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***By registered mail with
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**Subject: Your confirmatory application for access to documents under
Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 - GESTDEM 2022/1932**

Dear Mr Bertuzzi,

I refer to your e-mail of 20 June 2022, registered on the same 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 31 March 2022 in which you requested, I quote, ‘[...] documents that contain the following information held by the Office of the President of the European Commission Ursula von der Leyen and her cabinet members and of the office of the Executive Vice-President Margrethe Vestager and her cabinet members.

¹ OJ L 145 of 31.5.2001, p. 43.

All communications between the office of the President of the European Commission Ursula von der Leyen and her cabinet members and the office of the Executive Vice-President Margrethe Vestager and her cabinet members in the context of the Digital Markets Act (DMA) concerning

- remuneration for digital content OR
- the role of publishers OR
- the role of rightsholders OR
- rules on fairness for the provision of services OR
- the inclusion of search engines in the context of the DMA (in particular in the context of article 6) OR * FRAND provisions OR
- the relationship of the DMA with the Copyright in the Digital Single Market Directive OR
- any communication with publishers or their representatives, associations or people acting on their behalf in the context of the DMA OR
- Article 6.1.kb'

The initial request was assigned to unit D.1 of the Secretariat-General 'Digital Transition, Industry & Single Market'. As you did not receive a complete initial reply within the statutory time limits, you submitted a confirmatory application on 20 June 2022.

In the meantime, the second initial reply was sent to you on 30 June 2022.

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

Yours sincerely,

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