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Office of the President Ms Ursula von der Leyen

European Green Deal Adviser

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Dear Mr

President von der Leyen would like to thank you for your e-mail of 2 December 2019 warmly congratulating her on her appointment as the President of the European Commission.

We have taken note of your comments on ways to ensure definitive, affordable and global climate solutions, and in particular the role hydrogen could play in this context. We thank you for sharing your opinion piece in the Financial Times and your book on the same topic, and your request for a meeting to discuss these.

President von der Leyen asked me to inform you that your e-mail has been transmitted to the Member of the Commission responsible for Energy, Ms Kadri Simson (e-mail: ec.europa.eu). Ms Simson is looking into the points you have raised and will respond to you rapidly.

Yours sincerely,

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