

VELEPOSLANIŠTVO REPUBLIKE SLOVENIJE NA DUNAJU

BOTSCHAFT DER REPUBLIK SLOWENIEN IN WIEN

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NOTE VERBALE

The Embassy of the Republic of Slovenia in Vienna presents its compliments to the Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs of the Republic of Austria and with reference to the note verbale No. 2021-0.567.708 of 12 August 2021 of the Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs of the Republic of Austria, has the honour to inform that the Republic of Slovenia agrees to conclude the following

"Agreement between the Republic of Slovenia and the Republic of Austria on the Termination of the Agreement between the Republic of Slovenia and the Republic of Austria on the mutual promotion and protection of investments (hereinafter referred to as the "Termination Agreement")

- 1. The Agreement between the Republic of Slovenia and the Republic of Austria on the mutual promotion and protection of investments, signed in Vienna on 7 March 2001, (hereinafter referred to as the "Investment Agreement") shall be terminated in accordance with the provisions set out in this Termination Agreement.
- 2. For greater certainty, the Parties expressly agree that Article 16 Paragraph 3 of the Investment Agreement, which extends the protection of investment made prior to the date of termination, shall be terminated and shall thus not produce any legal effects after the entry into force of this Termination Agreement."

FEDERAL MINISTRY FOR EUROPEAN AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC OF AUSTRIA The Republic of Slovenia accepts that the note verbale No. 2021-0.567.708 of 12 August 2021 of the Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs of the Republic of Austria and this note verbale shall constitute the Termination Agreement, which is authentic in the English language only.

The Termination Agreement shall enter into force on the first day of the first month following the date of the receipt of the latter of the notifications by the Parties that the respective internal procedures for the entry into force of the Agreement have been fulfilled.

The Embassy of the Republic of Slovenia in Vienna avails itself of this opportunity to renew to Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs of the Republic of Austria the assurances of its highest consideration.

Vienna, 25 August 2021