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**Federal State Unitary Enterprise  
“Directorate for construction  
of railroad objects  
in Southern Russia of MR RF”**

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Re: № 1-30526 from 26.05.2003

To the President of YACONTO LLC  
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On the construction of «Commercial  
Black Sea Port YACONTO» in Tuapse region

**Dear Sergey Pavlovich !**

FSUE «Directorate for construction of railroad objects in Southern Russia of MR RF» has reviewed the letter from YACONTO LLC (out. № 1-30526 from 26.05.2003) with the set of documents attached thereto, including the Declaration (Petition) from November 12<sup>th</sup> 2002 on an intent to build «Commercial Black Sea Port YACONTO» with respective infrastructure in the Tuapse region of Krasnodar Territory.

We express our full support and interest in the implementation of YACONTO Integrated Program through attraction of major non-state investments to secure the socio-economical development of Krasnodar Territory and Southern Russia as a whole.

To ensure the projected freight growth, it is necessary to budget for expenses on reconstruction and development of railway network of approaches to the Tuapse port, taking into consideration the construction of the new «YACONTO Port», during the development of technical project of «Commercial Black Sea Port YACONTO» with respective infrastructure.

It is expedient to involve institutes Giprottrans TEI MR and «Mosgiprottrans JSC» in this work.

FSUE «Directorate for construction of railroad objects in Southern Russia of MR RF» is interested in practical implementation of this project.

Respectfully yours,  
Chief Engineer  
of FSUE DCRO-S MR RF

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*(The Russian text of this letter is an original.)*