



**PARLIAMENT  
OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC**  
*Chamber of Deputies*  
**Ondřej Benešik**  
*Chairman*  
*Committee for European Affairs*

Prague, 24<sup>rd</sup> May 2019

Dear Mr. President,

I would like to inform you about the opinion of the Committee on European Affairs of the Chamber of Deputies of the Parliament of the Czech Republic

on the Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the European Council and the Council "Steps to ensure more effective and democratic decision-making in tax policy" / Council code 5472/19, COM(2019)8/.

The respective document was included in the agenda of the 28<sup>th</sup> session of the Committee for European Affairs and was scrutinized on 15<sup>th</sup> May 2019. According to the Rules of Procedure of the Deputy Minister of Finance was present at the session to introduce the preliminary Government's Framework Position.

After the hearing of the rapporteur's review and after the discussion the Committee has adopted the resolution No. 224 **in the context of the Political Dialogue** which is enclosed to this letter.

Yours sincerely

Enclosure

**Mr. Jean-Claude Juncker**  
President of the European Commission  
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Resolution No. 224

**28<sup>th</sup> Session on 15 May 2019**

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**Conclusions of the Resolution:**

Committee for European Affairs

1. **insists on maintaining unanimous decision-making** in the areas of EU tax policy;
2. **supports** the Government's Framework Position from 12 February 2019 on the Communication from the Commission "Steps to ensure more effective and democratic decision-making in tax policy", Council code 5472/19;
3. **takes into account** of the Communication from the Commission "Steps to ensure more effective and democratic decision-making in tax policy", Council code 5472/19;
4. **authorizes** to advance the document along with the resolution and Government's Framework Positions to the Committee on the Budget for information.
5. **authorizes** the Chairman of the Committee for European Affairs to forward this resolution to the President of the European Commission **in the context of the Political Dialogue**.