



Budapest, 19 February 2007

To:
DG TREN
DG REGIO
European Commission

Dear ...,

With reference to my suggestion for regrouping the EU aid to Hungary on the basis of Hungarian non-compliance of the Operational Programmes concerning transport with the community legislation (reference number: SG/CDC(2007)A/218), please find attached the environmental assessment of the Transport Operational Programme of Hungary (the full text is in Hungarian, and there is a summary in English).

From the environmental assessment it is clear that the Transport Operational Programme does not meet the sustainability criteria (see especially chapters 2.3.3. and 4.11.-4.13. of the Hungarian version). Therefore – in my opinion – on the basis of the present Transport Operational Programme no EU aid can be provided to Hungary, as this would contradict the EU legislation (especially Council Regulations EC 1083/2006 and EC 1084/2006).

Best regards,

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President
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