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Subject: **Confirmatory application and request for access to 4 OLAF reports - 18 June 2013**

Dear Mr Weiss,

Thank you for your e-mail of 18 June 2013 which includes (1) a confirmatory application and (2) an initial request for access to documents.

1) A confirmatory application

With respect to your confirmatory application under Article 8 of Regulation No 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents¹, you request "full access to the report in question and therefore ask you to review your decision visible in the link above." The link is to OLAF's letter of 17 June 2013 (no. 14795) which refers only to 4 OLAF documents, the same ones listed in point 2 of your e-mail of 18 June 2013. In view of the foregoing, we would be grateful if you would inform us of the exact document to which you are referring.

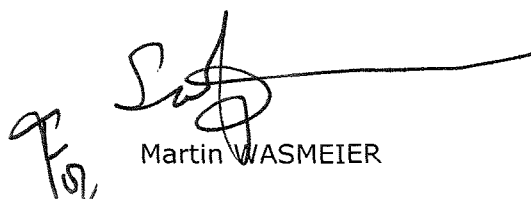
2) An initial request for access to documents

With respect to your request, OLAF interprets it as an initial application for access under Regulation No 1049/2001.

Your initial application will be dealt with as quickly as possible. However, in view of the complexity of the case, we have to extend the prescribed period by 15 additional working days before you receive a reply.

Your attention is drawn to the privacy statement concerning the transfer of personal data below.

Yours sincerely,



Martin WASMEIER

Privacy statement

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¹ OJ L145, 31.05.2001, page 43.

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