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Dear Executive Vice-President,

dear Commissioner Timmermans,

In view of the much needed European Green Deal and the potential role that renewable and low-carbon hydrogen could play, Hydrogen Europe would like to get your attention on the attached letter on the Renewable Energy Directive recast which might seriously undermine the ambitions of Europe to become climate neutral by 2050 and risks making the realisation of the European Green Deal more complicated.

We, as the Hydrogen sector, are ready to contribute but depend on your policy decisions. Our members are ready to invest in projects replacing carbon-emitting energy carriers with renewable and low-carbon hydrogen in transport, including within the refinery processes but investment decisions are waiting for regulatory clarity and certainty.

We urge the Commission to create legal certainty as quickly as possible and aligned with the pace and ambition of the Green Deal.

We address this letter to Commissioner Simson as well.

Thank you.

Kind regards,

[REDACTED], on behalf of

Mrs Valerie Bouillon-Delporte,

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