Mr. Szymanovicz

Answering to your mail dated the 3rd February 2011 I should remain some remarks concerning EU Budget review and to its targets.

There is generally known that R and D is one of the main sources of social and economical development in human society nowadays.

The EU budget calculates with the amount of money to invest 3 % of GDP to R and D.

My question is following: Is this amount calculated in EU budget and how it will be divided to individual member states? Or partly it will be saturated through individual member states, and how?

How do you supposed to divide the member state contribution between public and private sources? Regulation, motivation legislative means or what kind of tools could be adopted for the reason to reach the target?

My questions relates with real program and aims in R and D as well as with direction of R and D aims in EU and in individual Member states. There is comparatively big difference in potential among EU member states. As the to my modest view, the progress of R and D is to be regulated taking into consideration the processes of world big players.

Generally I agree with aims written in the "EU Budget review." Only I feel that there is shortage of tools how reach the stated goals.

The programme of R and D is the picture of ambitions of the EU for next future.

I hope that magic number "3 %" is not an estimate but the result of serious professional analyses, taking into consideration the progress of big world players as US, China, India, Russia, Japan and the others.

Thank you for understanding.

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