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Joint Statement

of
the Delegation of the Swiss Federal Assembly for Relations with
the European Parliament
and
the Delegation of the European Parliament for Relations with Switzerland

To THE SWISS FEDERAL COUNCIL

To THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Referring to the Joint Statement of 19 February 1998 by the delegations on the establishing of a representation of the European Commission in Switzerland and in the light of the enlargement of the European Union:

Both delegations express their wish that the European Commission take the necessary steps to establish a representation in Switzerland in order to intensify the bilateral contact and exchange of information between the European Union and Switzerland.

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