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Mr Klaus ZINSER **By e-mail only:**ask+request-205720268c2c@asktheeu.org

Subject:

Your confirmatory application for access to documents under

Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 - GESTDEM 2015/3298

Dear Mr Zinser,

I refer to your letter registered on 19 August 2015, through which you submit a confirmatory application in accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents¹ ("Regulation 1049/2001").

We have finalised the assessment of your application. However, as our reply still requires the approval of the Legal Service and our hierarchy, we are not able to respond within the prescribed time-limit expiring on 9 September 2015.

Consequently, we have to extend this period by another 15 working days in accordance with Article 8(2) of Regulation 1049/2001. The new deadline expires on 30 September 2015.

We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause, and would like to reassure you that we will endeavor to send you our reply as soon as possible before that date.

Yours sincerely,

Martin Kröger Head of Unit

Official Journal L 145 of 31.5.2001, p. 43.