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Brussels,

Mr Vincent Harmsen Email: <u>ask+request-2697-</u> cdd243cf@asktheeu.org

Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2016/1436

Dear Mr Harmsen,

We refer to your request for access to documents, registered on 22 March 2016 under the above mentioned reference number.

Your application is currently being handled. However, we will not be in a position to complete the handling of your application within the time limit of 15 working days, which expires on 15 March 2016.

An extended time limit is needed as search for requested documents, covering period of eight months, requires examination of large files.

Therefore, we have to extend the time limit with 15 working days in accordance with Article 7(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to documents. The new time limit expires on 11 May 2016.

We apologise for this delay and for any inconvenience this may cause.

Yours faithfully,

Thomas VERMEYE
Head of Unit