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T +31104081751 E cvb@eur.nl W www.eur.nl/English Dear members of the University Council,

Thank you for your letter. Firstly we would like to state that we fully understand the postponement of the consent on the CLI budget of 2023.

Secondly, we will see to it that the budget formats will be harmonized as much as possible to enhance transparency.

In the third place, we agree with you that we did have a constructive dialogue on the boundaries of investments as far as innovative projects are concerned. Academic Affairs will work with the HeQa Taskforce to further explore boundaries and opportunities in line with project plans consented to. We would welcome a wider discussion with any member of the Council who wants to be involved in this discussion. The HeQa coordinator will see to it that ample opportunities will be arranged.

Finally, we will work with your Council on the further development of plans for the remainder of the HeQa budget. As we understand, members of the Educational Vision Taskforce might join forces with the HeQa Taskforce. We encourage this. You will receive notice about the process, as well as the invites, no later than March 30<sup>th</sup>.

Looking forward to jointly work on the enhancement of educational quality throughout our university,

The Executive Board of Erasmus University Rotterdam,

Prof. dr. A.L. Bredenoord Rector Magnificus

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