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**Subject: Your confirmatory application for access to documents under
Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 - GESTDEM 2022/0113**

Dear Mr Civillini,

I refer to your e-mail of 10 March 2022, registered on the following day, in which you submitted a confirmatory application in accordance with Article 7(4) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents¹ (hereafter ‘Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001’).

Your confirmatory application was submitted in relation to your initial application of 5 January 2022 in which you requested, I quote, ‘documents which contain the following information: A list of all Consignors and/or Exporters of food of non-animal origin identified by the TARIC codes "20029091" and/or "20029031" shipped from China to Italy between 30/6/2021 and the most recent data available at the time of your response’.

The initial request was assigned to the European Commission’s Directorate-General for Health and Food Safety. As you did not receive an initial reply within the statutory time limits, you submitted a confirmatory application on 10 March 2022.

¹ OJ L 145 of 31.5.2001, p. 43.

In the meantime, the initial reply in question was sent to you on 1 April 2022. In its reply, the Directorate-General for Health and Food Safety identified one document falling within the scope of your application, which contained the data requested. Full access to the document was thereby granted.

Against this background, the Secretariat-General will close your confirmatory application related to the lack of initial reply.

You remain entitled to submit a new confirmatory application in accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, should you wish to request a review of the initial reply of 1 April 2022.

Yours sincerely,

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Deputy Head of Unit