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Mr Andreas Carlgren  
Minister of Environment  
SE – 10333 STOCKHOLM  
Sweden

**Subject: The Royal Domain of Drottningholm – Concern on Ekerö road and Stockholm Bypass**

Dear Sir,

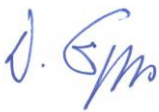
With great concern the Europe Group of ICOMOS (International Council on Monuments and Sites), UNESCO's advisor on World Heritage issues, learned about the latest plans for the roads through the World Heritage Site of Drottningholm and its buffer zone.

In our view the current plans would have a seriously detrimental impact on the cultural values of the Royal Domain of Drottningholm, and we thus highly recommend reviewing the current scenario.

For your information we enclose a letter sent to the Swedish Transport Administration, Trafikverket.

On behalf of the Europe Group of ICOMOS I remain,

Yours sincerely



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Vice President of ICOMOS International  
(Representative of the Europe Group)

Encl.: Letter to Trafikverket concerning the World Heritage Site of Drottningholm.

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