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By registered letter:

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Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2017/5609

Dear Mr. Poola,

I refer to your e-mail dated 18/09/2017 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 27/09/2017 under the above-mentioned reference number.

Your request concerns documents related to the *Commission Proposal COM(2016)157 for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the rules on the making available on the market of CE marked fertilised products and amending Regulations (EC) No 1069/2009 and EC No 1107/2009*.

Please be aware that the Directorate-General Neighborhood and Enlargement Negotiations (DG NEAR) does not hold any document that would correspond to the description given in your application, since this topic does not fall into our competence.

As specified in Article 2(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents¹, the right of access as defined in the regulation applies only to existing documents in the possession of the relevant service within the institution.

¹ Official Journal L 145 of 31.5.2001, p. 43.

Your request will in fact be handled by the competent Directorates General which will send you a reply.


Even though we are not associated to this Commission proposal and we are not in possession of the requested documents, for reasons of good order, we add the standard paragraph for legal remedies.

In accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, you are entitled to make a confirmatory application requesting a review of 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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