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**Subject:** EFIC position: Misaligned Member States initiatives endanger success of Circular Economy Action Plan  
**To: Executive Vice-President for European Green Deal, Mr Timmermans, and Commissioners Sinkevičius and Breton**  
**Cc: Heads of Cabinets, Director General DG ENV & Acting Director General DG GROW**

Dear all,

EFIC is the European Furniture Industries Confederation.

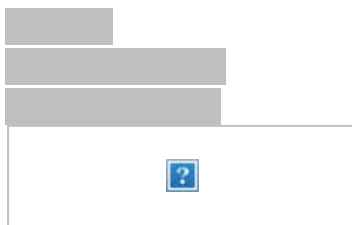
The European Furniture Industries welcome the ambitions of the New Circular Economy Action Plan, published today, and are strong supporters of a circular economy. However, the European furniture industries are concerned about a potential fragmentation of the Internal Market which could result from misaligned initiatives at Member State level implementing the European Green Deal and Circular Economy Action Plan and strongly call on the European Commission to ensure that these initiatives are harmonised, setting EU-wide rules when needed.

Please see attached our position paper.

We are closely monitoring the initiatives at Member State level and will be able to provide detailed input on their impact at a later stage.

We remain at your disposal for any questions you may have.

Kind regards



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