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Dear Mr Harmsen,

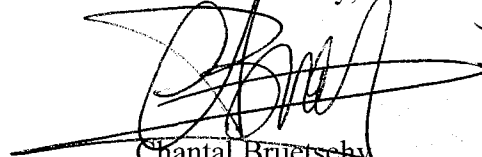
**Subject: Your application for access to documents – Reference GestDem No 2016/1299**

We refer to your e-mail dated 14/03/2016 registered on 15/03/2016 under the above mentioned reference number, in which you request access to *all correspondence (including emails), agendas, (working) documents, minutes of meetings and any other reports of such meetings related to the inter-service consultation on the Commission proposals on a) the cloning of animals of the bovine, porcine, ovine, caprine and equine species kept and reproduced for farming purposes, and b) the placing on the market of food from animal clones (between December 2011 and January 2014).*

We have so far identified the documents in the attached table (Annex 0), which we can disclose fully. We are currently consulting with other Commission services. As a result this reply does not yet cover all aspects of your request. Our aim is to respond to you before 13 May 2016.

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Yours sincerely,



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