

Mr Julian King Commissioner for the Security Union

## Inquiry regarding proactive measurements in the proposal for a regulation on preventing the dissemination of terrorist content online

Dear Mr King,

The European Affairs Committee of the Danish Parliament has recently examined the European Commission's legislative proposal for a regulation on preventing the dissemination of terrorist content online (COM (2018) 640).

The proposal's subject matter is of utmost importance to the security of the EU member states at a time when new means of online communication provide still more ways of disseminating terror-related content.

In this regard, the Danish European Affairs Committee would greatly appreciate some clarification and exemplification of the introduction of "proactive measures" in the proposal, as an important aim of the proposed legislation will be to counter online terrorist content using the most appropriate tools at hand

As part of the established political dialogue with the Commission, the Danish European Affairs Committee would therefore like to submit the following inquiry to the Commission:

"Would the European Commission elaborate on and exemplify the concept of proactive measures in its proposal for a regulation on preventing the dissemination of terrorist content online (COM (2018) 640)?"

On behalf of the Committee, I hope the Commission will be able to respond to this inquiry as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

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