

**Question for written answer E-001351/2021
to the Commission**

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Subject: Planned radioactive waste storage facility in Croatia at the border with Bosnia and Herzegovina

Croatia plans to build a radioactive waste storage facility at the border with Bosnia and Herzegovina. The location is in a former military site by the river Una which is prone to regular flooding and which flows into the Danube. The location of the planned storage facility is also subject to regular seismic activity.

1. Is the Commission aware of Croatia's plans to build a radioactive waste storage facility at the border with Bosnia and Herzegovina?
2. Has a transboundary environmental impact assessment, as required by the Espoo Convention, been carried out for the planned radioactive waste storage facility and, if so, what are the results of this assessment?
3. Was neighbouring Bosnia and Herzegovina given the opportunity to adopt a position on the planned location of the storage facility through a public consultation and how is Bosnia and Herzegovina's position taken into account by the Commission in the procedure?