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Dear Mr Tiéga,

in line with Article 5 of the Convention on Wetlands and Resolution VII.19 on international cooperation we jointly request the Ramsar Bureau to register the following wetland site as a Transboundary Ramsar Site: "Austrian-Bavarian Wildalm".

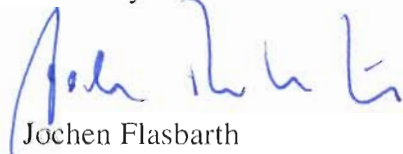
The site consists of two already designated Ramsar sites:

No. 1489 "Bayerische Wildalm and Wildalmfilz" (15.12.2004, Tyrol)

No. 1723 "Bayerische Wildalm" (9.10.2007, Bavaria).

It would be our pleasure to welcome representatives from the Ramsar Bureau at a Bavarian-Austrian ceremony that is planned to take place on the site on September 4<sup>th</sup> and which is supposed to highlight our transboundary cooperation and the Ramsar Convention to the public. At this opportunity it would be a great honour for us and a wonderful symbol to receive a Transboundary Ramsar Certificate. We would be grateful if you could facilitate the issue of such a Certificate.

Sincerely



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