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Dear Miguel,

Thank you very much for your invitation to the COSAC Chairpersons Meeting in Madrid on February 4th -5th. I am looking forward to meeting you in Madrid.

We received a draft agenda and we understand that the final agenda is going to be sent out soon. With respect to this agenda, I would like to remind you of the letter sent on November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2009 by 8 members of COSAC about the subsidiary checks assisted by COSAC. During the last Plenary Meeting in Stockholm, it was agreed that the role of COSAC under the new Treaty, including subsidiary, was going to be discussed at the COSAC Chairpersons' Meeting on 5 February with the ambition for the XLIII COSAC to wind them up.

It is very important for COSAC to start this debate soon now that the Treaty is in force. Hopefully, you will be able to make room for this debate on the final version of the agenda.

Yours sincerely,

Harm Evert Waalkens

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