

**PETRU CONSTANTIN LUHAN**Former Member of the European Parliament for Romania

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Dear Sir/Madame,

Re: Mr Emil Mihai Lixandru

It is a real honour to write about Mr Emil Mihai Lixandru, the first and only Romanian national to work as a criminal prosecutor for the Crown Prosecution Service of England and Wales.

I had the pleasure to meet Mr Lixandru in the springtime of 2014 with the occasion of a professional visit I undertook in London, UK concerning unpleasant discriminatory circumstances that the Romanian community living in the UK became a victim of. By that time, Mr Lixandru was already a successful practitioner who had been living in the UK for some three years already.

As a lawyer, I would describe Mr Lixandru as a well versed highly qualified professional with a vast international experience whose results have made him one of the most appreciated overseas Romanian national and we are all proud of his achievements for which I am gladly congratulating.

Mr Lixandru is a disciplined person with a good time management, attention to details and leadership skills. He has pleasantly surprised me during my visit in London by proving qualities of a man who knows what he wants in life, always ready to act in the best interest of his peers, a human rights activist with a solid personality that emanates a strong confidence in himself.

Yours faithfully,

Petru Constantin Luhan, MEP