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**Subject: Your access to documents application – Ref. Gestdem 2020/3539**

Dear Mr Schindler,

We refer to your e-mail dated 8 June 2020 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 10 June 2020 under the above-mentioned reference number.

We acknowledge that you have made similar requests to other services of the Commission. Each Directorate-General provides its own, separate reply, which relates only to the documents held by that Service.

Thus, this reply covers the documents held by the Directorate General for Climate Action. The scope of your request covers “*any information related to Palantir and its products and services, including:*

- i. Meeting records (drafts, memos, invitations, appointments, cancellations) involving Palantir officials and people representing Palantir and their interests*
- ii. Correspondence (including within the [Authority name] and with the European institutions concerning Palantir technologies and / or its products and services or the regulatory environment of the EU that affects their products and services. This may include policy papers, consultation input, memoranda or any other form of information.*

- iii. *Invoices, tenders, service agreements, purchases, orders, procurement documents, offers etc. concerning products and services using Palantir Technologies.*

We regret to inform you that DG CLIMA 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 Commission, the Commission 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  
Secretariat-General  
Transparency, Document Management & Access to Documents (SG.C.1)  
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or by email to: [sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu](mailto:sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu)

Yours sincerely,

*(e-signed)*

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