



EUROPEAN COMMISSION

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*Dear Presidents,*

*The Commission would like to thank the Cortes Generales for their Opinion on the proposal for a Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on adequate minimum wages in the European Union {COM(2020) 682 final}.*

*The Commission appreciates that the Cortes Generales decided to analyse this proposal and welcomes their conclusion that the proposal complies with the principle of subsidiarity. It welcomes the support of the Cortes Generales for the proposal's general aim to ensure that the workers in the Union are protected by adequate minimum wages allowing for a decent living wherever they work.*

*The Commission believes that the political dialogue with national Parliaments is essential for linking the institutions and the citizens of the European Union, and looks forward to continuing it with the Cortes Generales in the future.*

*Yours faithfully,*

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