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Mr. Vincent Harmsen

By e-mail only to:

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Subject: Your applications for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2017/0047 and 2017/0048

Dear Mr Harmsen,

We refer to your letters dated 03/01/2017 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 04/01/2017 under the above mentioned reference numbers.

Your application is currently being handled. However, we will not be in a position to complete the handling of your application within the time limit of 15 working days, which expires on 25/01/2017.

An extended time limit is needed as your application potentially concerns a wide range of documents. Therefore, we have to extend the time limit with 15 working days in accordance with Article 7(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to documents. The new time limit expires on 16/02/2017.

We apologize for this delay and for any inconvenience this may cause.

Yours faithfully,

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