



EUROPEAN COMMISSION

*Brussels, 21.10.2013  
C(2013) 6963 final*

*Dear President,*

*The Commission would like to thank the Senato della Repubblica for its Opinion concerning the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on measures facilitating the exercise of rights conferred on workers in the context of freedom of movement for workers {COM(2013) 236 final}.*

*The Commission notes with satisfaction the positive Opinion of the Senato della Repubblica and its strong support of this initiative.*

*The Commission can confirm that Article 5 of the Proposal would allow Member States to choose to enable existing bodies, structures or agencies to advise and support EU migrant workers to exercise their rights to free movement.*

*The Commission hopes that this remark addresses the point raised by the Senato della Repubblica and looks forward to continuing the political dialogue in the future.*

*Yours faithfully,*

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