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Subject: Your initial application dated 8 June 2020 for public access to documents

Dear Mr Schindler,

We refer to your email of 8 June 2020 in which you make a request to OLAF for access to documents.

We regret to inform you that OLAF does not hold any documents that would correspond to the description given in your application. We have searched our databases and have not found any reference to Palantir Technologies, Inc.

As specified in Article 2(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, the right of access as defined in that regulation applies only to existing documents in the possession of the institution.

Given that OLAF holds no such documents corresponding to the description given in your application, OLAF is not in a position to fulfil your request.

In accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation 1049/2001, you are entitled to make a confirmatory application requesting the Commission to review this position. Such a confirmatory application should be addressed within 15 working days upon receipt of this letter to OLAF at the following address:

Mr Ville ITÄLÄ Director General OLAF European Commission B-1049 BRUXELLES BELGIUM Your attention is drawn to the privacy notice below.

Yours sincerely,

Beatriz SANZ REDRADO Director

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