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**Subject: Your confirmatory application for access to documents under  
Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 - GESTDEM 2021/4734**

Dear Ms Berthélémy,

I refer to your e-mail of 17 September 2021, registered on 20 September 2021, in which you submit a confirmatory application in accordance with Article 7(4) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents<sup>1</sup> (hereafter ‘Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001’).

Your confirmatory application was submitted in relation to your initial application of 27 July 2021 in which you requested, I quote:

- ‘All preparatory notes and other documents (concept notes, summaries of the meetings etc.) for the preparation, organisation, running and evaluation of all the technical workshops on the revision of the Prüm Decisions that took place in the past year;
- All visual support or written documents (notes, online presentation, etc.) that supported the Commission's presentation at the online Informal videoconference of the members of the Working Party on JHA Information Exchange (IXIM) of 21 April 2021, as referred to in CM 2415/1/21, page 3, as well as from any other meeting that took place in the past year with the IXIM Working Party to discuss the revision of the Prüm decisions.’

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L 145 of 31.5.2001, p. 43.

The initial request was assigned to the Directorate-General for Migration and Home Affairs. As you did not receive an initial reply from that Directorate-General within the statutory time limits, you submitted a confirmatory application on 17 September 2021.

In the meantime, the initial reply in question was sent to you on 15 November 2021 (under reference number Ares(2021)7010782).

Against this background, the Secretariat-General will close your confirmatory application related to the lack of initial reply.

You remain entitled to submit a new confirmatory application in accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, should you wish to request a review of the initial reply of 15 November 2021.

Yours sincerely,

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Head of Unit