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Excelentíssimo Senhor Jaime José MATOS DA GAMA
 Presidente
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*A 6.ª Com. p' indicação
 de 2 Dep. (com uma favor
 e outra área oposta)
 para representarem a
 na reunião*

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Excelentíssimo Senhor Presidente, Caro Colega,

Tenho o prazer de convidar os representantes do seu Parlamento a participar numa reunião interparlamentar sobre o tema "Fazer funcionar o mercado interno dos serviços: Situação actual e desafios a enfrentar", que a Comissão do Mercado Interno e da Protecção dos Consumidores do nosso Parlamento tenciona realizar em Bruxelas, em 27 de Abril de 2010.

Solicitava-lhe, pois, o favor de transmitir o convite em anexo do presidente da nossa Comissão do Mercado Interno e da Protecção dos Consumidores à comissão ou comissões competentes do seu Parlamento.

Apresento a Vossa Excelência, Senhor Presidente, os protestos da minha mais elevada consideração.

Jerzy Buzek

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Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection
The Chairman
IMCO-10-0041

To the Chair of the committee concerned

Dear Colleague,

The Directive 2006/123/EC ("the Services Directive") offers a number of benefits to domestic and foreign service providers; however, the complete implementation of the Services Directive is crucial in order for them to actually be able to reap those benefits. The deadline for the transposition of this Directive expired on 28 December 2009.

A number of difficulties have been experienced in the process of screening of the existing legislation and adoption of the horizontal implementing laws as well as setting-up the fully-operational Points of Single Contact. The European Parliament and the national parliaments should address those issues and thus contribute to the removal of the remaining obstacles that hinder businesses from fully benefiting from the Services Directive.

Due to these and other outstanding issues my Committee proposes to organise a meeting with the National Parliaments on the subject "Making the Internal Market for Services Work: State of Play and Challenges Ahead". The proposed event would be held on **Tuesday 27 April 2010** from 15:00 to 17:30 at the European Parliament in Brussels.

I would like to invite a maximum of two representatives from every National Parliament to participate at the event and to make a short presentation of your Committee's views on the subject. Should you be unable to attend, we would welcome any written contribution which could be distributed to our respective Members and other participants.

Please find attached the draft programme for the meeting. The practical details regarding the meeting will be forwarded to your Parliament's Representatives/Services directly responsible for relations with the European Parliament.

I am looking forward to your participation in our debates.

Yours faithfully

Malcolm HARBOUR

DRAFT PROGRAMME

**Inter-Parliamentary Committee Meeting of the
Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection
with the National Parliaments on**

***MAKING THE INTERNAL MARKET FOR SERVICES WORK:
STATE OF PLAY AND CHALLENGES AHEAD***

Tuesday 27 April 2010 from 15:00 to 18:30

European Parliament, Brussels

Room: ASP 1G3

(Listening room ASP 1G2)

Opening Session: 15.00-15.20

Opening Remarks by the Chair, Mr. Harbour

Comments by the former Rapporteur of the Directive 2006/123/EC, Mrs. Gebhardt

Session I: 15.20-16.05

The scope of the Directive 2006/123/EC and its exemptions

Debate with Members of the European Parliament and Members of national parliaments, including presentations by national parliament representatives, on the following question:

- Did the Member States encounter difficulties in transposing the Directive with regard to the exemptions mentioned in Article 2 of the Directive?

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Session II: 16.05 - 17.05

"Screening" - Removing barriers to market entry

Debate with Members of the European Parliament and Members of national parliaments, including presentations by national parliament representatives, on the following questions:

- How far did the Member States get with the screening?
- Do the Member States consider that barriers within the Single Market have been removed? What are the domains in which an improvement is still necessary?
- How did the Member States involve stakeholders (unions, social federations, service providers)?
- What level of support did the Member States receive from the Commission during the implementation process?

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