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 Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council to strengthen the application of the principle of equal pay for equal work or work of equal value between men and women through pay transparency and enforcement mechanisms {COM(2021) 93 final}.

The Commission appreciates that the Cortes Generales decided to analyse this proposal and welcomes their conclusion that the proposal complies with the principles of subsidiarity and proportionality.

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,

Maroš Šefčovič Vice-President