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Dear Chair,

The Commission would like to thank the Assembleia da República for its Opinion on the Commission proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2013/34/EU as regards disclosure of income tax information by certain undertakings and branches {COM(2016) 198 final}.

The Commission proposal forms part of a broader package of ambitious measures designed to tackle corporate income tax avoidance by companies, which is a political priority for the Commission. The Commission appreciates the positive outcome of the scrutiny process undertaken by the Assembleia da República on this proposal.

The Commission looks forward to continuing the political dialogue with the Assembleia da República in the future.

Yours faithfully,

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