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from : Ms Maria MELIN, Ministry of Employment of Sweden  
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Subject : Renewal of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period from  
21 September 2010 to 20 September 2015  
– List of candidate members proposed by Sweden

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Delegations will find attached a copy of the above letter.

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31 May 2010

Ministry of Employment Sweden

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Renewal of the European Economic and Social Committee

Please find enclosed the Swedish proposal for the renewal of the European Economic and Social Committee, 2010-2015.

  
Maria Melin

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**Ministry of Employment Sweden**

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**Nomination of members of the European Economic and Social Committee 2010-2015**

The Government nominates the following as members of the European Economic and Social Committee for the 2010 to 2015 term of office:

Ellen Nygren, Landsorganisation i Sverige (LO) (Swedish Trade Union Confederation)

Thomas Abrahamsson, Landsorganisation i Sverige (LO) (Swedish Trade Union Confederation)

Thomas Janson, Tjänstemännens centralorganisation (TCO) (Swedish Confederation of Professional Employees)

Paul Lidehäll, Sveriges akademikers centralorganisation (SACO) (Swedish Confederation of Professional Associations)

Christian Ardhe, Svenskt näringsliv (Confederation of Swedish Enterprise)

Annika Bröms, Svenskt näringsliv (Confederation of Swedish Enterprise)

Stefan Back, Transportgruppen (The Transport Group)

Erik Svensson, ALMEGA

Staffan Nilsson, Lantbrukernas riksförbund (LRF) (Federation of Swedish Farmers)

Ingrid Kössler, Handikappförbundens samarbetsorgan (Swedish Disability Federation)

Inger Persson, Sveriges konsumenter (Swedish Consumers' Association)

Ariane Rodert, Forum for frivilligt socialt arbete (National Forum for Voluntary Social Work)

For the Government

(s.) Sven Otto Littorin

(s.) Maria Melin

cc. the candidates



Ministry of Employment Sweden

**Annex I: Renewal of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period 2010-2015**

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Under the procedure for appointing members of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period from 21 September 2010 to 20 September 2015, the Government of Sweden hereby proposes the following candidates:

Ms Ellen Paula NYGREN

Post held: Ombudsman, Swedish Trade Union Confederation  
Group II

Mr Frank Thomas ABRAHAMSSON

Post held: Vice President, Swedish Trade Union Confederation  
Group II

Mr Thomas Mikael JANSON

Post held: International Secretary, Swedish Confederation of Professional Employees  
Group II

Mr Paul Henrik LIDEHÄLL

Post held: International Secretary, Swedish Confederation of Professional Associations  
Group II

Mr Ulf Christian ARDHE

Post held: Director, Confederation of Swedish Enterprise  
Group I

Ms Annika Kristina BRÖMS

Post held: Deputy Director, Confederation of Swedish Enterprise  
Group I

Mr Thord Stefan BACK

Post held: Manager Sustainable Logistics, The Transport Group  
Group I

Mr Erik SVENSSON

Post held: Director, ALMEGA  
Group I

Mr Staffan Mats Vilhelm NILSSON

Post held: Member of EESC, President  
Group III

Ms Ingrid Eva-Britt KÖSSLER

Post held: President, The Swedish Breastcancer Association  
Group III

Ms Inger Kristina Elisabeth PERSSON

Post held: Chairman, Sveriges konsumenter  
Group III

Ms Ariane Elisabeth RODERT

Post held: EU Policy Advisor, Forum för frivilligt socialt arbete  
Group III

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