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By registered letter with acknowledgment of receipt

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Advance copy by email

Dear Madam,

Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2019/4304

We refer to your e-mail dated 22/07/2019 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 23/07/2019 under the above-mentioned reference number.

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

As specified in Article 2(3) of Regulation (EC) No 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 JRC, the JRC is not in a position to fulfil your request.

In accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 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:

European Commission
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Commission européenne, B-1049 Bruxelles / Europese Commissie, B-1049 Brussel - Belgium. Telephone: (32-2) 299 11 11. Office: CDMA 6/162. Telephone: direct line (32-2) 2995548.

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Yours faithfully,

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