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**Subject: Your confirmatory application for access to documents under
Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 - GESTDEM 2021/3963**

Dear Mr Augusto,

I refer to your e-mail of 9 July 2021, registered on 13 July 2021, in which you submit a confirmatory application in accordance with Article 7(4) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents¹ (hereafter ‘Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001’).

Your confirmatory application was submitted in relation to your initial application of 15 June 2021 in which you requested, I quote:

‘All documents—including but not limited to correspondence, emails, minutes (hand written or electronic), notes (hand written or electronic), meeting conclusions, audio or video recordings, verbatim reports, operational conclusions, lines to take, briefings, and presentations—related to the following meetings

18/05/2021 Meeting with Katherine Power, Cabinet member of Mairead McGuinness, about Taxonomy Article 8 disclosures delegated act’

The initial request was assigned to the Directorate-General for Financial Stability, Financial Services and Capital Markets Union. As you did not receive an initial reply from that Directorate-General within the statutory time limits, you submitted a confirmatory application on 9 July 2021.

¹ OJ L 145 of 31.5.2001, p. 43.

In the meantime, the initial reply in question was sent to you on 14 July 2021. In its reply, the Directorate-General for Financial Stability, Financial Services and Capital Markets Union identified two documents and provided you with a list of these documents. It partially disclosed these documents based on the exception laid down in Article 4(1)(b) (protection of privacy and the integrity of the individual) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001.

Against this background, the Secretariat-General will close your confirmatory application related to the lack of initial reply.

You remain entitled to submit a new confirmatory application in accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, should you wish to request a review of the initial reply of 14 July 2021.

Yours sincerely,

María Oliván Avilés
Head of Unit