Subject: Your application for access to documents EASE 2024/1156

Dear Ms Urman,

We refer to your request for access to European Commission documents registered on 29 February 2024 under the above-mentioned reference number.

You have requested access to the following documents:

All documentation (including but not limited to all email correspondence, attendance lists, agendas, background papers, transcripts, recordings and minutes/notes) relating to the meeting listed below.

1. Between EuroCommerce and Agnieszka Drzewoska on 14/02/2024.

Your application concerns the following documents:

- FISMA/1156 Meeting request (1)
- FISMA/1156 Meeting minutes (2) (ARES(2024)1465370)

Document number 1 originates from a third party. The originators of the document have been consulted in accordance with Article 4(4) of Regulation 1049/2001 to assess whether an exception provided for in Article 4 of that Regulation is applicable. The originators agree to disclose the document with redaction of personal data and any other information that can allow the identification of data subjects.

Furthermore, document 2 are minutes that were drawn up for internal use under the responsibility of the relevant member of staff. The minutes solely reflect the author’s interpretation of the interventions made and do not set out any official position of the third
parties, to which the documents refer, who were not consulted on their content. The minutes do not reflect the position of the Commission and cannot be quoted as such.

Please be informed that a complete disclosure of the identified documents is prevented by the exception concerning the protection of privacy and the integrity of the individual outlined in Article 4(1)(b) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, as it contains personal data.

Article 9(1)(b) of the Data Protection Regulation (1) does not allow the transmission of these personal data, except if you prove that it is necessary to have the data transmitted to you for a specific purpose in the public interest and where there is no reason to assume that the legitimate interests of the data subject might be prejudiced. In your request, you do not express any particular interest to have access to these personal data nor do you put forward any arguments to establish the necessity to have the data transmitted for a specific purpose in the public interest.

Consequently, access cannot be granted to the personal data contained in the identified documents.

In case you would disagree with this position, you are entitled, in accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, to submit a confirmatory application requesting the Commission to review this position.

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

You can submit it by asking for a review via your portal (2) account.

Yours faithfully,

John BERRIGAN


(2) https://www.ec.europa.eu/transparency/documents-request