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Dear Ms Marti,

Thank you for your request for access to document, in which you requested documents related to “a database with the total plastic bags produced in Spain in 2017 and 2018, specifying how much each company produce and in what types of bags”.

Unfortunately, such a database as you refer to does not exist, and therefore we cannot reply positively to your request.

In June 2018, the Commission adopted Implementing Decision laying down the methodology for Member States to calculate the consumption of lightweight plastic carrier bags (2018/896)¹. The first period over which data has to be reported is from 27 May until 31 December 2018. The data must be reported by 30 June 2020, that is, 18 months after of the end of the first reporting period.

I hope you will find this information useful.

Yours faithfully,

(e-signed)

Sarah NELEN
Head of Unit

¹ OJ L 160, 25.6.2018, p. 6–10

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