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Subject: Follow up of Com Sinkevicius & 3M | [REDACTED] = meeting with [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] - July 6 or 7 or 8
Attachments: The Chip Sector Has a New Worry in Plant Shutdown for Key PFAS Chemicals _ Barron's.pdf; 3M Discussion Paper on the EU Green Deal - 13 April 2022 - final version.pdf

Dear Ms. Fink-Hooijer,
Following a fruitful meeting end March between Commissioner Sinkevicius and [REDACTED] of 3M, we would be delighted to follow up and exchange views with you and your team.
In this respect, [REDACTED], [REDACTED]
[REDACTED], will be on 6-7 and possibly 8 July in Brussels.
We would appreciate meeting with you to discuss the Green Deal and CSS implementation as well as investment in strategic value chains in Europe.
FYI below the recent email from [REDACTED] the Commissioner with some documents, in particular our discussion paper on the Green Deal.
I take this opportunity to copy [REDACTED] with whom we had a great cooperation for 3M participation at UNEP in 2019 with your predecessor Daniel Calleja!
We look forward to having a fruitful discussion. I am at the disposal of your office for finding the best available time slot.
Thank you for your cooperation.
Yours sincerely,



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Subject: Follow-Up to our meeting and the case of critical specialty chemicals for semiconductor manufacturing and secured supply chains

Dear Commissioner Sinkevicius,

Thank you again for our discussion on March 29 about the EU Green Deal, the circular economy, and sustainable chemicals. As a technology company, 3M supports the objectives of the Green Deal and the Paris Agreement. Our meeting was also timely, as we have seen recently more discussion around the challenges facing the semiconductor industry for accessing critical materials within its supply chain. The need is clear for greater regulatory certainty to strengthen supply chain stability.

Manufacturing of semiconductor chips requires high-performance chemicals (such as PFAS). 3M today manufactures specialty fluids and fluoropolymers in Europe, both used in the manufacturing of semiconductors.

The availability of these critical materials has a direct impact on the security of global supply chains and on the potential for technology leadership of European leadership in strategic industries, including national security, aerospace and automotive, and electronics. It is important to avoid further supply chain disruption for these industries worldwide.

Our meeting was another important reminder of the value of a balanced, productive dialogue that takes into account sustainability and stewardship as well as investment and security of strategic value chains. The European regulatory framework needs to facilitate semiconductor investment and ensure a stable supply of materials with the production of chemicals that plays a critical role in European growth.

I look forward to continuing our discussion. We would welcome the opportunity to follow up with your teams on these issues. In this respect, I attach a recent report from Barron's financial media on the disruption of semi conductors' global supply chains and a discussion paper with our recommendations for achieving the Green Deal as well as strengthening the Single Market and investment in Europe.

Yours sincerely

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