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Subject: Your application for access to documents - GESTDEM 2019/1428

Dear Ms Rojas Paz,

We refer to your e-mail dated 20 February in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 12 March 2019 under the above-mentioned reference number.

You request access to documents about the fisheries agreement between the EU and Morocco signed by Federica Mogherini.

We regret to inform you that DG MARE does not hold any document that would correspond to the description above.

As specified in Article 2(3) of Regulation 1049/2001, the right of access as defined in that regulation applies only to existing documents in the possession of the institution.

Given that no such documents, corresponding to the description given in your application, are held by the Commission, the Commission is not in a position to fulfil your request.

In accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation 1049/2001, you are entitled to make a confirmatory application requesting the Commission to review this position.

Such a confirmatory application should be addressed within 15 working days upon receipt of this letter to the Secretariat-General of the Commission at the following address:

European Commission Secretary-General Transparency unit SG-B-4 BERL 5/282 B-1049 Bruxelles

or by email to: sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu

Yours sincerely,

João AGUIAR MACHADO [e-signed]