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Subject: Your application for access to documents

Ref. N° GESTDEM 2017/6225

Dear Ms da Silva,

We refer to your e-mail dated 27 October 2017 in which you make a request for access to:

-"all exchanges between Commissioner Katainen, his office and his Cabinet, with Goldman Sachs since 1 June 2016. Specifically, [I would like to request] any emails, correspondence, meeting notes or telephone call notes."

Your application is currently being handled. However, in order to retrieve the documents requested, large files have to be examined and we will, as a consequence, not be in a position to complete the handling of your application within the time limit of 15 working days. Therefore, we have to extend the time limit by 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 12 December 2017.

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

Karola Maxianova