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Subject: Meeting Request

Attachments: FuelsEurope Letter to Commissioner Kadri Simson - 18 September

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Importance: High

Dear Commissioner Simson,

We fully support Europe's energy and climate objectives. Our industry, our member companies fully intend to contribute to meeting these, and we have already described comprehensively our industry's transformation pathway to climate neutrality by 2050 (<u>Clean Fuels for All</u>).

We would like to meet with you to describe how we address the following concerns that you have recently publicly expressed:

- In 2030, the share of renewables in transport needs to reach around 24%
  - We have a plan to be a part of this and we would like to present it to you.
- In 2030, oil consumption has to go down by almost a third and gas consumption by a quarter
  - We can show how our pathway is fully aligned with the Clean Planet For All 1.5 Tech Scenario.
- In transport, we need to tackle every angle: strengthening CO2 standards for vehicles, making clean fuels such as hydrogen more accessible
  - We can show why low carbon liquid fuels should be recognized as part of the solution for road transport, as well as for aviation and maritime, and how this also supports decarbonisation strategy for all Energy Intensive Industries.
- A change of this magnitude requires serious investment an additional 350 billion euro per year compared to the period 2011-2020
  - We can show our investment pathway and how our member companies are prepared.
- Every year, the EU gives away 50 billion euros in the form of fossil fuel subsidies
  - We can explain our proposals for the Energy Taxation Directive.

Furthermore, we would like to mention to you the preparatory work for the next edition of the EU Refining Forum, on whose organisation we are cooperating with your team.

If you agree, my assistant will contact your office for the purpose of arranging a virtual meeting.

Looking forward to meeting you.

## Yours sincerely,





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