Subject: Your application for access to documents – EASE/2024/1778

Dear Ms Klammer,

We refer to your request for access to documents submitted through the platform for electronic access to European Commission documents (EASE) and registered under case number 2024/1778, through which you requested access to details regarding any existing cooperation agreements between the European Anti-fraud Office (OLAF) and the Central Anticorruption Bureau (CBA) in Warsaw, as well as information concerning the exchange of data between OLAF and the CBA based on such agreements.

On 1 April 2024, your request was assigned to OLAF, which deals with it under Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents (hereafter, ‘Regulation 1049/2001’).

We regret to inform you that OLAF does not hold any documents that would correspond to the description given in your application, since there is currently no Administrative Cooperation Agreement between OLAF and the CBA.

As specified in Article 2(3) of Regulation 1049/2001, the right of access as defined in that Regulation applies only to existing documents in the possession of the institution.

Given that OLAF does not hold a document corresponding to the description given in your application, OLAF is not in a position to fulfil your request.

In accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation 1049/2001, you are entitled to make a confirmatory application requesting OLAF to review this position. Pursuant to Article 4 of Commission Decision 2001/937/EC, ECSC, Euratom, such a confirmatory application should be addressed within 15 working days upon receipt of this letter to the Director General of OLAF.

Any confirmatory application to OLAF should be sent to the following address:

Mr Ville ITÄLÄ
Director-General OLAF
European Commission

1 OJ L 145, 31.05.2001, p. 43.
Your attention is drawn to the privacy notice below.

Yours sincerely,

Signed Electronically

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