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Subject: Meeting with Unilever

Dear Isabelle,

At the request of Unilever, Maria Åsenius and Isabelle Magne, (Head of Cabinet and Member of Cabinet of Commissioner Malström) and [REDACTED] (DG Trade) met with CEO Paul Polman and [REDACTED] on Tuesday 6 June 2017.

While the broad topic of conversation was Trade's contribution to the Sustainable Development Goals, conversation quickly focused on sustainability standards, notably relating to the production and processing of palm oil and soy beans and their potential contribution to halting deforestation.

Mr Polman, speaking primarily from his role as Chairman of the World Business Council for Sustainable Development, promised to send further details on this topic.

Discussion also touched upon the role of the European private sector in making the positive case for global trade, as an element of globalisation.

Thanks,

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