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Cher Jean-Luc

Je me permets de vous contacter afin de voir si vous seriez disponible pour une courte réunion informelle le 16 mars à l'occasion de la visite de Karan Bhatia à Bruxelles. Nous voudrions évoquer TTIP ainsi que les récents investissements de GE en Europe. Merci d'avance,

Bien à vous,

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Meeting Report

Present: Jean-Luc DEMARTY, [Article 4.1 (b)] (TRADE, report), Karen Bhatia and Hendrik Bourgeois (General Electric)

On 16 March a meeting took place between Director-General J-L. Demarty and Karen Bhatia and Hendrik Bourgeois from General Electric. General Electric inquired about the state of play of TTIP. In that context, GE mentioned that an energy chapter in TTIP could have political and potentially also economic appeal. GE also asked about other trade negotiations like the Information Technology Agreement (ITA) and the Environmental Goods Agreement (EGA). GE shed also a light on the domestic political situation in the US, especially given the debate in the US on Trade Promotion Authority (TPA) and the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP).