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Dear President,

The Commission would like to thank Camera Deputaților for its Opinion on the Communication to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions - EU Strategy on Combating Antisemitism and Fostering Jewish Life (2021-2030) {COM(2021) 615 final}.

The Commission appreciates that Camera Deputaţilor has analysed this Communication and welcomes its recommendations. Many of them converge with the Commission's Communication, such as the safeguarding of Jewish heritage at EU, national and international level; raising awareness about Jewish life; providing a platform for civil society dialogue and increased dialogue within and among its Member States as well as with partner countries outside the EU; strengthening education about the history of the Holocaust and the fight against antisemitism.

With this strategy, the Commission aims to use all the tools at its disposal and step up its efforts to prevent and combat all forms and manifestations of antisemitism, online and offline, and to support Member States in developing and implementing national strategies or action plans on combating antisemitism by 2022. It is vital to ensure that all illegal antisemitic acts are brought to justice.

The political dialogue with national Parliaments is an essential link to ensure European policy has a real effect on citizens' lives, including with regard to combating antisemitism and fostering Jewish life. The Commission looks forward to continuing this dialogue with the Camera Deputaților in the future.

Yours faithfully,

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