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Dear 

I thank you for your letter concerning the pay transparency initiative.

The European Commission is committed to delivering binding pay transparency measures and I confirm that the adoption of the proposal for a directive is foreseen on 3 March 2021.

We have thoroughly prepared this legislative initiative, dedicated to delivering a proportionate and coherent approach to improve the implementation and enforcement of the equal pay principle, to empowering workers and to addressing the systemic undervaluation of women's work.

The proposal aims to ensure that women and men receive equal remuneration for work of equal value. It will make a real difference for the protection of workers' right to equal pay.

I count on the ETUC's support in order to reach a swift agreement among all relevant actors on the initiative.

Yours sincerely,

(e-signed)
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