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Ms. Cecilia Malmström
European Commissioner for Trade
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Dear Ms. Malmström:

It was a pleasure to see you again with your colleagues from the Directorate General for Trade on April 20, 2016.

I appreciated our discussion on the Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA) and the ratification process in Canada and the European Union, as well as receiving your confirmation that the agreement will be submitted to the College of Commissioners on June 15, 2016. I also appreciated exchanging views on how we can collaborate to advance the progressive approach to investment dispute resolution that we have achieved in CETA.

I look forward to seeing you at the European Business Summit at the beginning of June in Brussels and at the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development meetings in Paris.

Sincerely,

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The Honourable Chrystia Freeland, P.C., M.P.

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