

**EUROPEAN COMMISSION** 

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Mr Volker BOUFFIER President of the Bundesrat Leipziger Straße 3 - 4 D – 10117 BERLIN

Dear President,

The Commission would like to thank the Bundesrat for its Opinion on the Green Paper on the Safety of Tourism Accommodation Services {COM(2014) 464 final}.

The Commission welcomes the detailed observations relating to construction requirements for tourist accommodation buildings, carbon monoxide risks, standardisation and others made in the context of the on-going public consultation.

Given that views from stakeholders on the subject matter of the consultation could be submitted to the Commission until 30 November 2014, a thorough analysis of all replies received is currently being carried out. An analytical report of contributions will be publicly available online<sup>1</sup>.

The Commission looks forward to continuing the political dialogue with the Bundesrat in the future.

Yours faithfully,

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<sup>1</sup> On the dedicated web page:

http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/health\_consumer/dgs\_consultations/ca/consultation\_20141130\_tourism\_en.htm.