

**From:** [REDACTED]@fuelseurope.eu>  
**Sent:** jeudi 14 octobre 2021 15:42  
**To:** [REDACTED] (CAB-SIMSON)  
**Subject:** RE: Meeting John Cooper-Stefano Grassi - 15/10 15.00

Dear [REDACTED],

Can we then confirm for Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October at 14.00?  
If ok for you, I will then send you the updated invitation again.

Kind regards,  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]@ec.europa.eu>  
**Sent:** jeudi 14 octobre 2021 15:33  
**To:** [REDACTED]@fuelseurope.eu>  
**Subject:** RE: Meeting John Cooper-Stefano Grassi - 15/10 15.00

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Dear [REDACTED],

I'm very sorry (again!) but a high level meeting has just been scheduled right when we had planned the meeting between Mr Cooper and Mr Grassi next Wednesday, and it is not something I am able to move. Would Mr Cooper be available later that day, between 14.0 and 16.00? Otherwise, Friday is still a good moment for Mr Grassi (between 10.30 and 15.00) and likely to remain quieter.

Apologies again – with the energy prices situation, the agenda is rather hectic at the moment. I hope something will be feasible for Mr Cooper.

Best regards,  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]@fuelseurope.eu>  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 14, 2021 11:56 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] (CAB-SIMSON) [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Meeting John Cooper-Stefano Grassi - 15/10 15.00

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you very much for your e-mail and apologise for not having answered your call. I was in another meeting.

Can we confirm the meeting for Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> October at 10.00 CET?  
Upon your confirmation, I will send an updated meeting invitation.

Kind regards,

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@ec.europa.eu>  
**Sent:** jeudi 14 octobre 2021 11:37  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@fuelseurope.eu>  
**Subject:** Meeting John Cooper-Stefano Grassi - 15/10 15.00

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Dear [REDACTED],

I am contacting you concerning the meeting scheduled between Mr Cooper and Mr Grassi tomorrow at 15.00. We are very sorry about this, but unfortunately Mr Grassi is obliged to postpone due to a number of urgent meetings he now has to attend with the Commissioner. Would it be possible for Mr Cooper to hold the meeting next week at one of the following times?:

Weds 20/10 – 09.30, 10.00 or 14.00  
Friday 22/10 – between 10.30 and 15.00

Please accept our apologies for this. We hope it will be possible to find a new time very soon.

Best regards,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]



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**From:** [REDACTED] (CAB-SIMSON)  
**Sent:** Monday, September 27, 2021 11:04 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[\[REDACTED\]@fuelseurope.eu](mailto:[REDACTED]@fuelseurope.eu)>  
**Subject:** RE: Lunch invitation

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you very much, 15/10 at 15.00 CET is confirmed in Mr Grassi's agenda. If you could send a Teams invitation that would be great, thank you.

Wishing you a good start to the week,

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[\[REDACTED\]@fuelseurope.eu](mailto:[REDACTED]@fuelseurope.eu)>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 24, 2021 5:41 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] (CAB-SIMSON) <[\[REDACTED\]@ec.europa.eu](mailto:[REDACTED]@ec.europa.eu)>  
**Subject:** RE: Lunch invitation

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you very much for your response.  
John Cooper would be very happy to have an online meeting with Mr Grassi.

Can we confirm the meeting for 15<sup>th</sup> October at 15.00 CET?  
Should I send you a Teams meeting invitation?

Please note that also Mr Alessandro Bartelloni, FuelsEurope Director, will attend this meeting.

Kind regards and have a wonderful weekend,

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[\[REDACTED\]@ec.europa.eu](mailto:[REDACTED]@ec.europa.eu)>  
**Sent:** vendredi 24 septembre 2021 17:28  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[\[REDACTED\]@fuelseurope.eu](mailto:[REDACTED]@fuelseurope.eu)>  
**Subject:** RE: Lunch invitation

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Dear [REDACTED],

Many apologies for the slow follow up to this, and thank you for your patience in waiting for a response. Mr Grassi very much appreciates Mr Cooper's kind invitation for a lunch and would indeed be very interested in discussing with him. Unfortunately however, the agenda in the coming weeks is already very busy. Mr Grassi therefore proposes scheduling an online meeting, which would allow him to find time for the discussion to take place sooner rather than later. He hopes this would be acceptable for Mr Cooper, and thanks him already for his understanding.

Hoping that the proposal is acceptable, I take the liberty of already suggesting some possible slots in Mr Grassi's agenda:

Thurs 7/10 – between 11.00 and 16.00

Fri 8/10 – between 09.30 and 11.00, at 14.00, or between 16.00 and 17.30

Fri 15/10 – between 15.00 and 17.30

Looking forward to hearing from you, and with best regards,

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[\[REDACTED\]@fuelseurope.eu](mailto:[REDACTED]@fuelseurope.eu)>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 10, 2021 10:55 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] (CAB-SIMSON)  
<[\[REDACTED\]@ec.europa.eu](mailto:[REDACTED]@ec.europa.eu)>  
**Subject:** Lunch invitation  
**Importance:** High

Dear [REDACTED],

John Cooper, Director General of FuelsEurope, would like to invite Mr Stefano Grassi for lunch on 16<sup>th</sup> or 17<sup>th</sup> September, in order to discuss the Fit for 55 package as well as the Fuels Industry strategy.

I hope that one of these dates is suitable to Mr Grassi and that this is of his interest.

Please do not hesitate to let me know if he has a preference of restaurant.

I am very much looking forward to your reply.

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

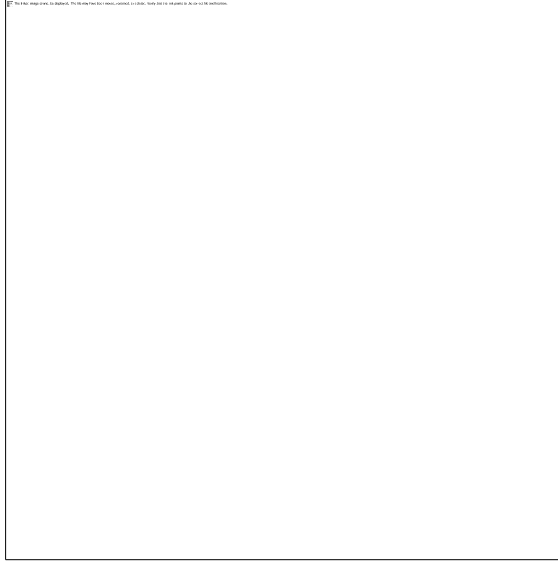
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