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By registered letter with acknowledgment of receipt

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Dear Madam,

Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2019/4466

We refer to your email of 31/07/2019 in which you submit a request for access to documents, registered on 01/08/2019 under the above mentioned reference numbers.

You request access for the period between from 1 January 2014 onwards to:

- a list of all lobby meetings held by any member of your team/staff, including the First Vice-president Frans Timmermans or any other member of its Cabinet, with CONSEJO INTERTEXTIL ESPAÑOL;
- all emails, minutes, reports, briefing papers or other documents received or drawn up before, during or after the meetings.

We regret to inform you that the Commission does not hold any documents that would correspond to the description given in your application. The documents to which you request access contain personal data, in particular email addresses and phone numbers.

As specified in Article 2(3) of Regulation (EC) No 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.

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In accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 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:

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Secretariat-General
Transparency, Document Management & Access to Documents (SG.C.1)
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Yours faithfully,

Olivier GIRARD Head of Unit