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In document 17108/12 ADD 1:

On page 34, the following text should be inserted at the end of Article 11(1)(a):

"For the purpose of establishing the start of the permit granting process, the project promoter(s) shall notify the project to the competent authority of the Member State(s) concerned in written form, and shall include a reasonably detailed outline of the project. No later than *three months* following the receipt of the notification, the competent authority shall, *including on behalf of other authorities concerned, acknowledge* or, if it considers the project as not mature enough to enter the permit granting process, *reject* the notification in written form. In case of a *rejection*, the competent authority shall justify its decision, *including on behalf of other authorities concerned*. The date of signature of the *acknowledgement* of the notification by the competent authority shall serve as the start of the permit granting process. Where two or more Member States are concerned, the acceptance of the notification by the last competent authority concerned shall serve as the date of the start of the permit granting process."