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Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2021/0366

Dear Mr Teffer,

We refer to your e-mail of 18 January 2021 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 20 January 2021 under the above mentioned reference number.

You request access to:

“All documents - including but not limited to minutes, (hand-written) notes, audio recordings, verbatim reports, operational conclusions, lines to take, briefings, e-mails, letters, and presentations - related to all contact Commissioner Věra Jourová, her cabinet members and all DG JUST staff has had with Ms Madeleine de Cock Buning, Vice President for Public Policy, Europe, Middle East and Africa, of Netflix, in 2020 and 2021”.

We consider your request to cover documents held up to the date of your initial application, i.e. 18 January 2021.

Please note that due to the wide scope of your request, covering also areas falling under the responsibility of other services, parts of your request have been attributed to Secretariat-General¹. This reply relates only to the documents held by Directorate-General for Justice and Consumers.

We regret to inform you that the Commission does not hold any documents that would correspond to the description given in your application.

¹ GESTDEM 2021/0367.

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 no such documents, corresponding to the description given in your application, are held by the Commission, the Commission is not in a position to fulfil your request.

In accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 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 the Secretariat-General of the Commission at the following address:

European Commission
Secretariat-General
Transparency, Document Management & Access to Documents (SG.C.1)
BERL 7/076
B-1049 Bruxelles

or by email to: sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu

According to standard operational procedure, the reply to a request for access to documents is usually sent by registered post. Please note, however, that due to the extraordinary health and security measures currently in force during the COVID-19 pandemic, which include the requirement for all Commission non-critical staff to telework, we are unfortunately not in a position to follow this procedure until further notice.

We would therefore appreciate if you could confirm receipt of the present e-mail by replying to JUST-ACCES-DOCUMENTS@ec.europa.eu.

Yours faithfully,

(e-signed)
Salla SAASTAMOINEN