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from: Mr Peter TEMPEL, Permanent Representative of Germany to the European Union  
received on: 21 October 2013  
to: Mr Uwe CORSEPIUS, Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union

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Subject: Committee of the Regions  
– Letter from the Permanent Representative of Germany – appointment of a  
member and an alternate member (DE)

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Delegations will find attached translation of a letter <sup>1</sup> dated 14 October 2013 from  
Mr Peter TEMPEL, Permanent Representative of Germany to the European Union.

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<sup>1</sup> with reference Pol 422.50 AdR.

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To the  
Secretary-General of the Council  
of the European Union  
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**SUBJECT: Appointment of a new German member and a new German alternate member  
from Lower Saxony to the Committee of the Regions (CoR) for the remainder of  
the fifth term**  
**NAMELY: Ms Birgit Honé, State Secretary**  
**Mr Sven Ambrosy, head of the district authority**  
**REF.: Pol 422.50 CoR**

Brussels, 14 October 2013

Sir,

On 11 September 2013, the Government of Lower Saxony decided to nominate the following persons for the remainder of the fifth term of the CoR:

- as a full member: Ms Birgit Honé, State Secretary;
- as an alternate member: Mr Sven Ambrosy, head of the Friesland district authority.

It became necessary to nominate new members due to the resignation from the CoR of Dr Krogmann as member and Mr Hogrefe as alternate member.

The Federal Government hereby proposes to appoint Ms Honé as a full member of the CoR and Mr Ambrosy as an alternate member of the CoR for the remainder of the fifth term.

I would ask you to initiate the appointment procedure pursuant to Article 305 of the TFEU.

(Complimentary close)  
(signed)

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