

Committee of Inquiry to investigate the use of Pegasus and equivalent surveillance spyware The Chair

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Mr Nicos TORNARITIS Chairperson of the House Standing Committee on Legal Affairs, Justice and Public Order PO Box 20342, 2151 Nicosia Cyprus

<u>Subject</u>: Request for a meeting with the PEGA Committee during its upcoming fact-finding mission to Nicosia, Cyprus on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2022

Dear Chair,

As you may already know, a delegation of the inquiry committee on "*Pegasus*" and other spywares (PEGA) from the European Parliament will be in Cyprus 1 and 2 November, arriving late afternoon 1 November.

The members of this delegation will be very happy to meet with counterpart members of the Cypriot Parliament, especially with those who have a link with the core issue of their mandate, like members of the Legal Affairs, Justice and Public Order committee of the Cypriot Parliament.

I would thus like to inquire whether it would be possible for the PEGA mission to meet with you and Members of your Committee for an exchange of different aspects of the use of spyware, preferably in the morning 2 November.

Looking forward to your response and hoping to meet you during our mission to Cyprus.

Best regards,

Jeroen Lenaers

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