

On The World Bank & International Monetary Fund

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> Hon. Nick Hækkerup Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee The Danish Parliament Denmark

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Invitation: Parliamentary Workshop at the 2017 Annual Meetings, 10-11 October 2017, Washington D.C.

Dear Honorable Chair,

On behalf of the Parliamentary Network, it is my honour and pleasure to extend to you an invitation for the 2017 Parliamentary Workshop, which will take place during the Annual Meetings of the World Bank and IMF on 10-11 October 2017, in Washington D.C.

The parliamentary workshop will provide you with the opportunity to engage with senior IMF and World Bank experts and to expand on the addressed development issues, including: the strengthening of institutions, especially in fragile situations; anti-corruption and fiscal transparency efforts; investment in human capital, and greater international cooperation at the institutional and economic level; private sector development; and the financing for development in the world's poorest countries, among other topics.

The International Secretariat in Paris will prepare the delegation schedule and send it to you in due time. Sessions will be held in English. Participants are responsible for their own travel and accommodation costs, including transfers from and to the airport. It is important that you make your arrangements early as hotels fill up quickly at that time of the year. Should you be unable to attend this year's Annual Meetings, we would be happy to welcome your designated representative. Please note that we can only host up to two (2) representatives per country.

As a member of our delegation, we will also request your registration to attend the 2017 Annual Meetings - pending the approval of your country's IMF/World Bank Executive Director.

The deadline for confirmations is 11 September 2017. I invite you to confirm your attendance by filling the attached form and by contacting our Coordinator, Ms. Gergana Ivanova at +33 (0)1 40 69 30 55 or by e-mail at givanova@parlnet.org for more information.

I look forward to seeing you in Washington D.C for what is sure to be an engaging two days of discussion and learning.

Sincerely,

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