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The Honorable Rex Tillerson,
Secretary of State
Washington, DC 20520
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Dear Rex,

It was a pleasure to meet you during my recent visit to Washington and to discuss the outlook for EU-US relations, as well as major international issues with which we are being confronted.

During our talks I indicated that the EU's Foreign Affairs Council meetings would be an excellent opportunity for you to address all the Foreign Ministers of the 28 Member States of the European Union. Such a meeting with my colleagues would reaffirm the unique nature of the EU-US foreign policy partnership.

Thus, I would like to extend an invitation to join me and my European colleagues on the occasion of one of the forthcoming Foreign Affairs Council meetings on 6 March (Brussels); 3 April (Luxembourg); 15 May (Brussels), or 19 June (Luxembourg), as convenient.

I would equally take this opportunity to draw your attention to another vital forum for transatlantic cooperation, namely the EU-US Energy Council, which brings together the Secretaries of State and Energy on the US side and their EU counterparts. On our end, we have found the EU-US Energy Council to be an excellent platform for coordinating transatlantic actions on energy policy, and security and low carbon transition. I would like to suggest that we equally work on holding a meeting of the Energy Council at a mutually convenient time during 2017. We look forward to hosting you in Brussels on this occasion.

Yours sincerely, *Looking forward to meeting you
again soon!*



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