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Ambassador Angelina Eichhorst meets the Parliament Speaker Nabih Berri

Ambassador Angelina Eichhorst, Head of the Delegation of the European Union, met today H.E. Speaker Nabih Berri. Discussions focused on the situation in Lebanon and in the region.

Following the meeting, Ambassador Eichhorst said: "I had a very good meeting with H.E. Speaker Berri. I hope that the positive momentum created by the formation of the new government, thanks to the efforts of all parties, will translate into renewed parliamentary activity."

As stressed by the Speaker, Parliament plays the central role on a number of pressing issues, including the endorsement of the Government's Ministerial Statement as well as the election of the President of the Republic in the spring and the approval of a new electoral law for the parliamentary elections later this year.

Ambassador Eichhorst confirmed that the European Union will continue to support all efforts to preserve Lebanon's security and stability.