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Sent: 09 June 2015 10:25
To: [REDACTED] (HR)
Subject: FW: Meeting with ERT Competitiveness Working Group - Better Regulation
Attachments: Competitiveness Working Group Membership.pdf

Dear [REDACTED],

As just discussed on the phone, please find below the invitation sent last week to Mr Colombani. This invitation is to follow up on the meeting the First Vice-President had with the ERT delegation in April. Our [REDACTED] and I also already had the opportunity to meet Mr Colombani a few months ago.

Our proposal is now to have a more specific exchange of views on Better Regulation. I would therefore be very grateful if a representative from the Cabinet would be available for meeting our members on 23 June (ERT offices, 15 minutes drive from the Berlaymont).

As per background, ERT is a forum of around 54 European industrial leaders aiming at promoting the competitiveness and growth of Europe's economy. ERT Members are Chairmen and Chief Executive Officers of major multinational companies of European parentage covering a wide range of industrial and technological sectors. An overview of the full ERT Membership can be found here:
<http://www.ert.eu/members>

Best regards,

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 04 June 2015 17:33
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Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Meeting with ERT Competitiveness Working Group - Better Regulation

Dear Antoine,

We would like to invite someone from Mr Timmermans' team to the next meeting of our Competitiveness Working Group, in ERT offices (Brussels) on 23 June.

The idea would be to exchange views on the better regulation agenda. On our side, following the meeting with the First Vice-President, we are gathering contributions from our members on regulatory hurdles/improvements they see in their business.

We would very much appreciate if you or another colleague in charge of better regulation could present the better regulation concept and provide us with some guidelines (+/- 30 minutes), and then to have a discussion with the participants (+/-30 minutes).

The remit of the Competitiveness Working Group is quite large, covering policy issues related to innovation, growth, global competition, trade, the single market, and of course regulation. The Working Group is also finalising a common position on circular economy. Its meetings are usually well attended by a broad range of companies (see the list of the working group members attached, for your information).

The meeting on 23 June starts at 11:30 and ends at 16:00. You could for example join us for a light lunch at 12:40, followed by the exchange of views from 13:00 until 14:00.

I hope this invitation will suit your busy agenda.

Thank you very much.

Kind regards,

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Subject: Meeting with the European Round Table of Industrialists (ERT) - Follow-up

Dear Mr Colombani,

On behalf of the European Round Table of Industrialists (ERT), I wanted to thank again for the meeting we had with the First Vice-President and you on 30 March.

The open discussion was very much appreciated by our delegation and we feel ERT could bring a positive contribution to the projects of the new European Commission and Mr Timmermans in particular.

I would like to propose a follow-up call soon with you, [Redacted] and myself, to review areas of future collaboration and next steps.

Thank you very much.

Kind regards,



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