

Vilnius, 27 August 2013

**Invitation to the L COSAC Meeting on 27–29 October 2013**

Dear Colleague,

As Chair of the Committee on European Affairs of the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania, I am privileged to invite you to the jubilee L COSAC Meeting to be held on 27–29 October 2013 in the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania in Vilnius.

At the L COSAC Meeting, we will discuss the state of play of the Lithuanian Presidency of the Council of the European Union, the implementation of the Europe 2020 Strategy, the digital agenda, and cover the following items: *European Elections 2014: Platform for Debate on the EU Future with Its Citizens* as well as *Democratic Legitimacy in the EU and the Role of National Parliaments*. In addition, we intend to organise an informal lunchtime session on parliamentary scrutiny during the meeting.

Please note, dear Colleague, that the draft programme of the L COSAC Meeting includes a novelty, namely, the COSAC Women's Forum. Therefore, I would like to kindly ask you to take gender balance into consideration when forming your parliamentary delegation.

You are cordially invited to the dinners with cultural programme on 27 and 28 October 2013.

Please find enclosed the draft programme of the L COSAC Meeting, general information and hotel registration forms. For more information, please visit to the website of the Parliamentary Dimension of the Lithuanian Presidency of the Council of the European Union at [www.eu2013.lrs.lt](http://www.eu2013.lrs.lt). On the website, you will be able to register for the event online.

You are kindly requested to register for the event **no later than 8 October 2013**.

Looking forward to welcoming you in Vilnius.

Yours faithfully,

Gediminas Kirkilas  
Chair of the Committee on European Affairs