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Ms Carola Solé

Subject: Your request for access to documents of 11 February 2019

Our ref: 2019/028

Dear Ms Solé,

Thank you for your request for access to documents, which the EEAS has examined in the framework of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001¹.

Following your request, we made a search in the EEAS filing systems, the document management databases and archives, but were unable to identify any documents matching your request. We therefore contacted the EEAS competent services, which explained the following.

1. Regarding your request to receive the minutes of the meetings for the preparation of the statements of the HRVP Mogherini, on behalf of the EU on the crisis in Venezuela, which were made public on 23 and 26 January 2019:

The EEAS does not hold any such minutes of meetings, since the statements on 23 and 26 January 2019 were not prepared through meetings.

2. On your second request, to receive documents regarding HRVP Mogherini's round of contacts on the situation in Venezuela, especially with the Spanish Prime Minister Pedro Sánchez and with the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Cuba, Bruno Rodríguez Parrilla:

The discussions referred to in your request, around the above-mentioned dates, were made through direct phone calls from the High Representative.

Therefore, I regret to inform you that the EEAS does not hold any documents of those conversations.

Yours sincerely,

Gabriele Visentin

¹ Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents (hereafter the "Regulation").