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Subject: Your application for access to documents – **GESTDEM 2020/6625**

Dear Sir,

We refer to your e-mail of 3 November 2020 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 3 November 2020 under the above-mentioned reference number. We wish to follow up on our reply, which we sent on 23 December. We are hereby disclosing the following additional documents:

- Hermes Meeting request with answer Digital Services Act and fight against counterfeits, Ares(2020) 4814317 (hereafter 'document 6.1')
- Follow up to February meeting with Facebook measures regarding identifying and removing graphic self harm imagery, Ares(2020)1526502 (hereafter 'document 8.2')
- RE Meeting request to Commission EVP designate Vestager with delegation from EMMA-ENPA 30 January, Ares(2020)62863 (hereafter 'document 12.1')

With regard to the documents listed above, a complete disclosure of the identified documents is prevented by the exception concerning the protection of privacy and the integrity of the individual outlined in Article 4(1)(b) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, because they contain the following personal data:

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- the names/initials and contact details of other natural persons;
- other information relating to an identified or identifiable natural person

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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:

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Secretariat-General
Unit C.1. 'Transparency, Document Management and Access to Documents'
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Yours faithfully,

(e- signed)

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