Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2019/2004

Dear Ms Rojas,

I refer to your application dated 29 March 2019 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 1 April 2019 under the above-mentioned reference number. In accordance with Article 7(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to documents, the limit for the reply to the request was extended until 20 May 2019.

You request concerns:

"[...] All documents – including but not limited to minutes, notes, audio recordings, verbatim reports, operational conclusions, e-mails, and presentations – produced, exchanged and related to the meeting between Alain Paul Lebeaupin, Apostolic Nuncio, Head of the Mission of the Holy See to the European Union and at the time:

- Kristalina Georgieva, Vice-President of the EC in charge of Budget and Human Resources [...] 02/06/2015. [...]"

Please note that due to the scope of your original request covering also areas falling under the responsibility of other Directorates-General, parts of your request have been attributed to other Directorates-General under following different reference numbers:

GestDem 2019/2000 - SG
GestDem 2019/2001 - DG ECHO
GestDem 2019/2002 - DG SANTE
GestDem 2019/2003 -DG REGIO

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I regret to inform you that the Commission does not hold any documents that would correspond to the description given in your application.

As specified in Article 2(3) of Regulation (EC) 1049/2001, the right of access as defined in that regulation applies only to existing documents in the possession of the institution.

Given that no such documents, corresponding to the description given in your application, are held by the Commission, the Commission is not in a position to fulfil your request.

In accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) 1049/2001, you are entitled to make a confirmatory application requesting the Commission to review this position.

Such a confirmatory application should be addressed within 15 working days upon receipt of this letter to the Secretariat-General of the Commission at the following address:

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Secretariat-General
Transparency, Document Management & Access to Documents (SG.C.1)
BERL 7/076
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Yours faithfully,

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