



Annex 4 Summary of Stakeholder Engagement Activities to date

No.	Date / venue	Stakeholder Engagement Event	Present Stakeholders	Number of people communicated / consulted	Key issues discussed	Method
1	21/09/2021, 12.00h House of Culture, Valandovo	Project presentation to the Institutional stakeholders	Municipality of Valandovo; Municipal Public Utility Enterprises (PUEs) MEPSO; IPF7 Team and ESIA Experts	11 (7 female)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Project Presentation Acceptability of the proposed / preferred Project option Sensitive location(s) to be avoided by further Project design Grievance mechanism 	Meeting ¹
2	22/09/2021, 12.00h Municipality of Gevgelija	Project presentation to the Institutional stakeholders	Municipality of Gevgelija; Municipal PUEs; MEPSO; IPF7 Team and ESIA Experts	11 (4 female)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Project Presentation Acceptability of the proposed / preferred Project option Exact location of the new 400/110 kV substation in Miletkovo area Potential grievances that might occur from farmers (land owners/users) due to the land acquisition process 	Meeting ²
3	22/09/2021, 12.00h Army House, Strumica	Project presentation to the Institutional stakeholders	Municipality of Strumica; Municipal PUEs; National Institution Strumica Museum; Strumica Gas; MEPSO; IPF7 Team and ESIA Experts	15 (6 female)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Project Presentation Acceptability of the proposed / preferred Project option Exact location of the new 400/110 kV substation in Miletkovo area Potential grievances that might occur from farmers (land owners/users) due to the land 	Meeting ³

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					acquisition process	
4	29/09/2021, Online / MEPSO Head office	Project presentation to the Institutional stakeholders	Line Ministries; MEPSO; IPF7 Team and ESIA Experts; Private infrastructure companies	22 (9 female)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General technical features of the Project Acceptability of the proposed / preferred Project option 	Online meeting
5	12/10/2021	Information request	National Institution Strumica Museum MEPSO; IPF7 Team and ESIA Experts	2	Identification of the exact location and boundaries of the protected cultural heritage site Gradishor – Mramor	Official correspondence
6	28.10.2021	Introduction to the stakeholder responsible for Cultural Heritage in the project area	National Institution Strumica Museum MEPSO; IPF7 Team and ESIA Experts;	5	Introduction to the management and discussion on possibility to cooperate on this and other MEPSO projects in the area. Chance finds procedure.	Meeting ⁴
7	28.10.2021	Site visit to Orniche	National Institution Strumica Museum MEPSO; IPF7 Team and ESIA Experts;	4	Site visit to the location Orniche and discussion on the potential cultural heritage sites along the alignment from Valandovo towards Strumica	Direct communication
8	15.11.2021	Email and telephone communication	National Institution Gevgelija Museum MEPSO; IPF7 Team and ESIA Experts;	1	Information request regarding the exact location of Gradishor – Mramor. Information received from the manager of the Museum.	Official correspondence
9	30.11.2021	Information request	National Institution Gevgelija Museum MEPSO; IPF7 Team and ESIA Experts;		Information related to the description of the location of Gradishor Mramor and identification of other nearby non-movable unprotected cultural heritage sites	Official correspondence

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