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Delegations will find attached a letter from Ms Ursula VON DER LEYEN, President of the European Commission.

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EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Ursula von der Leyen
President

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Dear Chancellor, *Liebe Angela*

I would like to inform you that Commissioner Hogan has resigned from the Commission.

In view of his current portfolio, I have decided that Executive Vice-President Dombrovskis temporarily takes over the responsibilities as Commissioner for Trade, in line with the existing policy orientations and his responsibilities to coordinate efforts in our trade and economic relations.

Yours faithfully,

Ursula v. d. L.
Ursula von der Leyen

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