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Subject: AECA Invitation to speak: Ben Smulders

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Dear Mr. Smulders,

On behalf of Mr. [REDACTED], and following your conversation on Monday 27th April, I am pleased to contact you in relation to AECA's invitation to be a Guest Speaker at one of our Round Table Conference-Luncheons.

Our original invitation dated 23rd February proposed the theme "*Dealing with regulatory burden*", which you are welcome to change should you wish.

May we also propose the following dates for your consideration:

Week beginning 14th, 21st or 28th of September
Week beginning 7th or 14th December
Week beginning 11th, 18th or 25th January 2016

I remain at your disposition for any questions that you may have.

Please accept our thanks and kindest regards,

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Dear Ben,

Hoping that you have well received my email dated 23rd February, I remain at your disposition should you wish to discuss the request further.

It would also be my pleasure to welcome you to our new offices at a convenient moment for you, seeing as we are now neighbours.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Kindest regards,

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Dear Ben,

As you will understand, there is a great interest amongst our members to meet with Vice-President Timmermans. I have very well understood your comment that a possible appearance before AECA will be determined by his own agenda but, in the meantime, a more "technical" explanation of his role and priorities by his Chief of Staff will be much appreciated. As you know, the issue of the regulatory burden is a real concern to all of our members. It would be extremely useful in my mind to have an informed debate on this topic.

I hope you can consider this request favorably and look forward to your response.

With my best regards,

[REDACTED]
CEO

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