

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: lundi 2 mars 2020 18:08
To: MARGERIT Alienor (CAB-GENTILONI)
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Carbon border adjustment RE: Thursday 23 Jan 16:30 hrs RE: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request
Attachments: 20200221 EUROFER paper_Border adjustment and carbon leakage measures.pdf; 20200221 Nctm-Luther-GIDE opinion on carbon border measure.pdf

Dear Alienor,

We are looking forward to our meeting this week.

Hereby are already two papers by the European steel sector on the carbon border adjustment; one on design and one by three law firms regarding how to make it WTO compatible.

Kind regards,

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, February 17, 2020 5:59 PM
To: Jeekel, Robert Jan <robert.jan.jeekel@arcelormittal.com>
Cc: CAB-GENTILONI-xxxxxxx@xx.xxxxpa.eu
Subject: RE: Carbon border adjustment RE: Thursday 23 Jan 16:30 hrs RE: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

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Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your email. Ms Margerit would be available for a meeting on 4/03 at 14:00.

Would that work for you?

Kindly,

Sabina

[REDACTED] **Elena Scoppio**
Cabinet of Commissioner Paolo Gentiloni
Commissioner for Economy



European Commission

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, February 17, 2020 5:44 PM
To: MARGERIT Alienor (CAB-GENTILONI) <xxxxxxx.xxxxxxxx@xx.xxxxxx.xx>
Cc: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] O'CONNOR Simon (CAB-GENTILONI) <Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu>
Subject: RE: Carbon border adjustment RE: Thursday 23 Jan 16:30 hrs RE: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

Dear Mrs. Margerit,

We hope it will indeed be possible to discuss with you the carbon border adjustment design and maybe more importantly now - the *soon to be launched (inception) impact assessment*; we would ask that the structural flaws of the usual climate costs impact assessments will here be improved to get a realistic basis of policy making for this file.

Would a meeting maybe be possible e.g. Wednesday 4 March, 13 or 14 hrs - or 17 March before 16 hrs. Otherwise we could find other suitable possibilities.

With kind regards,

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 2020 4:34 PM
To: xxxxxxx.xxxxxxxx@xx.xxxxxx.xx
Cc: [REDACTED]
Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu
Subject: Carbon border adjustment RE: Thursday 23 Jan 16:30 hrs RE: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

Dear Mrs. Margerit,

As the Carbon Border Adjustments is such a crucial basis for our decarbonisation process we have been thinking hard on how this could work in practice best (and legally too). We would very much like to meet you to discuss the major aspects of its design and impact scenarios.

Would you maybe be available in one of the coming weeks to meet [REDACTED] and myself ?

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]

From: Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu <Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu>
Sent: Monday, February 10, 2020 9:59 AM
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Alienor.MARGERIT@ec.europa.eu
Subject: RE: Thursday 23 Jan 16:30 hrs RE: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

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Dear [REDACTED],

Many thanks, my colleagues will pass this to the Commissioner.

In the cabinet it Alienor Margerit who is in the lead on the carbon border adjustment mechanism. I am copying her in.

Best,
Simon

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, February 7, 2020 6:13 PM
To: O'CONNOR Simon (CAB-GENTILONI) <Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu>
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Thursday 23 Jan 16:30 hrs RE: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

Dear Simon,

Please find hereby the thanks letter by Mr. Mittal to Commissioner Gentiloni for the constructive meeting in Davos.

Would it be possible to convey the letter to the Commissioner?

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 15, 2020 1:40 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Thursday 23 Jan 16:30 hrs RE: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

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Dear [REDACTED],

Thanks, bilateral room 1.4 is booked for the meeting. Confirmation sent to Aditya Mittal via TopLink.

I will be with the Commissioner in Davos, my number is +32 460 767359

Best,
Simon

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 15, 2020 1:38 PM
To: O'CONNOR Simon (CAB-GENTILONI) <Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu>
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Thursday 23 Jan 16:30 hrs RE: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

Dear Simon,

Many thanks. Both Mr. Laksmi Mittal and Mr Aditya Mittal look very much forward to meet Commissioner Gentiloni on Thursday 23 Jan 16:30 hrs - on the subjects mentioned on the phone (Carbon Border Adjustment & ILVA linked to Green transition fund)

Could you maybe register the meeting on TopLink to secure a meeting room?

