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Subject: Your confirmatory application for access to documents under Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 - GESTDEM 2021/4278

Dear Mr Maslias,

I refer to your e-mail of 13 September 2021, registered on 14 September 2021, by 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 28 June 2021 in which you requested, I quote:

- 'All documentation (including but not limited to all email correspondence, attendance lists, agendas, background papers, transcripts, recordings and minutes/notes) relating to the meeting listed below:
- 1. Between SolarPower Europe and Laure Chapuis-Kombos, Cabinet member of Kadri Simson on the 31st May 2021
- 2. Between SolarPower Europe and Laure Chapuis-Kombos and Stefano Grassi, Cabinet members of Kadri Simson, and Kadri Simson, Commissioner on the 27th January 2021

OJ L 145 of 31.5.2001, p. 43.

- 3. Between SolarPower Europe and Laure Chapuis-Kombos, Cabinet member of Kadri Simson and Kadri Simson, Commissioner on the 14th May 2020
- 4. Between SolarPower Europe and Stefano Grassi and Laure Chapuis-Kombos, Cabinet members of Kadri Simson on the 28th April 2020'.

The initial request was assigned to the Directorate-General for Energy. As you did not receive an initial reply from that Directorate-General within the statutory time limits, you submitted a confirmatory application on 13 September 2021.

In the meantime, the initial reply in question was sent to you on 8 February 2022 (under reference number Ares(2022)917717).

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 8 February 2022.

Yours sincerely,

María OLIVÁN AVILÉS Head of Unit