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Subject: Your application for access to documents – GESTDEM 2020/6471

Dear Madam,

We refer to your e-mail of 27 October 2020 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 27 October 2020 under the above-mentioned reference number.

You requested access to the following documents:

All documentation (including but not limited to all email correspondence, attendance lists, agendas, background papers, transcripts, recordings and minutes/notes) relating to the meeting listed below:

- 1. Between David Boublil, Cabinet member of Pierre Moscovici and ArcelorMittal on the 16th July 2019
- 2. Between Xavier Coget and Grzegorz Radziejewski, Cabinet members of Jyrki Katainen and ArcelorMittal on the 26th March 2019
- 3. Between Xavier Coget and Grzegorz Radziejewski, Cabinet members of Jyrki Katainen and ArcelorMittal on the 28th July 2019

Please note that your request was split. This reply relates only to points 2 and 3 of your request handled under reference number GESTDEM 2020/6471, the documents under the responsibility of the Secretariat-General and the cabinets of the President, the Executive Vice-Presidents and the Vice-Presidents of the European Commission. As regards your request on point 3, the meeting between these participants has actually taken place on 18 July, not on 28 July. Given your clear description of the participants, we have interpreted your request as referring to that meeting, which has taken place on 18 July.

We have identified the following documents which correspond to your request.

- Email correspondence between ArcelorMittal and Cabinet Katainen on the 17 June 2019
- Annex to Email correspondence between ArcelorMittal and Cabinet Katainen on the 17 June 2019
  - o Climate Action Report 1 from ArcelorMittal, dated May 2019
- Email correspondence between ArcelorMittal and Cabinet Katainen on

- o 13 December 2018
- o 14 February 2019
- o 15 February 2019
- o 18 February 2019
- o 17 June 2019
- o 28 June 2019
- o 5 July 2019
- o 8 July 2019
- o 15 July 2019

The document contain personal data which has been redacted.

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We enclose copies of the documents requested, with the personal data deleted.

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Such a confirmatory application should be addressed within 15 working days of receipt of this letter to the Secretariat-General of the Commission at the following address:

European Commission
Secretariat-General
Unit C.1. 'Transparency, Document Management and Access to Documents'
BERL 7/076
B-1049 Brussels,
or by email to: sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu

Yours faithfully,

(e-signed)

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Enclosure: 3 documents