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Subject:

Your confirmatory application for access to documents under Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 - GESTDEM 2018/6134

Dear Mr Fanta,

I refer to your e-mail of 24 January 2019, registered on 28 January 2019, in 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 (hereafter 'Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001').

Your confirmatory application was submitted in relation to your initial application of 15 November 2018 concerning the minutes, correspondence and other documents relating to specific meetings of Commissioner Jourová and three members of her Cabinet (Ms Nikolay, Mr Braun and Mr Talko) held in September/October 2018 with Facebook representatives.

The initial request was assigned to the Directorate-General for Justice and Consumers for handling and reply. As you did not receive a reply from that Directorate-General within the statutory time limits, you submitted a confirmatory application on 24 January 2019, against the tacit refusal of access to the documents requested.

I note that on 28 February 2019 you received the reply from the Directorate-General for Justice and Consumers.

Official Journal L 145 of 31.5.2001, p. 43.

Against this background, the Secretariat-General will close your confirmatory application².

Yours sincerely,

María Oliván Avilés Head of Unit

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Without prejudice to your right to submit a new confirmatory application if you do not agree with the position of the Directorate-General for Justice and Consumers, included in its explicit reply of 28 February 2019.