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Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2017/4674

Dear Mr Rose,

We refer to your e-mail dated 07/08/2017 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 11/08/2017 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 04/09/2017.

An extended time limit is needed as your application concerns a document, which contains information originating from third parties who are being consulted.

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 22/09/2017.

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

Yours sincerely,