

May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025

Ms. Nicole Fenyo
Executive Director
European American Chamber of Commerce – Greater Cincinnati
3 East Fourth Street
Cincinnati, OH 45202

Dear Ms. Fenyo,

On behalf of the Embassy of Portugal and AICEP – the Portuguese Trade & Investment Agency in Chicago, I would like to extend our sincere gratitude for the exceptional support and hospitality provided during our recent visit to Cincinnati.

The EACC Greater Cincinnati Gala and the business breakfast organized in partnership with DBL Law were both impeccably planned and offered an outstanding platform for dialogue between European and American business communities. We were particularly impressed by the quality of the participants and the relevance of the discussions — a true reflection of the excellent work led by your team.

Please also extend our special thanks to Ms. Claudia Schroeder for her support and professionalism throughout. Her assistance contributed greatly to the smooth coordination of the visit.

We were pleased to see such strong interest in Portugal and to have had the opportunity to present our country as a reliable and innovative partner. The presence of over 400 participants at the Gala — including high-level local and international stakeholders — underscores the important role the EACC Greater Cincinnati plays in fostering transatlantic ties.

Thank you once again for your leadership, dedication, and warm welcome. We look forward to continuing this collaboration and building on the momentum of this very successful visit.

With my best regards,

Francisco Duarte Lopes

Ambassador of Portugal