

EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Office of the President Ms Ursula von der Leyen

Migration and Home Affairs Adviser

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Dear Judge,

On behalf of Ursula von der Leyen, President of the European Commission I would like to thank you for your letter conveying the concerns of the European Association of Judges with regard to the situation of judges and the judiciary in Bulgaria.

We have taken note of its content with attention.

The Vice-President responsible for Values and Transparency, Ms Věra Jourová, is looking into the points you have raised and will respond to you rapidly.

Yours sincerely,

Charmaine Hili

Honourable Judge José Igreja Matos President European Association of Judges

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