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Mr Aris Kolimatsis

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Subject: Confirmatory application for access to documents - Gestdem 2013/3488

Dear Mr Kolimatsis,

I am writing in reference to your email of 26 August 2013, registered on 13 September 2013 and your last e-mail of 27 September 2013. In the first mentioned e-mail you made a confirmatory application in accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents¹ (hereafter Regulation 1049/2001).

Your confirmatory application is currently being handled. Unfortunately, we have not yet been able to gather all the elements we need to carry out a full analysis of your request in order to take a final decision and, therefore, we are not in a position to reply to your confirmatory request within the prescribed time limit expiring 4 October 2013.

Consequently, we have to extend this period by another 15 working days in accordance with Article 8(2) of Regulation 1049/2001. The new deadline expires on 25 October 2013.

Yours sincerely,

Gérard Legris Head of Unit

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