

Council of Europe
The Secretary General

Strasbourg, 11 April 2018

Dear Prime Minister, *Dear Prime Minister,*

Congratulations on the results of the general election of 8 April.

Hungary remains an active member of our Organisation and valued host of the European Youth Centre in Budapest.

At a time when Europe faces a number of significant challenges, the values of our Organisation – human rights, democracy and the rule of law – are as important as they have ever been. I hope that in the coming months and years Hungary will play an active role in strengthening our common legal space to the benefit of people in your country and across all of Europe.

I look forward to meeting you again in the near future so that we can continue our important dialogue.

Yours sincerely,



Thorbjørn Jagland

Mr Victor Orbán
Prime Minister of Hungary