Proposed amendments to the Contribution of the XLVI COSAC by the German *Bundesrat*

Congratulations for the Bi-annual report. It will be a source of real important and useful information. As a result we suggest to enclose the following sentence after 2.7 (draft contribution):

"COSAC requests the European Commission to take the necessary steps to ensure that her replies to reasoned opinions or contributions within the scope of the informal political dialog can be transmitted within 3 month."

In respect of Nr 2.8 (draft contribution) the first sentence could be ambiguous and should be thought about. At least the *Bundesrat* did not criticize the treaty provisions itself. But he repeatedly noted that several Commission proposals did not take the provisions of the Treaty of Lisbon into account to a sufficient extent.