

Sorry I guess I cannot. I follow their timetable in publishing board members and I guess it is tied with their fixed agenda.

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Vicky Cann kirjoitti 13.8.2015 kello 16.41:

Dear Ms Korhola

Thank you for your reply. Please could you let me know the names of the two companies where you are now a board member?

Yours sincerely,

Vicky Cann

On 13/08/2015 14:21, Eija-Riitta Korhola wrote:

Dear Vicky

thank you for your interest on my enterprise.

I cannot say very much, since am still on my sabbatical. I won't work with my enterprise before my transitional period is over. Before being an MEP I worked on the same area, training companies, giving lectures and presentations, writing articles, doing radio & tv. So I guess there are same elements in my future work.

I have used my transitional period for further studies. I have completed and defended my doctoral thesis on climate politics with exceptional grade. I have spent some time in Tsinghua University in Beijing as a visiting Senior fellow. I have also passed an exam of an approved board member, a sort of certification qualifying to work in executive boards. The area where I would like to serve as a board member, is clean tech and energy. That's what I meant. I am now board member in two companies on that area but I hope to increase that activity. I think the EU knowledge is still quite poor in companies and therefore my contribution is needed. I think expertise and experience in EU decision making cannot be considered as overlap.

Best regards, Eija-Riitta Korhola

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Vicky Cann kirjoitti 10.8.2015 kello 18.57:

Dear Ms Korhola,

I work for an NGO called Corporate Europe Observatory which is a research and campaign group concerned with the access and influence enjoyed by corporations and

their lobby groups in EU policy-making: <http://corporateeurope.org/>

I would like to ask you some questions about your work as Founder of Korhola Global. It would be very useful to understand more about this from your side before we consider publishing an article on this issue. I would appreciate receiving a response from you before Tuesday 1 September 2015.

1. What is Korhola Global and what services does it provide?
2. Who are Korhola Global's clients?
3. What is your specific role, aside from Founder, at Korhola Global?
4. Your Linked-in profile says that you carry out consulting & communication work on European matters, energy and environment, human rights & conflicts. Is this additional to your work at Korhola Global? If so, what form does this consultancy take: is it freelance or via another organisation?
5. What consulting and communication work do you carry out in the field of energy and environment and for which clients?
6. Your Twitter profile says that you are a board member of Clean tech. What is Clean tech and is this a paid role?
7. Do you conduct any lobbying towards any EU institution, including the European Parliament and the European Commission on behalf of these organisations and/ or clients?
8. What overlap do you see between these roles/ work and your previous role as an MEP including your membership of the climate change and ENVE committees, and substitute membership on the ITRE committee?
9. Are there any specific issues which you have agreed with these organisations/ clients that you will not work on because of the risk of conflicts of interest with your work as a former MEP?
10. Have you claimed the transitional allowance since leaving the European Parliament? If so, how much has this amounted to per month?
11. Do you have any other comments to make about these issues?

I look forward to hearing from you; thank you very much in advance for your time.

Yours sincerely,  
Vicky Cann