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STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL UNTIL MID-APRIL

Re: European Union Prize for Cultural Heritage / Europa Nostra Awards 2017

Category of entry: Education, Training & Awareness-raising
Name of Project: Quintá River Donsal Trail: the value of the rural heritage
Our Reference Number: HA-2017/ES/04

Dear Antonio Álvarez González,

The Heritage Awards Jury in the category of Education, Training & Awareness-raising, chaired by Goranka Horjan, has completed the arduous, yet fascinating task of judging this year's entries to the European Union Prize for Cultural Heritage / Europa Nostra Awards.

Despite its undoubted merit, we regret to inform you that your entry was not selected to receive an Award.

The response to the 2017 Call for Entries was truly impressive in quality. It is heartening to observe the proficiency and care with which our cultural heritage, both built and natural, tangible and intangible, is being researched, treated and returned to the place of honour it deserves in our society. The competition was very intense indeed, rendering the decision very difficult for the Jury as only a very limited number of entries could be selected to receive an Award.

We would like to thank you for submitting your application and for your commendable efforts in favour of Europe's cultural heritage.

The European Heritage Awards Ceremony will be held in St. Michael's Church, Turku on 15 May, as part of the Europa Nostra Annual Congress 2017 and on the occasion of Finland's 100-year anniversary.

We request that you keep your result **STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL** until the European Commission and Europa Nostra announce the winners of the EU Prize for Cultural Heritage / Europa Nostra Awards to the media throughout Europe in a joint press release on 5 April.

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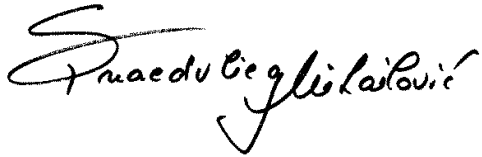
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We wish you every success with your future endeavours and we look forward to keeping in touch with you in the future.

Yours sincerely,



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