

Elżbieta Bieńkowska Commissioner for Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs European Commission 200 Rue de la Loi 1049 Brussels Belgium

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Re: Request for a meeting in July

Dear Commissioner,

I am writing to request a meeting with you and Amazon's Senior Vice President the week of 11 to 15 July or 18, 19 or 20 July in Brussels to discuss the Commission's upcoming Digital Single Market proposals due to be launched on the 25<sup>th</sup> of May and how we can deliberate on these important legislative

There are many Digital Single Market areas in which we believe we can contribute in the coming months including through our insight in innovation and our focus on customer service such as data flows, electronic communications review, copyright reforms, audio-visual, and cloud computing.

As a long-term investor and significant employer in Europe, with more than 40.000 employees in the EU, we look forward to supporting the Commission in fostering innovation, growth, employment and investment in Europe. We are hosting an event on the 26<sup>th</sup> of May in Brussels with key policymakers and representatives of the private sector, where we will highlight the important role of our marketplace to stimulate growth and jobs for SMEs in Europe.

I would welcome the opportunity for a meeting to discuss how Amazon can further contribute to strengthening the Digital Single Market.

I look forward to your response,

Vice President, Global Public Policy