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Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2019/2595

– Extension of the time limit

Dear Mr Cayota,

We refer to your request dated 30 April 2019 in which you ask for access to documents, registered on 2 May 2019 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 24 May 2019.

An extended time limit is needed as your application concerns documents held by different Services which must be consulted

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 17 June 2019.

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

Yours faithfully,

e-signed

Chiara Adamo