

Bucharest, 10 June 2019

To the attention of Mr Václav HAMPL  
Chairperson of the Committee on European Union Affairs  
Czech Senate

Dear Colleague,

Your letter of 9 May 2019 reached us and we are grateful for sharing your ideas and suggestions with us.

Indeed, deducing the Christmas, New Year and even Easter holidays from the eight-week period for the subsidiarity check is important and we have been asking for this over the years, too.

As a result, we considered your suggestion and inserted a special paragraph in the draft Contribution highlighting the need to reach an agreement on excluding the Christmas, New Year and Easter holidays from the period to submit reasoned opinions.

Naturally, we stay open to talk and look forward to welcoming you to Bucharest.

Yours sincerely,

Angel TÎLVĂR



Chair of European Affairs Committee

Chamber of Deputies

Gabriela CRETU



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