

# DECLARATION OF MEMBERS' ATTENDANCE PURSUANT TO AN INVITATION AT EVENTS ORGANISED BY THIRD PARTIES

PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 5(3) OF ANNEX I TO THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT'S RULES OF PROCEDURE CONCERNING THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR MEMBERS OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT WITH RESPECT TO FINANCIAL INTERESTS AND CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

**Surname:** Bütikofer

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**Forename:** Reinhard

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*I, the undersigned, on my honour and in full cognisance of the Rules of Procedure of the European Parliament, in particular Annex I thereof containing the Code of Conduct for Members, hereby declare, pursuant to Article 5(3) of the Code of Conduct, and the decision taken by the Bureau on 15 April 2013, that I have, pursuant to an invitation and in the performance of my duties as a Member of the European Parliament, attended at the following event organised by a third party where my travel, accommodation or subsistence expenses were paid or reimbursed by a third party:*

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Date: 17/07/2023

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**STATEMENTS INCLUDED IN THIS DECLARATION ARE MADE UNDER THE SOLE AND PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY OF THE MEMBER AND MUST BE SUBMITTED NO LATER THAN THE LAST DAY OF THE NEXT MONTH FOLLOWING THE FINAL DATE OF THE MEMBER'S ATTENDANCE AT AN EVENT PURSUANT TO THE BUREAU DECISION OF 15 APRIL 2013.**

This declaration will be published on Parliament's website.

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**MANDATORY INFORMATION**

	<b>INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED</b>	<b>TO BE COMPLETED ACCORDINGLY</b>
THIRD PARTY	Name, function and address of the third party who reimbursed or paid the expenses of the Member <sup>2</sup>	Bundeskanzler-Helmut-Schmidt-Stiftung (BKHS) Kattrepel 10 20095 Hamburg Germany
TYPE OF EXPENSES COVERED	Travel:	No
	Accommodation:	Yes Name of hotel: Courtyard by Marriott Hamburg Number of nights <sup>3</sup> : 1
	Subsistence expenses:	Yes
DETAILS OF THE EVENT ATTENDED	Dates (and duration) of the Member's attendance at the event:	30/03/2023 - 30/03/2023 (1)
	Type of event (if the event programme is not available for attachment hereto, give explanation in comments' section below):	Workshop

	Venue (country, city):	Hamburg, Germany
<b>OPTIONAL INFORMATION</b>		
COMMENTS	<p>Redner zum Thema “THE EVOLUTION OF GERMAN NARRATIVES ON CHINA”          Bundeskanzler-Helmut-Schmidt-Stiftung (BKHS)          In cooperation with the Mercator Institute for China Studies (MERICS)          For decades (West-)Germany benefited from China’s rapid economic growth and participated willingly in knowledge-exchange. Now the tide seems to have been turned; what are the political and economic motivations or conditions for the changing China narratives in Germany? Confronted with an intensifying great power confrontation; what are the chances for a new German policy on China now that Germany is implementing its first ever China Strategy?          30.3.: Frühstück und Mittagessen wurden vom Veranstalter bezahlt.</p>	

<sup>2</sup> If the third party is registered in the Transparency Register, reference can be made hereto.

<sup>3</sup> Separate declaration for breakfasts is not required.