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Dear Mrs. Commissioner Malmström.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Please find attached our today's letter regarding our concerns about upcoming export and trade barriers impacting our business with Russia due to incompatibility of the EU Traceability System for Tobacco Products (EU Track & Trace) with the Russian traceability system for tobacco products. We kindly ask for your support by urging DG SANTE to reconsider its' current view and to accept the traceability codes of third country traceability systems until compatibility between EU Track & Trace and the relevant third country traceability system is given.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Many thanks and kind regards



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