation shall indicate whether the proposals have been accepted, partially accepted or rejected. Information shall be provided on how the accepted proposal has been taken into account. In the event of rejection or partial rejection of a tender, reasons shall be given for the rejection or partial rejection.

38. During the public presentation of the EIA Report, the EIA document preparer:

38.1. appoint a Chairperson and a Secretary;

38.2. register the participants in the public hearing on the EIA report;

38.3. describe the planned economic activity, present the EIA report on the planned economic activity and the results of the assessment;

38.4. inform on the evaluation of the proposals received from the interested public before the start of the public consultation on the EIA report;

38.5. answer questions from the participants during the public presentation of the EIA report;

38.6. informs that the suggestions of the interested public received before and submitted during the public presentation of the EIA report are registered, that an assessment of the suggestions of the interested public will be prepared and that it, as well as the minutes, will be included in the annex to the EIA report on public information and participation in the EIA procedures and published on the Agency's website along with the EIA report.

39. If no representative of the public does not appear at the public hearing on the EIA report within one hour from the time set for its commencement and does not remotely connect, the chairman of the public hearing on the EIA report shall declare that the public hearing procedure has been completed. This shall be recorded in a protocol signed by the chairman of the public consultation on the EIA report and the secretary.

40. After the public presentation of the EIA report to the public, the secretary shall, within 5 working days (counting from the next working day after the public presentation), prepare a record of the public presentation of the EIA report to the public, which shall indicate the date and place of the public presentation of the EIA report to the public, the information on the participants, the main summary statements of the report of the preparer of the EIA documentation, the questions raised by the participants during the public presentation and the answers to them. The minutes may not contain personal data of the public representatives. The minutes shall be signed by the Chairperson and the Secretary.

41. In case of restriction of public access to the premises of the municipality(ies) and/or district(s) during an emergency situation, the EIA report shall be published only via the Internet (by publishing the EIA report in electronic format) on the website of the preparer of the EIA documents and/or the organiser of the planned economic activity.

42. In the event of a restriction of access to enclosed spaces during an emergency situation, the public presentation of the EIA report shall be postponed until the expiry of the restriction or prohibition, or shall be organised only by means of a live webcast, taking into account the requirements set out in points 38 to 40 of the Schedule.

43. Where, during an emergency situation, the public presentation of the EIA report is to be carried out only by means of a live webcast, the information on the public presentation referred to in point 29 of the Procedural Schedule shall include the date and time of the live webcast and a link to the live webcast. In the event of technical difficulties during the live broadcast which cannot be remedied within a reasonable time, the public hearing shall be re-organised and the public shall be informed at least 5 working days in advance.

44. The public presentation of the EIA report, which started when access to the indoor areas was restricted, shall be completed by the same method of remote publicity.

CHAPTER VI

INFORMING ABOUT THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT RECEIVED AND THE DECISION ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF THE PLANNED ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

45. The Agency, having received from the preparer of the EIA documentation the EIA report, including the proposals of the interested public registered in the form set out in Annex 2 to the Procedural Schedule, their assessment carried out in the form set out in Annex 3 to the Procedural Schedule, and the conclusions of the EIA subjects, shall, not later than within 3 working days from the receipt of these documents, publish on the Agency's website a notice to the public as referred to in point 46 of the Procedural Schedule.

46. The notice must state:

46.1. details of the organiser of the planned economic activity (name of natural person or legal entity, address, website, telephone, e-mail);

46.2. details of the preparer of the EIA documentation (name of natural person or legal entity, address, website, telephone, e-mail);

46.3. the name and location of the planned economic activity (county, municipality, ward; city, town, village or hamlet; if any, street, building no., unique and/or cadastral no. of the land plot);

46.4. a direct active web link to the published EIA report;

46.5. the time limit for the submission of proposals to the Agency, which shall take a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, to be discussed with representatives of the public concerned before the Agency takes a decision on the environmental impact of the

planned economic activity. The deadline for submitting proposals shall be 10 working days from the date of publication of the notice. Proposals received after the deadline shall not be examined.

47. The interested public shall have the right to submit proposals to the Agency, which shall be discussed with representatives of the interested public before the Agency takes a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity. The deadline for submission of proposals shall be 10 working days from the date of publication of the notice. Proposals received after this deadline shall not be examined.

