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The Honorable Mogens Lykketoft Speaker of the Folketing Copenhagen, Denmark

Dear Mr. Speaker,

Thank-you for your interest and participation in the Parliamentary Intelligence-Security Forums. We have formalized plans for the next forum on 27-28 October in Washington, D.C. While we shall continue discussions to better understand intelligence procedures, we will expand the dialogue to include terrorists financing and cyber warfare.

As current military operations have had limited success against ISIS and other terrorists organizations, IT IS CRITICAL THAT WE HAVE A FULL UNDERSTANDING OF THEIR FINANCING OPERATIONS AND HOW WE CAN MORE FULLY EMPLOY METHODS TO INTERCEPT FINANCIAL TRANSFERS. U.S. Department of Treasury and banking officials will lead discussions on how we can increase our strategic collaborative efforts. Additional panels with current and former U.S. government officials and experts will address intelligence and cyber warfare with their related economic and security threats.

To date, we have confirmed the participation of: General Alexander, Ret., former Director of the NSA; General Michael Hayden, Ret., former Director of the NSA; and The Honorable Michael Chertoff, former Secretary of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. As in previous forums Congressional Leadership including Congressman Devin Nunes, the Chairman of the House Intelligence Committee, will also participate.

We have secured a block of hotels at the Capitol Hill Hotel for a rate of \$230.00.

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You can request the rate for "Parliamentary Intelligence-Security Forum" or provide the block code PISF15. You may also reserve a room(s) using the link below. When using the link, guests must choose the check-in date, check-out date, and select "Check Availability." https://capitolhillhoteldc.reztrip.com/rt/ext/promoRate?property=440&mode=b&pm=true&sr=1038 54&vr=3

We look forward to a very informative discussion of these critical issues in our united efforts to defeat Islamic terrorism. Please contact Stephen Billy at stephen.billy@mail.house.gov with any questions, or to RSVP for the forum. We will forward confirmation of additional invited Congressional speakers including Senator Burr, Senator McCain, and Senator Rubio, and from the Executive branch.

Sincerely,

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