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Participants: TRADE: [Art. 4.1(b)]

Deutscher Sparkassen- und Giroverband (DSG; German saving banks): Lothar Blatt-von

Raczeck (Director), [Art. 4.1(b)]

Time: 28/04/2015

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Details:

COM presented state of play of the negotiations highlighting that: (i) the EU committed to table a new services offer ahead of the July round, (ii) the offer will follow a hybrid model, (iii) the decision on the inclusion of FS will depend on the US engagement in regulatory cooperation.

[Art. 4.1(a)]

COM presented the EU's views on the legal situation of Sparkassen in the EU trade agreements based on exchanges with LS. In particular, COM stressed the negative implications of including reservations or clarifications related to Sparkassen suggested by DSG. [Art. 4.1(a)]

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 The results of our discussion will feed into the final analysis to be completed by Prof Krajewski. Sparkassen will meet with DE Ministry of Economy and Länder in the week of 4 May. We agreed on a follow-up meeting in the week of 20th of May.