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**Subject: Your application for access to documents in accordance with Regulation 1049/2001– Ref. GestDem 2016/1572**

Dear Ms Cann,

We refer to your e-mail dated 29 March 2016 and registered on 30 March 2016 under the above-mentioned reference number.

In your e-mail, you request access to *"copies of applications by former Commissioner Neelie Kroes which seeks Commission authorisation for new professional activities with Salesforce under the commissioner code of conduct: <http://investor.salesforce.com/about-us/investor/investor-news/investor-news-details/2016/Salesforce-Announces-Appointment-of-Neelie-Kroes-to-its-Board-of-Directors/default.aspx>. I would further like to request any emails, correspondence and meeting notes which relate to this application; all opinions from the ad hoc ethical committee; and copies of the Commission's final decision."*

I would like to inform you that the Commission has not received any application for authorisation of a post-mandate activity in Salesforce from former Commissioner Ms Kroes.

Given that no documents were found that would correspond to the description given in your application, your request is devoid of purpose.

In accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation 1049/2001, if you wish to appeal against this decision, you should write to the Commission Secretary-General at the address [sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu](mailto:sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu).

You have fifteen working days from receipt of this letter in which to appeal.



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