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To: Mr Jeppe TRANHOLM-MIKKELSEN, Secretary-General of the Council of  
the European Union

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**REPORT FROM THE COMMISSION**

**ANNUAL REPORT 2017**

**ON THE APPLICATION OF THE PRINCIPLES OF SUBSIDIARITY AND  
PROPORTIONALITY**

**List of Commission documents  
on which the Commission received reasoned opinions<sup>1</sup>  
regarding compliance with the subsidiarity principle from national Parliaments in 2017**

	<b>Commission document</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Number of reasoned opinions (Protocol No 2)</b>	<b>Number of votes (Protocol No 2)<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>National chamber submitting reasoned opinions</b>
1	COM(2016)861	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on <b>the internal market for electricity</b> (recast)	11	13	DE <i>Bundesrat</i> (1 vote) DE <i>Bundestag</i> (1 vote) AT <i>Bundesrat</i> (1 vote) ES <i>Cortes Generales</i> (2 votes) FR <i>Sénat</i> (1 vote) HU <i>Országgyűlés</i> (2 votes) PL <i>Sejm</i> (1 vote) PL <i>Senat</i> (1 vote) CZ <i>Poslanecká sněmovna</i> (1 vote) RO <i>Camera Deputaților</i> (1 vote) RO <i>Senatul</i> (1 vote)
2	COM(2016)822	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on a <b>proportionality test before adoption of new regulation of professions</b>	5	5	DE <i>Bundestag</i> (1 vote) DE <i>Bundesrat</i> (1 vote) AT <i>Bundesrat</i> (1 vote) FR <i>Assemblée nationale</i> (1 vote) FR <i>Sénat</i> (1 vote)
3	COM(2017)253	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on <b>work-life balance for parents and carers</b> and repealing Council Directive 2010/18/EU	4	4	NL <i>Eerste Kamer</i> (1 vote) NL <i>Tweede Kamer</i> (1 vote) PL <i>Sejm</i> (1 vote) PL <i>Senat</i> (1 vote)

<sup>1</sup> To qualify as a reasoned opinion as defined in Protocol No 2, an opinion must state why the national Parliament considers that a legislative proposal does not comply with the principle of subsidiarity and be sent to the Commission within eight weeks of the transmission of the legislative proposal to national Parliaments in all official languages.

<sup>2</sup> Under Protocol No 2, each national Parliament has two votes; in the case of a bicameral system, each chamber has one vote. Where reasoned opinions represent at least a third (for proposals under Article 76 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union a quarter) of all votes allocated to the national Parliaments, the so-called "yellow card" threshold is reached and the draft legislative act must be reviewed. 19 out of 56 votes represent a third of all votes allocated.

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4	COM(2016)821	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the enforcement of the Directive 2006/123/EC on services in the internal market, laying down a <b>notification procedure for authorisation schemes and requirements related to services</b> , and amending Directive 2006/123/EC and Regulation (EU) No 1024/2012 on <b>administrative cooperation through the Internal Market Information System</b>	4	4	DE <i>Bundestag</i> (1 vote) DE <i>Bundesrat</i> (1 vote) FR <i>Assemblée nationale</i> (1 vote) FR <i>Sénat</i> (1 vote)
5	COM(2016)864	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on <b>common rules for the internal market in electricity</b> (recast)	3	4	AT <i>Bundesrat</i> (1 vote) HU <i>Országgyűlés</i> (2 votes) PL <i>Senat</i> (1 vote)
6	COM(2016)863	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a <b>European Union Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators</b> (recast)	3	3	DE <i>Bundestag</i> (1 vote) FR <i>Sénat</i> (1 vote) RO <i>Senatul</i> (1 vote)
7	COM(2016)765	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2010/31/EU on the <b>energy performance of buildings</b>	2	2	NL <i>Eerste Kamer</i> (1 vote) NL <i>Tweede Kamer</i> (1 vote)
8	COM(2016)723	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on <b>preventive restructuring frameworks, second chance and measures to increase the efficiency of restructuring, insolvency and discharge procedures</b> and amending Directive 2012/30/EU	2	2	IE <i>Seanad Éireann</i> (1 vote) IE <i>Dáil Éireann</i> (1 vote)
9	COM(2016)823	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on <b>the legal and operational framework of the European services e-card</b>	2	2	DE <i>Bundestag</i> (1 vote) AT <i>Bundesrat</i> (1 vote)
10	COM(2016)824	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council <b>introducing a European services e-card</b> and related administrative facilities	2	2	DE <i>Bundestag</i> (1 vote) AT <i>Bundesrat</i> (1 vote)

