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Dear Commissioner McGuinness,  
On behalf of AFME, the Association for Financial Markets in Europe, and myself, please allow me to extend our warmest congratulations on your confirmation - after today's positive vote from a very large majority in the European Parliament - as European Commissioner for Financial Services, Financial Stability and the Capital Markets Union, and to express our best wishes for a very successful mandate.

I have listened to your remarks before the ECON Committee with great interest and I have welcomed the ambitious agenda you have outlined, which includes numerous initiatives which are particularly close to the hearts of AFME and its members.

On all key challenges Europe is facing – from responding to Covid-19, to strengthening EU's competitiveness, from deepening its integration, to transitioning to a greener economy – competitive, resilient and integrated financial markets, are a key component of a successful strategy.

As the leading voice of Europe's wholesale financial markets, AFME looks forward to working together with you, drawing on our strong technical knowledge and fact-based work.

In this respect, I very much look forward to continuing and strengthening the excellent cooperation with the European Commission and I would be very grateful if we could meet in the coming weeks, to discuss your priorities. Such meeting would also provide the opportunity to present to you the third edition of our flagship publication "*Capital Markets Union – Key Performance Indicators*" which will be published at the end of October.

I wish you the best success for the coming years and assure you of my highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,



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