

(CAB-TIMMERMANS)

Subject: RE: Request for a meeting with AmCham EU, European Commission, Brussels

Dear

I hope this email finds you well and that family, friends and colleagues remain safe and healthy during the current circumstances.

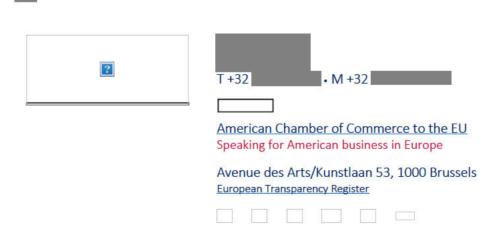
I am following up regarding our previously arranged meeting with Mr Mes, which had to be cancelled due to the changing situation with Covid-19. Given the current context, we, like many, are adapting our ways of working, and so we are looking at opportunities to continue our engagement in a virtual capacity. Therefore, I wanted to reach out to see if Mr Mes would be interested in an exchange with our member companies via videoconference?

We of course recognize that priorities may lie elsewhere at this time, especially given the Commission's important role during this crisis. Therefore, should this not be a suitable arrangement, we do still hope we can arrange a meeting at a later occasion, once the circumstances allow us to do

Do please let me know Mr Mes' availability and comfort to participate in a virtual interaction? We would be open and flexible to his schedule over the course of the month of April (preferably after the Easter holidays).

I remain at your disposal for any questions, and thank you kindly in advance for considering this request. If you would prefer to catch up briefly over the phone, please do not hesitate to contact me on the mobile number listed in the signature below.

Kind regards,



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Sent: Wednesday, 19 February 2020 2:31 PM

To: @amchameu.eu>

**Subject:** RE: Request for a meeting with AmCham EU, European Commission, Brussels Dear

Thank you for reaching out and for your interest to meet with Mr Mes.

We can propose 17/3 at 14h or 19/3 at 11h. If none of the slots work, we can of course look further into the week of 25/3. Do you already have an idea how big will the group be? This will help us decide on the venue.

Best regards,

xecutive Vice-President Frans Timmermans

## **European Commission**

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Sent: Wednesday, February 19, 2020 9:23 AM

To: MES Daniel (CAB-TIMMERMANS) < <a href="mailto:Daniel.MES@ec.europa.eu">Daniel.MES@ec.europa.eu</a>);

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Cc: @amchameu.eu>

**Subject:** Request for a meeting with AmCham EU, European Commission, Brussels Dear Mr Mes,

On behalf of the Digital Economy Committee of the American Chamber of

Commerce to the EU (AmCham EU), we would like to request a meeting with you in March at your convenience. Given your role as Member of the Cabinet for Commissioner Frans Timmermans, we would welcome the opportunity to discuss the current digital agenda and priorities and to hear your perspective on EU Green Deal coordination with the Cabinet of Executive Vice-President Vestager.

For this meeting, we would be represented by the AmCham EU secretariat and a small group of lead <u>members</u> of our digital committee (an attendee list would be provided in advance), and we ideally hope to meet for 30-45 minutes. We would be pleased to come to your offices at the European Commission, however, we remain flexible to accommodate your schedule and preference.

The AmCham EU Digital Economy Committee seeks to look at the benefits of the new economy in the form of competitiveness, growth, creation of jobs, innovation and for a modern democracy. Our committee monitors a variety of industry sectors, ranging from the traditional telecoms and ICT companies, to a cross-section of companies and sectors spread across the global digital economy.

We fully understand this is likely a highly busy period for you and your team. However, we would be delighted with the opportunity to meet, hear your digital priorities and to provide more information about AmCham EU.

Thank you in advance for your time and consideration. We look forward to hearing your availability and please do not hesitate to contact me if you need additional

Kind regards,	
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