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***By registered letter with acknowledgment
of receipt***

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Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2016/1526

Dear Mr Whewell,

I refer to your email of 28 March 2016 concerning your request for access to documents registered under the reference number GestDem 2016/1526.

You request access to reports of an evaluation study which has allegedly begun in April 2015 concerning the requirement of the Spanish authorities of marriage registration in the country of the EU citizen prior to granting a visa for entry of a Non-EU spouse.

Furthermore, you request the contact details of the civil servants conducting the evaluation.

I regret to inform you that we have not been able to identify any documents to which you refer in your application.

In accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation 1049/2001, you are entitled to make a confirmatory application requesting the Commission to review this position.

Such a confirmatory application should be addressed within 15 working days upon receipt of this letter to the Secretary-General of the Commission at the following address:

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Yours sincerely,



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