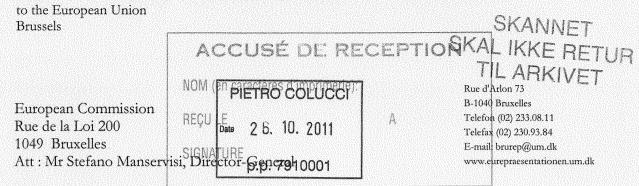
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Dear Director General,

In reference to your letters of 19 July 2011 and 11 August 2011 concerning the Danish Customs Control Agreement of 11 May 2011 and previous correspondence on that matter, the European Commission is hereby informed that on 14 October 2011 the Danish Government decided to abolish the said agreement. None of the measures foreseen in the agreement will be implemented. Customs officers who have been deployed as part of the implementation of Phase 1 of the agreement will be transferred to other assignments within the Danish Tax and Customs Administration.

The Danish Government wishes to express its appreciation of the constructive dialogue which has taken place on this matter with the European Commission.

Yours sincerely,

Jeppe Tranholm-Mikkelsen Ambassador Permanent Representative