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Dear Mr Miguel Arias Cañete,

I hope this note finds you well.

We would like to invite you as a speaker to the 8<sup>th</sup> Global Warming Convention to be organized by *Vira Sea Culture Magazine* in collaboration with the Association of Economy Journalists (EGD), to be hosted by the Piri Reis University in Istanbul on Tuesday, 24 May 2016.

For the past 11 years, our magazine has grown to become a leading voice among Turkey's maritime culture and environment publications. The Turkish Association of Economy Journalists has been coordinating annual Global Warming Conventions for the past seven years and this year, the Piri Reis University offered their collaboration by hosting the event.

This year the conference's focus will be the impact of global warming on the global seas, and the importance of energy saving processes and policies for the international maritime and shipping trade. **As the European Commission's Commissioner for Climate Action and Energy**, we are certain that your presence at the conference would be an invaluable asset. After the conference, a book containing the complete speeches and lectures will be published.

Whereas we unfortunately cannot remunerate your attendance, we would book your flight and host you in a sophisticated hotel in the vicinity of the conference venue, for either one or two nights, depending on your wish and availability.

As the European Representative of the *Vira Sea Culture Magazine*, I will be responsible for both arranging your travel and assist you during your stay. We thank you in advance for your consideration and look forward to hearing from you soon.

With kind regards,

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