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Dear Mr Pirsan,

I wish to thank you for your email of 17 January 2024 to Mr Mamer, in which you ask for clarifications related to Article 21(3) of the Renewable Energy Directive. I have been asked to reply to you.

Article 21(3) is a “may” clause, which means that transposition by Member States is optional. Therefore, the Commission services do not consider the non-transposition of this type of provisions as a breach of the Directive. <sup>(1)</sup>

Yours sincerely,

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<sup>(1)</sup> This letter expresses the view of the Commission services and does not commit the European Commission. Only the Court of Justice of the European Union is competent to authoritatively interpret Union law.