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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Delegations
Subject:	Committee of the Regions - Letter from the Kingdom of Sweden - appointment of three members and two alternate members

Delegations will find in the annex a letter dated 8 December 2022, from Mr Erik SLOTTNER, Minister for Public Administration of the Kingdom of Sweden, addressed to Ms Thérèse Blanchet, Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union.

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Swedish Government**Ministry of Finance**

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Minutes
of government meeting8 December 2022
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Nomination of members and alternate members of the European Committee of the Regions

Government decision

In accordance with Article 305 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, the Government hereby nominates Marta Aguirre (V), Sigtuna kommun (municipality of Sigtuna), Pär Löfstrand (L), Östersunds kommun (municipality of Östersund) and Tomas Riste (S), Karlstads kommun (municipality of Karlstad), as members, and Mätta Ivarsson (MP), Region Skåne (region of Skåne) and Kristoffer Tamsons (M), Region Stockholm (region of Stockholm), as alternate members of the European Committee of the Regions until 25 January 2025 (see *Annex*).

Background

Samuel Gonzalez Westling (V), Ulrika Landergren (L), Emma Nohrén (MP) and Alexander Wendt (M) have resigned from their positions in the European Committee of the Regions. Tomas Riste (S) has not retained his mandate in the regionfullmäktige (regional council), which served as the basis for his role in the Committee of the Regions, and has therefore resigned from his position. However, he has a new mandate in the kommunfullmäktige (municipal council).

Sveriges Kommuner och Regioner (the Swedish Association of Local Authorities and Regions) has proposed that the following persons be nominated as members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions: Marta Aguirre (V) as a member in place of Samuel Gonzalez Westling (V), Pär Löfstrand (L) as a member in place of Ulrika Landergren (L), Tomas Riste (S) as a member on the basis of a new mandate, Mätta Ivarsson (MP) as an alternate member in place of Emma Nohrén (MP) and Kristoffer Tamsons (M) as an alternate member in place of Alexander Wendt (M).

On behalf of the Swedish government

Erik Slottnér

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Permanent Representation of Sweden to the European Union
Sveriges Kommuner och Regioner (Swedish Association of Local Authorities and Regions)
the nominees

Annex to III:3 at the government meeting on 8 December 2022

Ms Marta Aguirre

Title: Ledamot i kommunfullmäktige, Sigtuna kommun (municipal councillor, municipality of Sigtuna)

Type of mandate (a) electoral mandate

Period of the mandate (a) until 15 October 2026

Mr Pär Löfstrand

Title: Ledamot i kommunfullmäktige, Östersunds kommun (municipal councillor, municipality of Östersund)

Type of mandate (a) electoral mandate

Period of the mandate (a) until 15 October 2026

Mr Tomas Riste

Title: Ledamot i kommunfullmäktige, Karlstads kommun (municipal councillor, municipality of Karlstad)

Type of mandate (a) electoral mandate

Period of the mandate (a) until 15 October 2026

Ms Mätta Ivarsson

Title: Ledamot i regionfullmäktige, Region Skåne (regional councillor, region of Skåne)

Type of mandate (a) electoral mandate

Period of the mandate (a) until 15 October 2026

Mr Kristoffer Tamsons

Title: Ledamot i regionfullmäktige, Region Stockholm (regional councillor, region of Stockholm)

Type of mandate (a) electoral mandate

Period of the mandate (a) until 15 October 2026