48. The preparer of the EIA documentation shall organise a repeated public presentation of the EIA report in accordance with the procedure set out in Chapter IV of the Procedural Schedule, if:

48.1. the Agency shall oblige the preparer of the EIA documentation to carry out a repeated public presentation of the EIA report to the public due to a violation of the publicity of the EIA report and the public information procedures;

48.2. the EIA report is substantially amended (changes in the scope of the economic activity, new technological and/or location alternatives are planned) or substantially corrected (where the EIA report does not adequately or insufficiently assess the potential environmental impact) and the Agency obliges the preparer of the EIA documents to carry out a repeated public presentation of the EIA report or a repeated public presentation of the EIA report is organised at the initiative of the organiser of the proposed economic activity.

49. If the Agency receives proposals from the interested public during the deadline for submission of proposals referred to in sub-paragraph 46.5 of the Procedural Description, it shall organise a meeting to discuss the proposals, inviting in writing the representatives of the interested public who have submitted the proposals, the organiser of the planned economic activity, and the preparer of the EIA documentation to the meeting at least 5 working days before the deadline. Together with the invitation, the Agency shall send personalised copies of the proposals of the public concerned and inform them that, in the event of failure to attend the hearing, the minutes of the hearing and the Agency's decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity will be available on the Agency's website where such information is published. The meeting may also be organised remotely.

50. If the organiser of the planned economic activity or the preparer of the EIA documentation is unable to participate in the meeting, he/she shall, within 1 working day before the date of the meeting referred to in point 49 of the Procedures, inform the Agency that he/she will not participate and shall submit in writing the assessment of the proposals of the interested public.

51. If the representative(s) of the interested public, the organiser of the planned economic activity or the preparer of the EIA documentation is/are not present at the meeting, the Agency shall consider the proposals in his/her absence.

52. The procedure for discussing proposals from the public concerned shall be recorded in a protocol. The minutes shall indicate the form, place, date, participants (or a list of participants shall be annexed to the minutes) of the meeting, record the issues discussed by topic and the conclusions and/or proposals adopted at the meeting. The minutes shall be drawn up and signed by a representative of the Agency.

53. If no EIA programme has been prepared and prior to the adoption of the decision on the planned economic activity the Agency receives from the municipal administration a negative reasoned decision of the municipal council on the feasibility of the planned economic activity, the Agency shall inform the public within 3 working days from the date of receipt of the decision by publishing on its website the decision of the municipal council and by announcing that the EIA procedures are suspended, unless the planned economic activity has been recognised as a project of national importance or is a project of regional importance, or the planned economic activity is necessary for the realisation of the project of national importance or of regional importance.

54. If there are doubts about the compliance of the planned economic activity with the requirements of legal acts or about the possible significant negative impact on the environment, the Agency shall, if necessary, organise a public meeting with the right of participation of the representatives of the interested public before taking a decision on the environmental impact of the

planned economic activity. The meeting shall be organised in a hybrid or distance mode. The Agency shall publish on its website at least 3 working days before the meeting the information on where and when the meeting will take place and, in the case of a hybrid meeting, a live webcast link.

55. The Agency, having adopted a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity, shall publish the decision, the EIA report on the basis of which the decision was adopted, and the minutes of the meeting referred to in point 49 of the Procedural Schedule on its website within 3 working days of its adoption.

56. The Agency, having adopted a decision on the extension of the validity of a decision on the environmental impact of a planned economic activity, shall publish it on its website within 3 working days.

CHAPTER VII INFORMING THE PUBLIC ABOUT CROSS-BORDER ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES

57. Information on cross-border EIA procedures shall be published on the websites of the Ministry of the Environment and the Agency in accordance with the procedure set out in the description of the procedure for conducting cross-border environmental impact assessment procedures for planned economic activities.

(Form for information to the public on the environmental impact assessment)

INFORMATION ON THE PREPARED

(name of the planned economic activity)

AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT PROGRAMME

Organiser of the planned economic activity:

(name of natural person or legal entity, contact address, website, telephone, email)

Preparer of environmental impact assessment documents:

(name of natural person or legal entity, contact address, website, telephone, email)

Name and location of the planned economic activity:

(name of the planned economic activity, county, municipality, ward; city, town, village or hamlet; if any, street, building no., unique and/or cadastral no. of the land plot)

The environmental impact assessment bodies that examine the environmental impact assessment programme shall, within their competence, issue conclusions and provide information to the public on the potential environmental impact of the planned economic activity in accordance with the procedure laid down by law:

(names, addresses, telephone numbers, e-mail addresses of the entities involved in the environmental impact assessment process for the specific planned economic activity)

The Environmental Impact Assessment Programme shall be approved and a decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity shall be taken by the Environmental Protection Agency (A. Juozapavičiaus g. 9, Vilnius, phone +370 682 92 653, e-mail: aaa@gamta.lt).