Our contact for further coordination there is [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Kind regards,
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 15, 2020 12:06 PM
To: Simon.O'CONNOR@xx.xxxxxx.xx
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

Dear Simon,

(sorry to bother) Would you know already if it is possible to set the meeting in the WEF agenda on Thursday 23rd with Mr Mittal ?

Kind regards,
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2020 11:01 AM
To: Simon.O'CONNOR@xx.xxxxxx.xx
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

Simon,

Thanks.

As this has such priority Mr. Mittal (CEO all ArcelorMital) is available on:

[Thursday 23 January](#)

[10:45-11:30](#)

[12:00](#) onwards

Hope that would suit?

Kind regards,

Op 13 jan. 2020 om 20:40 heeft "Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu" <Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu> het volgende geschreven:

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[REDACTED],

The Commissioner is only there Thursday and Friday morning, so looks like it won't work.

Best,
Simon

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 13, 2020 8:36 PM
To: O'CONNOR Simon (CAB-GENTILONI) <Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu>
Cc: [REDACTED]

Subject: Re: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

Dear Simon,

Many thanks.

The availability is::

- [Monday 20 Jan from 14:00](#) onwards
- [Tuesday 21 Jan 09:30-12:00](#)
- [Tuesday 21 Jan 12:30-16:30](#)

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]

Op 13 jan. 2020 om 19:35 heeft "Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu" <Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu> het volgende geschreven:

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Dear [REDACTED],

We'll get back to you in the next day or two. Perhaps you could already let us know the availability on your side.

All best,
Simon

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 13, 2020 7:21 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: O'CONNOR Simon (CAB-GENTILONI) <Simon.O'CONNOR@ec.europa.eu>;
[REDACTED]
Subject: Re: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

Dear [REDACTED] and Simon,

Many thanks,

[REDACTED]

Op 13 jan. 2020 om 18:34 heeft

[REDACTED] het volgende geschreven:

****This Message originated from a Non-ArcelorMittal source****

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for the kind email. Please note the member of Cabinet travelling with the Commissioner to Davos and coordinating his agenda is Mr Simon O'Connor, here in CC.

We would let you know as soon as possible if a meeting can be arranged, as the program in Davos is still in the making.

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Commissioner for Economy
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European Commission
[REDACTED]
B-1049 Brussels/Belgium
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 13, 2020 5:32 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: WEF Davos - ArcelorMittal meeting request

Dear Mrs. Giordano,

I am contacting you regarding the meeting of the World Economic Forum in Davos later this month; we understand Commissioner Gentiloni will participate and that you coordinate this.

Mr. A. Mittal, CEO of ArcelorMittal Europe, will also participate and would very much like to set up a meeting with Commissioner Gentiloni, particularly as he is

leading on the Carbon Border Adjustments, which is of strategic importance to investment decisions in Europe.

We are the leading steel company globally with headquarters in Europe, where we develop our leading technologies on materials, circular economy and carbon reductions.

ArcelorMittal has just announced a commitment to go for 30% CO2 reduction by 2030 on the way to climate neutrality in 2050, only in Europe. It is our ambition to be leading the carbon neutral technology development with actual large scale investments. This indeed depends on an effective carbon border adjustment that can be a basis for further ambition of Europe Green Deal.

As the steel industry is a third of all Europe's industrial emissions, with ArcelorMittal almost a third of that, we realise this would not only be a radical high risk change for the steel industry, but also a cornerstone of the Green Deal ambition and success. Hence it is key the policy design is the right one.

But to make this commitment and long-term investment decisions in Europe a success in reality, we see, however, an important concrete policy risk related to the actual business case of this investment and transition; that would be key to discuss at the highest relevant level. This is why Mr. A. Mittal would very much like to discuss with Commissioner Gentiloni.

Therefore, we very much hope you can support to set up such a meeting at the WEF in Davos. Could you please let us know if this could be possible?

Kind regards,

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