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 Sent: Thursday 13 September 2012 22:42
 To: 'Peter Rieger'
 Cc: 'Bufalini Costanza (UniCredit)'; VIEIRA Maria Helena (CAB-BARROSO)
 Subject: RE: Termin für CEO Unicredit

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Dear Mr Rieger,
 My apologies for not replying to your email earlier.
 I am sorry to disappoint you, but I am afraid I have to confirm that the President's other commitments mean that it will not be possible to organise a meeting with your CEO in the near future. I can only suggest that you may wish to contact the office of Commissioner Barnier (contact: Bertrand Dumont - bertrand.dumont@ec.europa.eu) to see whether he may be available for a meeting.
 Yours sincerely,
 Michelle Sutton

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From: Peter Rieger [<mailto:peter.rieger@unicredit.be>]
Sent: Thursday, August 30, 2012 3:08 PM
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Cc: 'Bufalini Costanza (UniCredit)'
Subject: FW: Termin für CEO Unicredit

Dear Mrs. Sutton,

Following our request for a meeting between President Barroso and the Chairman and the CEO of UniCredit at October 8th, we have now received a negative answer, signed by Mr. Cabral, which you will find in the annex to this mail.

Following the exchange of mails and the phone conversation I have had with you before the summer break, you kindly suggested that in case that a meeting cannot be arranged for the 8th of October, we should try to propose an alternative date for a possible meeting.

May I therefore ask you if you can propose us two alternative dates (if possible between October and the end of the year) at which President Barroso were able to meeting the Chairman and the CEO of UniCredit.

Many thanks and kind regards

Peter Rieger

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From: Peter Rieger [mailto:peter.rieger@unicredit.be]
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2012 11:35 AM
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Cc: 'Bufalini Costanza (UniCredit)'
Subject: FW: Termin für CEO Unicredit

Dear Mrs. Sutton,

As you can see from the exchange of mails between the Austrian Permanent Representative and Mr. Laitenberger, the Chairman and the CEO of UniCredit would be very pleased to meet President Barroso on October 8th.

We were told by Mr. Laitenberger that you will deal with this request.

At the end of this mail you will also find the official request, which was sent to the mail address of President Barroso on July 20.

Your secretary told me that you are currently in a meeting. Could you please be so kind to phone me at your best convenience in this regard.

Thank you for your kind attention

Peter Rieger

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Von: Johannes.Laitenberger@ec.europa.eu [mailto:Johannes.Laitenberger@ec.europa.eu]

Gesendet: Dienstag, 24. Juli 2012 19:00

An: GRAHAMMER Walter <OV Bruessel>

Cc: Michelle.SUTTON@ec.europa.eu

Betreff: RE: Termin für CEO Unicredit

Lieber Herr Botschafter,

vielen Dank für Ihre Nachricht. Meine Kollegin Michelle Sutton wird diesen Vorgang weiter bearbeiten. Mit herzlichen Grüßen,

Johannes Laitenberger

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Sent: Tuesday, July 24, 2012 6:45 PM

To: LAITENBERGER Johannes (CAB-BARROSO)

Subject: Termin für CEO Unicredit

Lieber Herr Laitenberger,

Leider konnte ich Sie heute nicht tel. erreichen und auch morgen soll es nicht leichter sein.

Ich schicke Ihnen daher ein kleines E-Mail mit der Bitte, nach Möglichkeit dem Terminwunsch der obersten Manager von UniCredit, zu der ja auch die Bank Austria gehört, nachzukommen. Die Herren Ghizzoni und Vita, Chairman bzw. CEO von UniCredit, würden gerne dem Herrn Präsidenten am 8. Oktober einen kurzen Besuch abstatten.

Herzlichen Dank für Ihr Verständnis und Ihre Bemühungen,

Walter Grammer

From: UniCredit - Group - Institutional Relations UE
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Sent: Friday, July 20, 2012 1:40 PM
To: Jose-Manuel.Barroso@ec.europa.eu
Cc: Peter PR Rieger; Modugno Barbara (UniCredit)
Subject: UniCredit / Visit of Chairman Vita and CEO Ghizzoni in Brussels 8
October / request for a meeting

Dear President,

On October 8th, the recently appointed Chairman of UniCredit, Giuseppe Vita and the CEO of UniCredit, Federico Ghizzoni, will be in Brussels.

UniCredit is one of the first truly European cross-border banks that has adopted its business model on the assumption of a fully integrated market for financial services within the EU. As a cross-border banking group, managing our liquidity and capital centrally is becoming key to function well in the current environment. It is for this reason that we fully support your efforts to create a Banking Union and look forward to seeing your proposals in September this year. A European supervisor will in our view ensure European financial stability, restore the Single Market in financial services and avoid unreasoned ring fencing of capital and liquidity by national authorities which is seriously undermining the Single Market as well as the efficient transmission of monetary policy in the EU.

UniCredit considers the Banking Union as an important element of a more comprehensive reform of the European governance envisaging a common political vision for fiscal and political union. The European Commission has an essential role to play in this regard and has proven to be a defender of the European interest.

In order to discuss this and other topics, we would be extremely pleased if you were able to accept our request for a meeting with Mr. Vita and Mr. Ghizzoni on October 8th at your best convenience.

Kind Regards

Costanza Bufalini
Head of European and Regulatory Affairs

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