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Mr. Justus Kiikeri
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Dear Mr Kiikeri,

Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref. GESTDEM 2020/3241

We refer to your e-mail dated 27/5/2020 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on the same date under the above-mentioned reference number.

You request access to documents, which include information on the following:

“The details of the programmes (spending, projects, beneficiaries, etc.) set up in Ukraine and Tunisia between 2010 and 2020, as part of the IcSP - The Compendium between 2010 and 2020 of the IcSP - The Annual Action Programs of the IcSP (in Tunisia and Ukraine) - The Calls for Proposals of the IcSP in Tunisia and Ukraine”

Regarding the part of your request that concerns documents including information on the details of the programs set up in Ukraine and Tunisia as well as calls for proposals of the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP) in Tunisia, please find enclosed:

- A list of projects implemented in Ukraine during the period indicated.
- A list of projects implemented in Tunisia during the period indicated. The list includes an indication of the projects resulting from a call for proposals.
- A guidance note for calls for proposals in 2017.

Regarding the part of your request that concerns a compendium between 2010 and 2020 of the IcSP, Annual Action Programs of the IcSP and calls for proposal of the IcSP in Ukraine, I regret to inform you that the Commission does not hold any documents that would correspond to the description given in your application.

Specifically, concerning the Annual Action Programs of the IcSP in Tunisia and Ukraine, please note that the IcSP is a crisis response programme and we do not prepare Annual Action Programmes. There is no Compendium of the IcSP and there are no calls for proposals concerning projects implemented in Ukraine either.

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 Commission, the Commission is not in a position to fulfil the abovementioned part of 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
Secretariat-General
Transparency, Document Management & Access to Documents (SG.C.1)
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B-1049 Brussels

or by email to: sg-xxxxxxx@xx.xxxxxx.xx

Yours sincerely,

Hilde HARDEMAN

ENC: List of IcSP projects implemented in Ukraine; List of IcSP projects implemented in Tunisia; Guidance note call in Tunisia in 2017