

Athens, June 6, 2014

Dear Colleague,

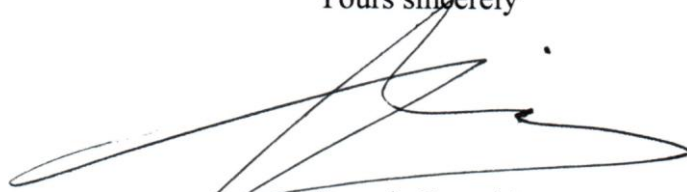
Further to your letter of April 2014, I would like to let you know of the following:

During the Presidential Troika meeting that preceded the COSAC Chairpersons' meeting which took place last January in Athens no specific commitment to include the Eastern Partnership issue was made; it was agreed that modifications to the draft agenda of the LI COSAC will be further examined according to timeliness and EU state of play, as we come closer to the date of the event.

Even though Eastern Partnership was thoroughly discussed during the Lithuanian Presidency, the Hellenic Presidency decided to include in the agenda the point “*Challenges for the EU: the crisis in Ukraine*”, taking under consideration the current developments in Ukraine, with the aim to exchange views on the impact and the implications that the crisis may have in the EU. I trust that during this session you will have the chance to raise any further points on the issue should you deem it necessary.

Looking forward to seeing you in Athens,

Yours sincerely



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