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Request for a meeting between Danish MP's and the European Commission concerning future EU regulation and the Danish mortgage system

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Dear President José Manuel Barroso,

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Thank you very much for your written reply dated 10 January 2011 to questions raised by Ms Meldgaard, Chairman of the Danish European Affairs Committee, in connection with the XLIV COSAC held in Brussels on 24-26 October 2010. In the Danish Parliament we continue to appreciate your commitment to political dialogue between the national parliaments and the European Commission.

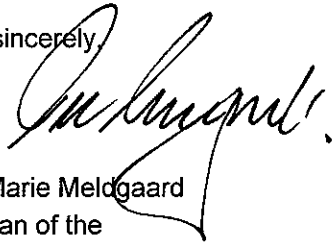
In your answer to the Chairman of the European Affairs Committee concerning the Danish mortgage system you write that the Commission in future regulation of the banking prudential legislation "will give due consideration to the concerns raised by Danish stakeholders in the context of the future liquidity standards". This position was also expressed by Commissioner Barnier to members of the Danish Parliament at a very fruitful meeting 16 September 2010 in Copenhagen.

As you are aware, the Danish mortgage system has proven resilient to outside instability during the recent financial crisis. The concern of members in the Danish Parliament is that the political importance of this system has not been sufficiently stressed on the European level.


The European Affairs Committee and the Business Affairs Committee of the Danish Parliament would thus like to propose a meeting with you in order to clarify further the concerns held by members from an overwhelming majority of both government and opposition parties in the Danish Parliament. We hope

it is possible to arrange such a meeting in Brussels within a foreseeable future.

Yours sincerely



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Chairman of the
European Affairs Committee



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