To: art 4(1)(b)
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Subject: Flash report on the phone call with the European Satellite Operators Association, 4 July 2016

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Today the European Satellite Operators Association called me with regard to landing rights for satellite operators in Indonesia. The association’s operators provide capacity from the space to service providers (telecom, broadcasters).

explained that in Indonesia satellite operators are subjected to heavy specific requirements, despite the fact that these are already regulated at international level (ITU). Indonesia requires that satellite operators co-ordinate their activities with Indonesia's satellite companies, with a view to protect their domestic players, and has set out specific provisions in this regard.

intends to convey this issue to the Commission in a written form and in view of forthcoming negotiations for an EU-Indonesia FTA.

Regards,

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