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Subject: Results of the evaluation of Proposal 3.4-0018-ATIT-S-M-17 in response to the 2017 CEF Energy call for proposals

Dear	
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The evaluation of the proposals submitted in response to the call for proposals referred to above has been completed. The services of the European Commission have drawn up a draft list of proposals recommended for funding.

I regret to inform you that your proposal is not included in this list for the following reasons:

The proposed Action contributes to the implementation of the project of common interest "The Somplago - Wurmlach interconnection" while the main objective of the proposed Action is to prepare a study with the final design of the cable route. The maturity is very well evidenced, the Action's cross border dimension is excellent. The priority and urgency of the Action are well demonstrated.

On 25 January 2018, the "CEF Coordination Committee – Energy" gave its positive opinion on this list.

Please note that the final decision on the selection of the proposals, which will be awarded a grant under this call for proposals, will be adopted by the Commission in the coming days. We will inform you when the Commission adopts its selection decision. In case you

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would consider to lodge a complaint to the European Ombudsman or lodge an appeal to the General Court it can be done against the final decision once adopted by the Commission.

If you wish to request further clarifications related to the procedural aspects of the evaluation conducted by INEA only (and not the merits of your proposal), you can do so in writing to the following e-mail address: <a href="mailto:inea-cef-energy-calls@ec.europa.eu">inea-cef-energy-calls@ec.europa.eu</a>. This can be done either at this stage or after you have received our letter with the full information on the final decision by the Commission.

I thank you for your interest in the opportunities offered by the Connecting Europe Facility.

Yours sincerely,

Marc VANDERHAEGEN Head of Unit