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Subject: request for clarification - Your application for access to documents –

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Dear Mr Stolton,

We refer to your email of 23 September 2021 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 24 September 2021 under the above-mentioned reference number.

The description given in your application makes it very difficult for us to identify concrete documents, which would correspond to your request.

We therefore invite you, in accordance with Article 6(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to documents, to provide us with more detailed information on the documents you request.

In order to properly address and allocate your request, we would firstly like to know in which particular topic addressed under the TTC umbrella you are interested in. You will be aware that discussions in the TTC cover a broad spectrum of trade and technology related issues, and are therefore organised in ten dedicated working groups with different Commission Services (co-) leading them.

Secondly, we would like to understand better what kind of meetings (internal, external with stakeholders) you are interested in, and would kindly ask you to further specify what you have described so far in your application by "general communications" of any nature and by written material of any kind. Finally, your request related to all "documentation produced after September 12, 2021", we would appreciate if you could indicate persons or bodies who should be the focus of your request.

If you need assistance in clarifying or specifying your application, you can contact us by email to SG UNITE D-1 SG-UNITE-D-1@ec.europa.eu

In accordance with the third paragraph of Article 2 of the Detailed rules for the application of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 (Official Journal OJ L 345, 29.12.2001, p. 94), the deadline of 15 working days for handling your application will start running when we receive the requested clarifications.

We thank you in advance for your understanding.

Best Regards

The Secretariat SG.D1