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Subject: Extension of the deadline to reply to your request for public access to documents of 26 August 2015

Ref.: PAD 2015/93

Dear Ms Schimpf, Mrs Bas-Defossez and Mr Pushkarev,

Further to our letter dated 28 August 2015, by means of which we acknowledged the receipt of your request for public access to documents PAD 2015/93, I would like to reiterate the fact that your request is being processed as quickly as possible in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 on public access to documents¹.

However, we regret to inform you that due to the fact that EFSA is still in the process of clarifying the confidential status of the requested documents, we have to extend the deadline by 15 working days in accordance with article 7(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001. Please accept our apologies.

You will receive an answer by 7th October 2015 at the latest.

Yours sincerely,

Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents, OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43-48, applicable to EFSA.