



PRIME MINISTER

His Excellency

Mr. Ulf Kristersson

Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Sweden

Stockholm

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Dear Prime Minister,

Europe now faces an age of crises and uncertainties. In this context, the relationship between our countries – bilateral as well as in the framework of international organisations – is increasingly important.

I am convinced that strong mutual trust must be the foundation of any political and security arrangements between Sweden and Hungary. It is in this spirit that the Government of Hungary proposed the Hungarian National Assembly to ratify Sweden's accession to NATO. Mutual trust has also been a paramount consideration during the debates in our National Assembly.

I believe that a more intensive political dialogue could contribute to reinforcing the mutual trust between our countries and institutions thus allowing to further strengthen our political and security arrangements.

With this in mind, I invite you to visit Hungary at your earliest convenience to exchange views on all issues of common interest, including our complex bilateral relations, our future cooperation in the field of security and defence as allies and partners, and Hungary's approaching presidency of the Council of the European Union.

Yours sincerely,



ORBÁN Viktor