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To Ms Lolita Čigāne Chairperson of the European Affairs Committee Parliament of Latvia

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Dear Ms Čigāne,

We would like to thank you for your contribution to the session on parliamentary diplomacy on Monday 13 June 2016, during the meeting of the LV COSAC in The Hague.

Your willingness to participate as a panellist in this session along with Mr Hunko and Mr Moreno Palanques have contributed to an interactive discussion on parliamentary diplomacy.

We greatly appreciate that you have given your support to the success of this inter-parliamentary event. It has also contributed to the aim of the parliamentary dimension of the Dutch EU Presidency, namely to increase the involvement of national parliaments in EU decision-making.

Finally, we would like to draw your attention to a short video report and photo series of this conference, available through www.parleu2016.nl.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Tuur Elzinga Chairman of the committee on

European Affairs of the Senate

Mr Malik Azmani

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European Affairs of the House of Representatives