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Sent: 10 April 2014 12:18
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Invite to be the key note speaker at Bank of America Merrill Lynch's Global Telecom and Media Conference

Dear [REDACTED]

On behalf of Vice-President Kroes I would like to thank you for the kind invitation to deliver a keynote speech at the Bank of America Merrill Lynch Global Telecom and Media Conference in London, between 3-5 June 2014. Please apologise for our delayed answer. We tried to make Ms Kroes available for this event but unfortunately her agenda doesn't allow her to accept the invitation.

Ms Kroes has asked me to pass on her regrets and best wishes for a successful event.

Yours sincerely,

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21st February 2013

Dear Ms Kroes

In your position as Vice President of the European Commission with responsibility for the Digital Agenda we would be deeply honoured if you, or indeed a member of your team, could address a group of key City investors at a lunch hosted at Bank of America Merrill Lynch when you are next in London.

For some time the Bank of America Merrill Lynch team has been focused on several issues pertaining to the Digital Agenda including Telecom consolidation, 4G roll out and cyber security. We therefore believe that the investment community would greatly benefit from accessing your unrivalled insights and unique knowledge of the European Commission's Digital Agenda.

We have had significant success undertaking similar high level events with several world renowned experts, thought leaders, advisors, diplomats and politicians. Indeed we were delighted to host a lunch with your fellow European Commissioner, Connie Hedegaard back in October.

We do hope that you will be able to attend what promises to be an exciting and open discussion and we hope that you and your team would gain a great deal from the interaction with some of the City's key asset managers and analysts.

We understand that your diary is extremely busy and we will of course work around your schedule to facilitate a date when you are next available in London. With your permission, we will be in touch with your secretary in the coming weeks to ascertain your availability.

Kind regards,

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Importance: High

Dear Commissioner Kroes,

In your position as Vice President of the European Commission with responsibility for the Digital Agenda, we would be honoured to have you as the key note speaker at the Bank of America Merrill Lynch Global Telecom and Media Conference.

The conference will be held at our offices at 2 King Edward Street in London from Tuesday 3rd to Thursday 5th June, 2014.

The Bank of America Merrill Lynch's Global Telecom and Media Conference is the premier event of its type in Europe. The largest Telecom and Media Corporates will be both presenting and conducting one-on-one meetings with investors. The conference audience will contain all the key financial investors, both from Europe as well as the US and Asia. At last year's conference over 500 companies participated with presentations from the likes of Vodafone and CBS; alongside attendance from over 350 institutional investors.

This year, we very much hope that you will be able to accept to attend what promises to be an exciting and open debate and that you will gain a great deal from the interaction with some of the key global investors looking at the Telecom and Media area.

We hope that you will be able to speak at what is one of the key highlights of the Telecom and Media investment calendar and would work entirely around your schedule to facilitate a suitable time slot for the key note speech on any of the three days.

We will be in touch with your office in due course to follow up.

Many thanks for your kind consideration of our request.

Kind regards,

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