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Dear colleagues,

I hope this email finds you well, hopefully already on your summer break, or about to start :)

Please let me share with you the attached invitation, that has already been sent to your Parliaments.

This invitation refers to the event "**Open Parliament Day 2025**", that the Spanish Congress of Deputies will organise in Vitoria, on October 6, 2025, together with the Basque Parliament, in order to contribute to open parliament initiatives worldwide. This event will bring together **legislators, academics and civil society representatives from different countries to debate and promote the fight against corruption**, amongst other topics. It will be an opportunity to share Congress' progress on open parliament and learn from international experiences.

We would be grateful if you could ensure that this information reaches the colleagues in charge in your Chambers/Parliaments.

I will remain at your disposal for any question related to this event.

Thank you very much for your always precious help.

Best,

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed an invitation from the Spanish Congress of Deputies, the Basque Parliament, the Open Parliament Electronic Network (OPeN) and the Open Government Partnership (OGP) to the Open Parliament Day 2025, to be held on 6 October 2025 at the Basque Parliament in Vitoria.

We remind you that the deadline for confirming participation is **15 July 2025**.

To confirm your participation, please reply to this email or send it to the address:

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For any queries or clarifications, please contact:

1. [REDACTED] (Responsible for the institutional interlocution on Open Parliament of the Congress of Deputies) at [REDACTED]@congreso.es

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Yours sincerely

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Estimado Sr., Estimada Sra.:

El Congreso de los Diputados, el Parlamento Vasco, la Red Global de Parlamento Abierto (OPeN) y la Alianza para el Gobierno Abierto (OGP) tienen el honor de invitarle al Día del Parlamento Abierto 2025, que se celebrará el 6 de octubre de 2025, entre las 14:30 y las 19:00 horas, en la sede del Parlamento Vasco en Vitoria. El objetivo es reunir a la comunidad de Parlamento Abierto para reflexionar sobre el papel que desempeñan los parlamentos en la lucha contra la corrupción.

Los Días del Parlamento Abierto se han venido celebrando en el marco de las Cumbres Globales de la OGP en los últimos años: en Georgia (2018), Canadá (2019), Corea (2021), Estonia (2023) y Brasil (2024). En ellos se han dado cita representantes legislativos, personal parlamentario y organizaciones de la sociedad civil procedentes de diversos países, con el propósito de compartir iniciativas, acciones y desafíos vinculados al desarrollo de la agenda global del Parlamento Abierto.

Durante el Día del Parlamento Abierto 2025 se abordarán temas considerados prioritarios por la OGP, tales como la transparencia parlamentaria, la rendición de cuentas, la mejora del acceso efectivo a la información pública, la igualdad de género, la participación plena de colectivos con necesidades especiales y personas con discapacidad en la toma de decisiones, el uso de tecnologías digitales para fortalecer la interacción entre la ciudadanía y las instituciones parlamentarias, así como la importancia de consolidar un espacio cívico amplio de participación.

El Día del Parlamento Abierto también será un foro para presentar el I Plan de Parlamento Abierto del Congreso de los Diputados aprobado recientemente.

Las lenguas oficiales del encuentro serán el español, el euskera y el inglés.

Por favor, confirme su participación antes del 15 de julio de 2025. Para cualquier consulta o aclaración, puede ponerse en contacto con:

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Atentamente,

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Presidenta del Congreso de los Diputados

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Presidenta del Parlamento Vasco

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Maria Baron
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Director Ejecutivo, Alianza para el
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Dear Sir/Madam:

The Congress of Deputies, the Basque Parliament, the Open Parliament e-Network (OPeN) and the Open Government Partnership (OGP) are honored to invite you to the Open Parliament Day 2025, to be held on October 6, 2025, from 2:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., at the seat of the Basque Parliament in Vitoria. The aim is to bring together the Open Parliament Community to reflect on the role parliaments play in the fight against corruption.

In recent years, Open Parliament Days have been held within the framework of OGP Global Summits: in Georgia (2018), Canada (2019), Korea (2021), Estonia (2023) and Brazil (2024). They have brought together legislative representatives, parliamentary staff and civil society organizations from various countries, with the goal of sharing initiatives, actions and challenges related to the development of the global agenda of the Open Parliament.

Open Parliament Day 2025 shall address OGP's priority issues, such as parliamentary transparency, accountability, improving effective access to public information, gender equality, full participation of groups with special needs and people with disabilities in decision-making, use of digital technologies to strengthen interaction between citizens and parliamentary institutions, as well as the importance of consolidating a broad civic space for participation.

The Open Parliament Day will also serve as a forum to present the recently approved First Open Parliament Plan of the Congress of Deputies.

The official languages of the meeting shall be Spanish, Basque and English.

Please confirm your participation by July 15, 2025. For any queries or clarifications, feel free to contact our team:

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Cordially yours,

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Speaker of the Congress of Deputies

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Speaker of the Basque Parliament

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