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Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref Gestdem No 2013/833

Dear Mrs Oliveira.

We refer to your e-mail dated 14 February 2013, in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 14 February 2013 under the above mentioned reference number.

Please find herewith a link to the Scientific Opinion on the safety of steviol glycosides for the proposed uses as a food additive, that was used as the basis for the approval of Steviol glycosides as food additive (E 960): http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/efsajournal/pub/1537.htm

The association/companies that have requested for this approval are the European Stevia Association (EUSTAS), Cargill Incorporated and Morita Kagaku Kogyo Co., Ltd.

Yours sincerely,

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