

World Economic Forum Professor Klaus Schwab GENEVA

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Dear Professor Schwab,

It was a great pleasure to take part in the annual meeting of the World Economic Forum in Davos. I am particularly pleased that my government was again represented by such a large delegation.

As in the past, the World Economic Forum organised an excellent programme that prompted many interesting and fruitful discussions. I especially enjoyed the 'New Momentum for Europe' session, which led to a thought-provoking exchange of ideas on the future of Europe.

Every year I am impressed by how the WEF provides participants with the opportunity to speak with such a wide range of leaders, from both the business community and the world of politics. I was fortunate to have many interesting and useful conversations in a relatively short span of time. The rest of the Dutch delegation, including Queen Máxima and the members of my government, were also grateful for the chance to come to Davos and engage in productive discussions.

I understand that my staff have been in contact with your staff in order to arrange a mutually convenient date when we can advance our dialogue over dinner in The Hague. I look forward to seeing you later this year and continuing our close working relationship.

Yours sincerely,

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Mark Rutte Prime Minister of the Netherlands

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