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Dear Ms Verheecke,

Subject: Your application for access to documents: Ref GestDem No 2021/4883

We refer to your request for access to documents dated 22/07/2021 and registered under the above-mentioned reference number.

You requested access to the following: "...for the period between 30 November 2015 to date, a list of all meetings held by DG Environment with the following representatives: Shell, BP, Total, ENI, Repsol, Galp and Equinor".

We regret to inform you that the Directorate-General for Environment does not hold any documents that would correspond to the description given in your application. 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 the list as described in your application is not held by the Directorate-General for Environment, the Directorate-General is not in a position to fulfil your request under the provisions of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001.

Please note that the list of meetings of the Director-General of DG ENV with organisations and self-employed individuals is available in the link enclosed below:

http://ec.europa.eu/transparencyinitiative/meetings/meeting.do?host=ca175ad3-c2c5-457e-8f6d-f17956bdcc4e

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:

European Commission
Secretariat-General
Transparency, Document Management & Access to Documents (SG.C.1)
BERL 7/076
B-1049 Brussels
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Yours faithfully,

eSigned

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