Dear

Thank you for confirming the European Commission's participation to our plenary event – we are extremely pleased to have a DG ENV representative on the panel.

Please find attached a draft agenda for the event. We have received a confirmation from MEP Spyraki but our invitation to the State Secretary is still pending, although we have been reassured that a Director-General would be speaking in case the State Secretary was not available. We will be further elaborating the agenda as we get more clarity on the names of the speakers.

Thanks again for agreeing to join us and please do let me know if you have any other questions for us.

Best wishes,



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From:
Sent: Tuesday, November 17, 2020 6:41 PM
To:
Cc:

**Subject:** RE: AmCham EU letter on the CSS and formal invitation to be as speaker at the December plenary meeting

Dear

As a follow up to your exchange with our Cabinet, we are glad to inform that DG Environment will be able to join your event and present the Chemicals Strategy for Sustainability. Could you please give us more information and the updated agenda, so that we can come back to you with the name of the person who will attend?

Thanks and best regards



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From:
Sent: Monday, November 9, 2020 2:39 PM
To:
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**Subject:** RE: AmCham EU letter on the CSS and formal invitation to be as speaker at the December plenary meeting

Dear Ms

On behalf of Ms I would like to thank you for your reply. We regret that the Commissioner cannot attend this event but of course understand that his agenda may be full at the moment.

Considering the importance of the Chemicals Strategy for Sustainability to the European Commission and our members, we would kindly ask if you could help us secure an alternative speaker for this event. We have already confirmed speakers from the European Parliament as well as the German Ministry for Environment and would very much value having the Commission represented in the discussion.

We also believe this event would constitute an excellent opportunity for the Commission to present the strategy to a broad and cross-sectoral platform of companies, comprising both downstream users and chemical producers.

Thank you in advance for any help you may be able to provide. We remain at your disposal for any questions.

## Kind regards,

From:
Sent: Saturday, October 31, 2020 3:38 PM
To:
Cc:

**Subject:** RE: AmCham EU letter on the CSS and formal invitation to be as speaker at the December plenary meeting

Dear Ms

On behalf of Commissioner Sinkevičius and his cabinet, thank you for your invitation at your December Plenary meeting as a guest speaker on 15 December 2020..

Unfortunately, the Commissioner will be unable to attend due to schedule conflicts and prior commitments.

We are sorry we cannot honor your invitation.

Kind regards,



From:
Sent: Tuesday, October 13, 2020 5:48 PM
To:
Cc:

**Subject:** AmCham EU letter on the CSS and formal invitation to be as speaker at the December plenary meeting

Dear Commissioner Sinkevičius,

I am contacting you on behalf of the Environment Committee of AmCham EU to express our views with regards to the upcoming Chemicals Strategy for Sustainability and to invite you to discuss this crucial file as a guest speaker at our **December Plenary meeting on Tuesday, 15 December 2020.** 

AmCham EU is committed to making Europe's industry more sustainable and its companies are playing an active role in the transition towards a greener economy in Europe. We see the Chemicals Strategy for Sustainability as an excellent opportunity to improve and clarify certain aspects of the current regulatory framework for chemicals.

## Please find attached to this letter:

- A letter expressing some preliminary views on the Chemicals Strategy for Sustainability and stating our commitment to a constructive debate on this file moving forward;
- An invitation to be a guest speaker at our December plenary on Tuesday, 15 December to present the Chemicals Strategy for Sustainability and discuss this file alongside speakers from the European Parliament and Council Presidency.

AmCham EU stands ready to work together with EU institutions throughout the development of the Chemicals Strategy for Sustainability and looks forward to a constructive debate with all stakeholders involved. We also sincerely hope that you will be able to join us for the December plenary.

We will be in touch with your office soon. Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact myself or

With kind regards,





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