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**Subject: Your confirmatory application for access to documents under Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 - GESTDEM 2016/2791**

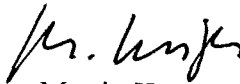
Dear Ms Darbishire,

I refer to your letter registered on 25 August 2016, through which you submit a confirmatory application in accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents<sup>1</sup> ('Regulation 1049/2001').

We have finalized the assessment of your application. However, as our reply still requires internal consultations, we might not be able to respond within the prescribed time-limit which will expire on 15 September 2016.

Therefore, as a precautionary measure, we need to extend the time-limit with 15 working days, in accordance with Article 8(2) of Regulation 1049/2001, until 6 October 2016. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause, and would like to reassure you that we will endeavor to send you our reply as soon as possible before that date.

Yours sincerely,

  
Martin Kröger  
Head of Unit

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<sup>1</sup> Official Journal L 145 of 31.5.2001, p. 43.