The public submits suggestions on the EIA programme (including the possibility to ask questions and receive information) to the Environmental Protection Agency and has the right to submit them to the preparer of the EIA documents or the organiser of the planned economic activity before:

(the deadline for submission of proposals shall be at least 10 working days from the date of publication of the information received by the Agency on the environmental impact assessment programme, counting from the day following the publication)

Online link to the published EIA programme:

(direct active link on the website of the preparer of the EIA documentation or the organiser of the planned economic activity)

The decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity is taken by the Environmental Protection Agency. If the Agency decides that the activity complies with the requirements of the legislation on environmental protection, public health, protection of immovable cultural heritage, fire safety and civil protection and will not have a significant negative impact on the environment, the planned economic activity may be carried out. If the Agency decides that the planned economic activity does not comply with the requirements of the legislation on the protection of the environment, public health, the protection of immovable cultural heritage, fire safety and civil protection and will have a significant negative impact on the environment, the permits provided for in the legislation may not be granted and the activity may not be carried out.

(Registration form for proposals from the interested public)

SUGGESTIONS FROM THE INTERESTED PUBLIC ON

(name of the planned economic activity)

(indicate the stage at which the proposals received are registered: EIA programme and ongoing EIA / EIA launched / EIA report and ongoing EIA)

REGISTRATION

Eil. No.	Date of receipt of the interested public's proposal	Sender of the interested public's proposal (indicate whether the proposal was received from the Agency, the organiser of the planned economic activity or directly from the interested public)	Proposal from the interested public
1	2	3	4
1.			
2.			
3.			

(Stakeholder evaluation form)

SUGGESTIONS FROM THE INTERESTED PUBLIC ON

(name of the planned economic activity)

(indicate the stage at which the proposals received are being assessed: EIA programme and ongoing EIA / EIA launched / EIA report and ongoing EIA)

EVALUATION

Eil. No.	Proposal from the interested public	Stakeholder groups by topic (e.g. water pollution, air pollution, noise, smells)	Proposal from the public concerned accepted or partially accepted or rejected	Stakeholder communities reasons for accepting or rejecting the proposal
1	2	3	4	5
1.				
2.				
3.				

(Form of information to be made available to the public on the public consultation on the environmental impact assessment report)

INFORMATION ON PUBLIC INFORMATION ON

(name of the planned economic activity)

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT

Organiser of the planned economic activity:

(name of natural person or legal entity, contact address, website, telephone, email)

Preparer of environmental impact assessment documents:

(name of natural person or legal entity, contact address, website, telephone, email)

Name and location of the planned economic activity:

(name of the planned economic activity, county, municipality, ward; city, town, village or hamlet; if any, street, building no., unique and/or cadastral no. of the land plot)

Environmental Impact Assessment Bodies, which, within their competence, issue conclusions on the Environmental Impact Assessment Report and provide information to the public on the potential environmental impact of the planned economic activity in accordance with the procedure established by law:

(names, addresses, telephone numbers, e-mail addresses of the entities involved in the environmental impact assessment process for the specific planned economic activity)

The decision on the environmental impact of the planned economic activity is taken by the Environmental Protection Agency (A. Juozapavičiaus g. 9, Vilnius, phone +370 682 92 653, e-mail aaa@gamta.lt).

Online link to the published environmental impact assessment report:

(direct active link on the website of the preparer of the EIA documentation or the organiser of the planned economic activity)

The environmental impact assessment report is made public:

(indicate the address, telephone number and time of access to the EIA report of the preparer of the environmental impact assessment documents, the municipality and/or district office(s) or other place(s) where the EIA report is made public)

The public shall submit suggestions (including the opportunity to ask questions and obtain information) on the EIA report and the ongoing EIA to the Environmental Protection Agency, and shall have the right to submit them to the preparer of the EIA documents before:

(indicating the deadline for submission of proposals, which shall be at least 20 working days before and at the time of the public consultation on the environmental impact assessment report)

The public presentation of the EIA report will be carried out in a hybrid format (live and webcast):

(location, address, date, time and live webcast link)
