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Mr. Gusty Graas
Chair of the Committee
on Foreign and European Affairs,
Cooperation, Foreign Trade and the Greater Region
Chambre des Députés

Tallinn, 19th of October 2026
No 3-8/26-157/1

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Mr. Alessandro Giglio Vigna
Chairman of the Committee
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PETER ALESSANDRO,

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Ms. Evika Siliņa
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Saeima

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DEAR EVIKA,

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Ms. Rasa Budbergytė
Chair of the Committee
on European Affairs
Seimas

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Mr. Barry Ward
Chairman of the Joint Committee
on European Union Affairs
Houses of the Oireachtas

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Mr. Anton Hofreiter
Chairman of the Committee
on European Union Affairs
Bundestag

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Mr. Sinuhe Wallinheimo
Chairman
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Senato della Repubblica

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Chairwoman of the Committee
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