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## **Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2017/947**

Dear Mr Cancela,

We refer to your e-mail dated 15/02/2017 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 16/02/2017 under the above mentioned reference number.

Regarding your request for *"the report of the intervention made by the European Commissioner for the Digital Single Market, Andrus Ansip, in the ECIPE Seminar "Unleashing the internal data flow in the EU"*, please note that there is no report of this intervention. The speech that Vice-President Ansip gave at this public event can be found here:

[https://ec.europa.eu/commission/commissioners/2014019/ansip/announcements/speech-vice-president-ansip-european-centre-international-political-economy-ecipe-seminar-free-flow\\_en](https://ec.europa.eu/commission/commissioners/2014019/ansip/announcements/speech-vice-president-ansip-european-centre-international-political-economy-ecipe-seminar-free-flow_en)

The related ECIPE study *"Unleashing Internal Data Flows in the EU: An Economic Assessment of Data Localisation Measures in the EU Member States"* is available here: <http://ecipe.org/publications/unleashing-internal-data-flows-in-the-eu/>

As regards the second element of your request, please find enclosed copies of the documents identified so far to be within the scope of your request:

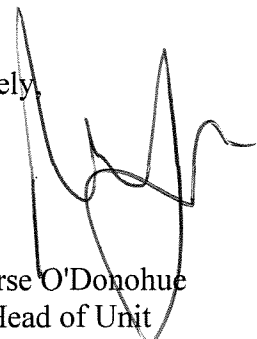
- Report from the European Cloud Partnership Steering Board meeting, 19 November 2012, Brussels
- Report from the European Cloud Partnership Steering Board meeting, 4 July 2013, Tallinn
- Final minutes from the European Cloud Partnership Steering Board meeting, 14 November 2013, Berlin
- Final minutes from the European Cloud Partnership Steering Board meeting, 13 February 2014, Brussels
- Establishing a Trusted Cloud Europe, Policy Vision document by the Steering Board of the European Cloud Partnership, Final Report, published on 18 March 2014
- Report from Workshop on Facilitating cross border data flow in Europe on data location restrictions, 26 February 2015, Brussels

- Minutes of the plenary meeting of the Cloud-Select Industry Group (C-SIG), 29 October 2015, Brussels
- Minutes of the consultation Workshop on the Free Flow of Data initiative, 18 May 2016, Brussels
- Minutes of the plenary meeting of the Cloud-Select Industry Group (C-SIG), 27 June 2016, Brussels

Due to the wide scope of your request, we are carrying out further checks for documents that might match your request. If such documents are identified, we will inform you within 15 working days.

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Yours sincerely,



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