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Ms Leonie Hogervorst

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Subject:

Your request for access to documents related contact with ERT and Business Europe on 'contractual arrangements' - ref. GestDem 2014/703

Dear Ms Hogervorst,

I refer to your request, submitted on 6 February 2014 in which you request the following documents:

- Any reference to or documentation on minutes, notes, papers and other types of documents that include any form of contact between President Barroso, his cabinet and staff, and the European Round Table of Industrialists on "contractual arrangements", between Member States and the Commission, from September 2012 until the present day.
- Any reference to or documentation on minutes, notes, papers and other types of documents that include any form of contact between President Barroso, his cabinet and staff, and Business Europe on "contractual arrangements", between Member States and the Commission from September 2012 until the present day.

We have not been able to identify any document as falling within the scope of your request, which is therefore devoid of purpose.

Yours sincerely,

Marianne Klingbeil