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11	COM(2017)647	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No 1073/2009 on <b>common rules for access to the international market for coach and bus services</b>	2	4	ES <i>Cortes Generales</i> (2 votes) IE Houses of the <i>Oireachtas</i> (2 votes)
12	COM(2016)815	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the <b>coordination of social security systems</b> and Regulation (EC) No 987/2009 laying down the procedure for implementing Regulation (EC) No 883/2004	1	1	FR <i>Sénat</i> (1 vote)
13	COM(2017)275	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 1999/62/EC on the <b>charging of heavy goods vehicles for the use of certain infrastructures</b>	1	1	AT <i>Bundesrat</i> (1 vote)
14	COM(2017)278	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2006/22/EC as regards <b>enforcement requirements</b> and laying down specific rules with respect to Directive 96/71/EC and Directive 2014/67/EU for <b>posting drivers in the road transport sector</b>	1	1	PL <i>Senat</i> (1 vote)
15	COM(2016)750	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the <b>definition, presentation and labelling of spirit drinks, the use of the names of spirit drinks in the presentation and labelling of other foodstuffs and the protection of geographical indications for spirit drinks</b>	1	1	IT <i>Senato della Repubblica</i> (1 vote)
16	COM(2017)477	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on ENISA, the " <b>EU Cybersecurity Agency</b> ", and repealing Regulation (EU) 526/2013, and on Information and Communication Technology cybersecurity certification (" <b>Cybersecurity Act</b> ")	1	1	FR <i>Sénat</i> (1 vote)

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17	COM(2017)495	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on <b>a framework for the free flow of non-personal data in the European Union</b>	1	1	FR <i>Sénat</i> (1 vote)
18	COM(2016)850	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 575/2013 as regards <b>the leverage ratio, the net stable funding ratio, requirements for own funds and eligible liabilities, counterparty credit risk, market risk, exposures to central counterparties, exposures to collective investment undertakings, large exposures, reporting and disclosure requirements</b> and amending Regulation (EU) No 648/2012	1	2	SE <i>Riksdag</i> (2 votes)
19	COM(2016)854	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2013/36/EU as regards <b>exempted entities, financial holding companies, mixed financial holding companies, remuneration, supervisory measures and powers and capital conservation measures</b>	1	2	SE <i>Riksdag</i> (2 votes)
20	COM(2017)331	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010 establishing a European Supervisory Authority (European Securities and Markets Authority) and amending Regulation (EU) No 648/2012 as regards the <b>procedures and authorities involved for the authorisation of CCPs and requirements for the recognition of third-country CCPs</b>	1	2	SE <i>Riksdag</i> (2 votes)

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21	COM(2017)536	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010, Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010, Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010 Regulation (EU) No 345/2013, Regulation (EU) No 346/2013, Regulation (EU) No 600/2014, Regulation (EU) 2015/760, Regulation (EU) 2016/1011, and Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 (proposals <b>strengthening the reform of the European Union's supervisory architecture</b> )	1	2	SE <i>Riksdag</i> (2 votes)
22	COM(2016)683	Proposal for a Council Directive on a <b>Common Consolidated Corporate Tax Base</b>	1	1	UK <i>House of Commons</i> (1 vote)
23	COM(2016)685	Proposal for a Council Directive on a <b>Common Corporate Tax Base</b>	1	1	UK <i>House of Commons</i> (1 vote)
<b>TOTAL number of reasoned opinions received</b>			<b>52</b>		