

**Information of the OECD NCP concerning notification of an alleged breach  
of the *OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises*  
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The OECD National Contact Point (OECD NCP) informs that on 6<sup>th</sup> of August 2018 the Ministry of Investments and Economic Development, in which the OECD NCP is located, received a notification of an alleged breach of the *OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises* (hereinafter referred to as the *OECD Guidelines*) by a multinational company whose headquarters are located in Poland. The notification was submitted by a Polish non-governmental organization active in the field of environmental protection.

After careful review of the notification and separate meetings with parties to the proceedings, on the 8<sup>th</sup> of November 2018 the OECD NCP accepted the case for further consideration, underlining that this does not mean confirmation that a breach of the OECD Guidelines has occurred.

In the interest of the case, the OECD NCP decided not to publicize the wording of the initial assessment concerning the abovementioned case. At a later stage of the process, the OECD NCP will propose its good offices to the parties (to undertake joint talks and activities with the active support of the OECD NCP).

Proceedings before the NCP are confidential, which means that the details of the talks and actions undertaken by the parties will not be disclosed to the public. Upon completion of the proceedings, the NCP will issue a final statement containing key conclusions resulting from the agreement concluded by the parties during the proceedings.