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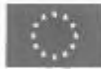
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Delegations will find attached a letter sent on 26 July 2019 by President-elect von der Leyen to President Tusk.

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Ursula von der Leyen
The President-elect

Brussels, 26 July 2019

Dear President Tusk,

Referring to your letter from 22 July, following the meeting of the European Council of 2 July and pursuant to Article 18 of the Treaty on the European Union, I hereby notify my agreement to the appointment of Mr Josep Borrell Fontelles for High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy by the European Council.

Yours sincerely,

Ursula von der Leyen

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