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Dear Mr Devoldere,

Subject:

Your application for access to documents - Ref GestDem No

2016/6171

We refer to your email dated 01/11/2016 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 04/11/2016 under the above mentioned reference number.

Your application is currently being handled. However, we will not be in a position to complete the handling of your application within the time limit of 15 working days, which expires on 25/11/2016.

An extended time limit is needed as your application necessitates the examination of a large number of files and extensive consultation.

Therefore, we have to extend the time limit with 15 working days in accordance with Article 7(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to documents. The new time limit expires on 16/12/2016.

We apologise for this delay and for any inconvenience this may cause.

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Yours sincerely,

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