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Ref. Tobacco Products Directive

hear Ambassader,

We are the professional body representing the interests of major manufacturers of tobacco and alternative products. We would very much appreciate the opportunity to meet with you and present our views on the Tobacco Products Directive (TPD).

The Council has received the European Commission Application Report on TPD and we assume that this matter will be discussed during your upcoming Presidency. Our members have obviously much experience with the application of the TPD and its application in all parts of the Internal Market. We would like to share our experiences with you, allowing you to get a view from a stakeholder perspective.

We are available for both a virtual and physical meeting.

We thank you for your consideration and look forward to your response.

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