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Unit C.4 – Democracy, Union Citizenship and Free Movement

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In reference to yours message of 25 February 2024, registered under the reference Ares (2024)14398 (please refer to this reference in further correspondence), in which you accused the Prime Minister of intending to use the police to pacify the farmers' protests. You also mentioned the alleged arbitrary actions of the Polish Prime Minister aimed at creating the so-called "fictitious critical infrastructure" that was to justify the use of armed force against people.

You complain about the lack of legitimacy of political groups in Poland, claiming that this results from the cession of Polish national sovereignty to the USA, through various actions of previous governments related to registration with the US Securities and Exchange Commission. You also announce that if the Polish Prime Minister resorts to violating human rights, a request will be filed to initiate international criminal proceedings.

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I must inform you that the Commission is not in a position to respond to the allegations contained in your message.

I would like to emphasize that the European Union is founded on common values, such as democracy, the rule of law and respect for fundamental rights. The fundamental importance of democracy, both at national and EU level, is enshrined in the Treaties, including Articles 2, 10 and 14 of the Treaty on European Union.

Protecting democratic processes is a priority for the Commission's work. Under the priority "A new impetus for democracy", the Commission is promoting a comprehensive whole-of-

government and whole-of-society response to the current challenges and threats facing our democracies, in full respect of our European values, including democratic principles, fundamental rights and the rule of law.

I also encourage you to exchange correspondence with the European Union Commission on important aspects taking place in your country, in order to improve the security of citizens and democratic standards.

I trust that this information will be helpful to you.

Yours sincerely,

Electronically signed

Marie-Helene BOULANGER Head of Unit