

Special Committee on Financial Crimes, Tax Evasion and Tax Avoidance
The Chair

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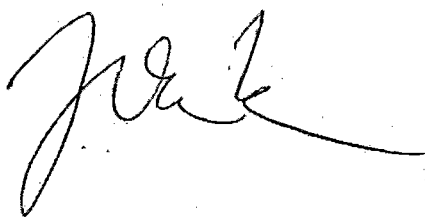
Dear Ms Owens,

On behalf of the Special Committee on Financial Crimes, Tax Evasion and Tax Avoidance (TAX3), I would like to thank you for your participation in the first panel of the public hearing on “Golden visas and other national schemes providing tax privileges (free ports, special economic zones)”.

Your presentation provided the committee with valuable information on the possible money-laundering risks linked to the practice of golden visa schemes. Members highly appreciated the quality of your answers to their questions.

Your contribution to the hearing was particularly valuable and useful for the work of the committee.

Yours sincerely,



Petr Ježek