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### Partie 1 - Information sur l'expéditeur

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### Part 2 - Data

**Subject** Your proposal for the ethics declaration for EU civil servants  
 Dear Mediator,

I am flabbergasted by your proposal.

**Content** I am an EU civil servant, and we have the statute, we have the code of conduct, we have internal control standards, we have rules and procedures for everything (including missions). These written documents are applicable to all. The rule is the rule, for all. If you don't abide, you are sanctioned.

Your text is not only downgrading the European Public Service, but it is also and in particular decredibilising the ombudsman figure. A pity.

Charlotte Adriaen