



Joint Statement by Executive Vice-President Henna Virkkunen and Commissioner Maroš Šefčovič

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We are concerned about the US measures adopted today restricting access to advanced AI chip exports for selected EU Member States and their companies.

We believe it is also in the US economic and security interest that the EU buys advanced AI chips from the US without limitations: we cooperate closely, in particular in the field of security, and represent an economic opportunity for the US, not a security risk.

We have already shared our concerns with the current US administration and we are looking forward to engaging constructively with the next US administration. We are confident that we can find a way to maintain a secure transatlantic supply chain on AI technology and super computers, for the benefit of our companies and citizens on both side of the Atlantic.

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