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Dear Mrs Roxburgh,

Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2020/5008

We refer to your e-mail dated 24/08/2020 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 24/08/2020 under the above-mentioned reference number.

You will find enclosed the document related to the meetings between Antoine Colombani, Cabinet member of Frans Timmermans and Diederik Samsom, Cabinet member of Frans Timmermans, and BASF, on the 7 January 2020

Please note that the document contains personal data that has been redacted according to the General Data Protection Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2018/1725¹) and to the internal rules of procedure of the Commission. As your request does not express any particular interest to have access to these personal data, and does not establish the necessity to have the data transmitted, I conclude that access cannot be granted to these personal data.

If you disagree with this position, you are entitled, in accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, to submit a confirmatory application requesting the Commission to review this position.

You should send any such confirmatory application within 15 working days of receipt of this letter to the Secretary-General of the Commission at the following address:

¹ Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 45/2001 and Decision No 1247/2002/EC.

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Yours sincerely,

(e-signed)

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