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| From:            | Permanent Representation of Cyprus to the European Union                    |
| date of receipt: | 22 October 2024   |
| To:              | Ms Thérèse BLANCHET, Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union |

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| Subject: | Committee of the Regions<br>- Letter from Cyprus - appointment of four members and three alternate members |
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Delegations will find in the Annex a letter dated 22 October 2024, from the Permanent Representation of Cyprus to the European Union, addressed to Ms Thérèse BLANCHET, Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union.

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AMBASSADOR, PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE  
OF THE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS TO THE EUROPEAN UNION

Ref: 04.02.002.010

Brussels, 22 October 2024

**Subject: Appointments of the Republic of Cyprus to the Committee of the  
Regions until the end of the current term 2020-2025**

Dear Secretary General,

I would like to inform you that the Government of the Republic of Cyprus has nominated the following members and alternate members to the Committee of the Regions, until the end of the current term of the Committee 2020 – 2025 in order to fill the vacancies that have arisen following the recent local elections in Cyprus.

**Members**

- **Ms Fotoula Hadjipapa** - Mayor of Municipality of Lakatameia replacing Mr Nikos Anastasiou
- **Mr Kyriakos Xydias** - Mayor of Municipality of Amathounta replacing Mr Andros Karayiannis
- **Mr Lefteris Perikli** - Chairman of Community Council of Apesia replacing Mr Louis Koumenides
- **Mr Stavros Stavriniadis**– Reappointed as the Mayor of the Municipality of Strovolos

Ms Thérèse BLANCHET  
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**Alternate Members**

- **Mr Stavros Hadjiyiannis** - Mayor of Municipality of Notias Lefkosias – Idaliou replacing Mr Kyriacos Xydias (appointed Member)
- **Mr Antreas Theodorou** - Mayor of Municipality of Polemidia replacing Mr Theodoros Antoniou Avvas
- **Ms Maria Christou** – Chairman of Community Council of Fasoulas Pafos replacing Ms Areti Pieridou

I would be grateful if the procedures for the new appointments could be set in motion. The personal details of the proposed candidates are provided to the annex of this letter.

Please accept the assurances of my highest consideration.

Sincerely,



Christina Rafti