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Delegations will find attached the letter from Mr Martin Schulz, President of the European Parliament, regarding the Agreement on the European election recess period in 2014 for the transmission of delegated acts and RPS measures.

Encl.: Letter from Mr Martin Schulz, President of the European Parliament, dated 16 January 2014.



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The President

Mr Dimitris KOURKOULAS
President-in-Office
Council of the European Union

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Dear Mr Dimitris Kourkoulas, *dear Dimitris*

I am writing in relation to the draft "Agreement on the European election recess period in 2014 for the transmission of delegated acts and RPS measures", as forwarded to the European Parliament and the Council of the European Union by the Secretary-General of the European Commission, Ms Catherine Day, by letter of 28 October 2013.

I am pleased to inform you that the draft agreement has been endorsed by the Conference of Presidents of the European Parliament at its meeting on 9 January 2014. I would like to highlight the importance for Parliament of a good implementation of the general early warning as described in provision III of the draft agreement.

I have also written to Mr Šefčovič, Vice-President of the European Commission.

Yours sincerely,


Martin Schulz

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