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Dear Mr Copetti,  
Dear Ms Pipan,

Thank you for your letter from 21 March, informing the European Parliament about your planned Citizens' Initiative on European exchange programmes.

I am happy to see that you have found the European Citizens' Initiative a useful tool for your purpose. I have also been informed that your website correctly underlined how the initiative can be signed only after 1 April 2012, when the regulation will be officially in force.

In its effort to be closer to its citizens, the EU has created the Citizens' Initiative. I hope that your initiative will contribute to set another step towards this goal.

Yours sincerely,

**Jerzy Buzek**