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Subject: Your request registered under *Gestdem* reference No 2018/4598

Dear Mr Hai,

We refer to your e-mail of 27/08/2018, registered on 28/08/2018 under the above-mentioned reference number, by which you made a request pursuant to Regulation 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents¹.

You asked: "*Can you publish any documents which you have in relation to Galileo and Brexit?*"

Please find below the list of the relevant documents published on our website:

- The Joint report from the negotiators of the EU and the UK Government on progress during phase 1 of negotiations under Article 50 TEU on the UK's orderly withdrawal from the EU (see Paragraph 66):

https://ec.europa.eu/commission/publications/joint-report-negotiators-european-union-and-united-kingdom-government-progress-during-phase-1-negotiations-under-article-50-teu-united-kingdoms-orderly-withdrawal-european-union_en

- Slides on Security, Defence and Foreign Policy (including Galileo - Access to Public Regulated Service, p. 36-39):

¹ Official Journal L145 of 31.05.2001, p.43.

https://ec.europa.eu/commission/publications/slides-security-defence-and-foreign-policy_en

➤ Slides on involvement in the EU's space-related activities, including Galileo:


https://ec.europa.eu/commission/publications/slides-involvement-eus-space-related-activities_en

In addition, Michel Barnier, European Commission's Chief Negotiator, spoke publicly about the possible new partnership with the UK on Galileo after Brexit in his speech at the EU Institute for Security Studies on 14 May 2018: http://europa.eu/rapid/press-release_SPEECH-18-3785_en.htm and more recently on 31 August 2018:

http://europa.eu/rapid/press-release_STATEMENT-18-5403_en.htm

You can find more information on the ongoing Brexit negotiations on a dedicated website: https://ec.europa.eu/commission/brexit-negotiations_en

Yours sincerely,



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