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The Commission wishes to recall that the Transparency Register is operated jointly by the Parliament and the Commission on the basis of their Interinstitutional Agreement<sup>1</sup>.

This agreement foresees that the common register shall be subject to review no later than two years following its entry into operation. Should any measure be envisaged to improve the functioning of this register, these will have to be considered and decided by both institutions within this process due to take place in 2013.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> OJ L 191, 22.7.2011