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The President of the EPP, **Wilfried Martens**, has warmly congratulated Yves Leterme on his appointment as Prime Minister of Belgium ending the political crisis suffered by the country during the last nine months .

"Mr. Leterme won the last elections in Belgium and I am convinced that he is the right politician to lead the country, which is facing important challenges", stated President Martens.

"I am also convinced that Mr. Leterme will have a positive influence on the European project. I am looking forward to working with him in the next EPP Summits", he concluded.

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