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Dear Sir,

**Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2018/1300**

We refer to your e-mail dated 02/03/2018 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 02/03/2018 under the above-mentioned reference number.

As regards the meeting between Commissioner Günther Oettinger and Daimler on 24/10/2017 and a meeting between Bodo Lehmann and Daimler on 30/11/2017, we regret to inform you that the Commission does not hold any documents that would correspond to the description given in your application.

In addition, as regards your request for access to document about a meeting between Bodo Lehmann and Daimler on 30/11/2017, we would like to inform you that a meeting with representatives of Daimler had been scheduled for 30 November 2017, but eventually did not take place.

As specified in Article 2(3) of Regulation 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 handle your request.

In accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation 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 Secretary-General of the Commission at the following address:

European Commission  
Secretary-General  
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or by email to: [sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu](mailto:sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu)

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Marcel Haag', with a stylized, cursive script.

Marcel Haag