

To the Chairpersons of the National Parliaments

Brussels, 25 July 2019

Dear Chairperson,
Dear Colleague,

The Economic and Monetary Affairs Committee (ECON) of the European Parliament will discuss at its meeting of 24 September (14:30 - 16:30) a 2019 draft report on economic policies in the euro area.

At this occasion, the committee will debate on the assessment of the 2019 European Semester in particular in euro area countries, as well as on the priorities for the 2020 Annual Growth Survey, which will be the basis for the next year's Semester. Furthermore, the Council of the Union has adopted Country-Specific Recommendations, which directly concern your country. With this in mind, and building on the success of similar events in previous years, the ECON Committee would like to invite National Parliaments to attend this dedicated session at its meeting of 24 September.

Due to the high importance of the subject matter, we would welcome your personal attendance to express your committee views on the 2019 Country-Specific Recommendations that are addressed to your country by the Council of the Union and to comment on the draft European Parliament's report prepared in the ECON Committee.

The draft agenda, some questions that could frame the discussion on Country-Specific Recommendations, other supporting documents and the online registration form will be forwarded to the Brussels representative of your Parliament Chamber in due course by the Directorate for relations with national Parliaments. For further information on the meeting itself, please contact Ms. Bettina de Souza Guilherme (bettina.desouza@europarl.europa.eu) of the ECON Committee Secretariat.

I hope that you will accept this invitation and look forward to welcoming you in the European Parliament.

Yours sincerely,



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