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Subject: Energy Charter Treaty – Withdrawal by the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community

Regarding the subject above, I have the honour to inform you that, on the 27th of June 2024, the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community notified the Government of the Portuguese Republic, in its capacity as Depository of the Energy Charter Treaty, of its withdrawal from the Energy Charter Treaty, done in Lisbon, on the 17th of December 1994.

Under Article 47, paragraph 2 of the Energy Charter Treaty, any such withdrawal shall take effect upon the expiry of one year after the date of the receipt of the notification by the Depository.

Therefore, the withdrawal from the Energy Charter Treaty by the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community, shall take effect on the 28th of June 2025.

Yours sincerely,

| ENERGY CHARTER SECRETARIAT | |
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For The Director of the Department of Legal Affairs *on her behalf,*

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