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from: Mr Ivan Rogers, Permanent Representative, UK Representation  
date: 26 November 2013  
to: Mr Dailis Alfonsas Barakauskas and Mr. Juozos Bernatoniš, Presidents of the  
Justice and Home Affairs Council, Council of the European Union

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Subject: Council Decision on the signature of the Agreement between Canada and the  
European Union on the transfer and processing of Passenger Name Record data  
(COM(2013)529 final)  
Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement between Canada and the  
European Union on the transfer and processing of Passenger Name Record data  
(COM(2013)528 final)

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The purpose of this letter is to communicate the United Kingdom's formal notification, in accordance with Article 3(1) of the Protocol (No 21) to the Treaties on the position of the United Kingdom and Ireland in respect of the area of freedom, security and justice, that it intends to take part in the adoption and application of the proposal for a Council Decision on the signature of the Agreement between Canada and the European Union on the transfer and processing of Passenger Name Record data (COM(2013)529 final) and the proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement between Canada and the European Union on the transfer and processing of Passenger Name Record data (COM(2013)528 final).

I am copying this letter to Catherine Day, Secretary General of the Commission and Uwe  
Corsepius, Secretary General of the Council.

(Complimentary close)

(signed) Ivan Rogers

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