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Subject: *Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a Social Climate Fund (2021/0206 (COD))*

Dear Mr CANFIN, Dear Mr PÎSLARU

Following the informal meeting between the representatives of the three institutions, a draft overall compromise text was agreed today by the Permanent Representatives' Committee.

I am therefore now in a position to confirm that, should the European Parliament adopt its position at first reading, in accordance with Article 294 paragraph 3 of the Treaty, in the form set out in the compromise text contained in the Annex to this letter (subject to revision by the legal linguists of both institutions), the Council would, in accordance with Article 294, paragraph 4 of the Treaty, approve the European Parliament's position and the act shall be adopted in the wording which corresponds to the European Parliament's position.

On behalf of the Council I also wish to thank you for your close and swift cooperation which should enable us to reach agreement on this dossier at first reading.

Yours sincerely,

Torbjörn HAAC

Chairman of the Permanent Representatives
Committee (Part 1)

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