

## EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Office of the President Ms Ursula von der Leyen

## European Green Deal Adviser

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Dear Mr

President von der Leyen would like to thank you for your e-mail of 3 February 2020 in which you express your support for achieving a carbon neutral EU economy by 2050, and highlight the importance of a forthcoming hydrogen initiative.

We have taken note of your contribution on this matter, which is a high priority for the new Commission mandate, and have transmitted it to the Commissioner responsible for Energy, Ms Kadri Simson (e-mail: @ec.europa.eu). Ms Simson is looking into the points that you have raised and will reply rapidly.

Thank you again for feeding the Commission's reflections on this issue.

Yours sincerely,

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