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Brussels,
SANTE/E4/KN/gb (2017) 4349261

Dear Mr Harmsen,

Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2017/4461

I refer to your email dated 31 July 2017 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 31 July 2017 under the above mentioned reference number.

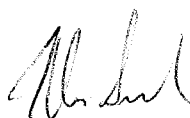
Your application is currently being handled. However, we will not be in a position to complete the handling of your application within the time limit of 15 working days, which expires on 22 August 2017.

An extended time limit is needed as we will have to examine a large number of files in order to evaluate whether they fall within the scope of your request.

Therefore, we have to extend the time limit by another 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 12 September 2017.

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

Yours faithfully,



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