

# Cabinet of Commissioner Kadri SIMSON - Minutes of VideoConference

## VIDEOCONFERENCE CONCLUSIONS

<b>Title</b>	<b>VC meeting with PAGE representatives</b>
<b>Date</b>	24/05/2023
<b>Participants</b>	<p><u>PAGE:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• [REDACTED] – Executive Member of PAGE</li> <li>• Maximo Miccinilli, Senior Vice President, Head of Energy and Climate Practice – Consultant (FleishmanHillard)</li> <li>• Ruya Perincek, Account Director, Energy and Climate Policy Lead (FleishmanHillard)</li> <li>• Two additional consultants from Fleishman, including one DC-based</li> </ul> <p><u>COM:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Helena Hinto, Barbara Glowacka (CAB Simson)</li> <li>• [REDACTED] (ENER.TF1)</li> </ul>
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	Disclosure authorization : <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES - <input type="checkbox"/> NO - <input type="checkbox"/> Partial (pls highlight unauthorized parts)
<b>Issues raised &amp; follow-up</b>	<p><b>Objective:</b> meeting requested by Fleishman on behalf of PAGE to take stock of EU-US cooperation and possibility of further cooperation with greater LNG volumes</p> <p>Intro by PAGE member with brief overview of EQT (largest natural gas producer on East Coast, committed to reduce methane emissions. Priority: increase infrastructure), followed by 3 questions to the COM:</p> <p><b>Q1: How are you strategically thinking about next winter and approaching the energy mix?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Demand reduction obligation</li> <li>- Storage obligation</li> <li>- Gas prices currently low – but crisis not over.</li> <li>- US biggest LNG supplier</li> <li>- Aggregate-EU (with possibility to agree on LTC outside the platform)</li> </ul> <p><b>Q2: Level of cooperation between EU/US?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Constant dialogue w DOE/DOS – Energy Dialogue annual Conference, <a href="#">Presidential joint statement of 2022 on EU-US cooperation on LNG</a></li> </ul> <p><b>Q3 : Possibility for the COM to support project and communicate about it?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- COM does not get involved in specific project developments, this will need to happen at B2B level, COM does work on providing a wider supportive policy context</li> </ul> <p>Conclusion – PAGE appreciated learning more about the context and dynamics – and in particular about AggregateEU. Hope to continue discussing</p>