

PARLIAMENT OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC Chamber of Deputies Ondřej Benešík Chairman Committee on European Affairs

Prague, 13th December 2022

Dear Ms. President,

I would like to inform you about the opinion of the Committee on European Affairs of the Chamber of Deputies of the Parliament of the Czech Republic

on the Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the European Council, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions - Energy Emergency - preparing, purchasing and protecting the EU together /Council Code 13691/22, COM(2022) 553 final/.

The respective document was included in the agenda of the 19th session of the Committee for European Affairs and was scrutinized on 7th December 2022. According to the Rules of Procedure the Deputy Minister of Industry and Trade was present at the session to introduce the preliminary Government's Framework Position.

After the hearing of the rapporteur's review and after the discussion the Committee has adopted the **Resolution No. 120 in the context of the Political Dialogue** which is enclosed to this letter.

Yours sincerely

Ms. Ursula von der Leven

President of the European Commission Brussels

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Chamber of Deputies Committee on European Affairs

Resolution No. 120

19th Session on 7 December 2022

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Conclusions of the Resolution:

Committee for European Affairs

- 1. **discussed** this document;
- 2. **supports** the Government's Framework Position;
- 3. appreciates the good work of the Czech Presidency in the Council of the EU in finding agreement on a common procedure for energy security throughout the Union;
- 4. **emphasizes** the importance of European unity and solidarity for ensuring the energy security of the Czech Republic;
- 5. **emphasizes** that the transition to renewable energy sources will strengthen the energy security of the Czech Republic and the entire European Union;
- 6. **authorizes** the Chairman of the Committee on European Affairs to forward this resolution to the President of the European Commission **in the framework of the political dialogue**.