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RE: Note to Fiscal Attaches_Enquiry concerning the consent of Member States to share Subject:

documents with the TAXE Committee of the European Parliament

Dear Director general,

Luxembourg fully supports the important work of the Code of Conduct. This work deals with very sensitive issues concerning harmful tax competition. The contributions in the requested documents by the TAXE Committee of the European Parliament, containing tax policy considerations and drawn up for the internal use of the Code, are confidential by nature. We thus reiterate all the arguments for denying access to these documents contained in our mail to you of 16 June 2015.

However, in the light of your letter of 15 September 2015 referring to a confidentiality agreement to be negotiated and setting up special security measures, we would agree to an examination by the TAXE Committee under such security measures of the concerned documents, if all the other Member States would agree to such an examination as well.

Kind regards,



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Subject: Note to Fiscal Attaches_Enquiry concerning the consent of Member States to share documents with the TAXE Committee of the European Parliament

Dear all,

Enclosed you can find a scanned version of the above-mentioned note, signed by Heinz Zourek.

Kind regards



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