

To: Compliance Advisor, Ombudsman

International Finance Corporation

Pennsylvania Avenue NW

Washington, DC, 20433 USA

We, who are writing you, are a group of people from villages of [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Klos town, in the area of Mat Albania.

Through this letter we want to express our concern that we face from the works done by Mati Hydropower Company, which as we have learned is invested by ENSO Hydro Power Energy shpk through a financing of IFC.

From the interventions done in the environment where we live, we feel worried and concretely:

The environmental, economic and social effects, because of reduce of resources of water in our area until total draining. From a similar previous case, the village of Plan Bardhë is removed completely because the water drained after the build of a tunnel of traverbank in Shegjun. The company has said that there will be water for agriculture in June – September, but agriculture needs water in other periods also as this depends from the weather conditions.

We think that the revenues that can be made from tourism are higher and they secure us a better way of living then the use of water for hydro powers. The use of water for hydro powers will drain all area, and cause bankruptcy in agriculture business and tourism, and will damage much the rural development of these areas.

Despite our reactions like protests, we have seen that our complaints are not considered from investor. In these circumstances we request the intervention of your institution for improvement of the situation as we have learned that you are creditor of ENSO Company.

Waiting for your answer,

With respect,