

To Espoo Point of Contact in

Norway  
Germany

**Note on consultation regarding Plan and Strategic Environment Assessment of the Executive Order on pilot- & demonstration projects for geological storage of CO<sub>2</sub> below 100 kilotons in the northwestern part of the North Sea in Denmark**

**Office/department**

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The Danish Energy Agency (DEA) is planning to implement EU Directive 2009/31/EC Article 2 (2) in an Executive Order. The executive order will enable the issuing of permits for pilot- & demonstration projects for geological storage of CO<sub>2</sub> below 100 kilotons undertaken for research, development or testing of new products and processes in the areas west of 6° 15' E and north of 56° 00' N. DEA has prepared a strategic environmental assessment (SEA) of the executive order. In accordance with Articles 4 and 5 of the Espoo Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (Espoo Convention), the SEA has been in consultation in Germany and Norway.

March 18 2022 a consultation letter and SEA documentation was send to Norway and Germany, in order to give the opportunity for consultations and public participation (Article 10). The consultation period ran from March 18 2022 – April 27 2022. Along with the Danish public hearing. Due to staff and IT issues Germany requested a prolonging of the submission deadline. DEA met this request with a prolonging of the deadline to May 30 2022.

DEA has received an answer from Norway with no comments. DEA has received no comments or requests for additional consultations from Germany.

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