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Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2020/4373

Dear Mr Crawford,

We refer to your application of 07/07/2020 registered on 17/07/2020 under the above mentioned reference numbers by which you made a request pursuant to Regulation 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents¹.

You requested “*documents which contain the following information: How many times has the EU met with Boris Johnson’s Government to discuss an exit deal.*”

Please find below the list of meetings and the links with additional information on the Commission’s website:

- 16 September 2019: President of the European Commission Jean-Claude Juncker met Prime Minister Boris Johnson in Luxembourg:
https://ec.europa.eu/commission/presscorner/detail/en/IP_19_5579
- 8 January 2020: President of the European Commission, Ursula von der Leyen met Prime Minister Boris Johnson in London:
https://ec.europa.eu/commission/commissioners/2019-2024/president/announcements/readout-meeting-between-president-ursula-von-der-leyen-and-prime-minister-boris-johnson_en

¹ Official Journal L145 of 31.05.2001, p.43.

- 15 June 2020: a High level meeting with videoconference took place between Prime Minister Boris Johnson, the President of the European Council Charles Michel, the President of the European Commission, Ursula von der Leyen, and the President of the European Parliament, David Sassoli:
https://ec.europa.eu/commission/presscorner/detail/en/STATEMENT_20_1067

In relation to the negotiations on the new EU-UK partnership, you can find all relevant information here:

https://ec.europa.eu/info/european-union-and-united-kingdom-forging-new-partnership_en

Yours sincerely,

e-signed

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