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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Delegations
Subject:	European Court of Auditors - Resignation of Mr Vítor CALDEIRA (PT)

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Delegations will find attached a letter dated 20 May 2016 from Mr Vítor CALDEIRA, President of the European Court of Auditors, addressed to Mr Bert KOENDERS, President of the Council of the European Union.

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Luxembourg, 20.05.2016  
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**Vítor Caldeira**  
President

**Mr Bert Koenders**  
**President of the**  
**Council of the European Union**  
175, rue de la Loi  
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**Subject:** Request for cessation of term of office as Member of the European Court of Auditors

Dear President,

Yesterday, the President of the Portuguese Republic decided to appoint me as President of the Tribunal de Contas of Portugal. Before assuming this function, I hereby request, with reference to Article 286 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, that my term of office as Member of the Court of Auditors should cease with effect from 1 October 2016.

It has been an honour to serve the European Union as President of the Court of Auditors for the past eight years and as one of its Members since 2000.

*Yours sincerely,*

*Vítor*

Vítor Caldeira

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