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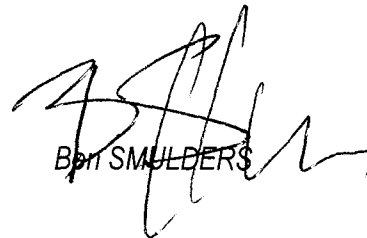
Dear Mr Igreja Matos,

President Juncker and First Vice-President Timmermans would like to thank you for your letters of 22 December 2017 and 11 January 2018 and the transmitted open letter of the European Association of Judges appealing for the amendment of current legislative reforms in Poland.

We have taken note of their content with attention.

The Commission will continue to follow closely the developments and remains strongly committed to upholding EU law and values in the interest of the citizens of Poland and of the rest of the European Union.

Yours sincerely,



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