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Dear Sir,

Subject: Your application for access to documents – Ref GestDem No 2019/4505

We refer to your e-mail dated 31/07/2019 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 31/07/2019 under the above mentioned reference number.

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 26/08/2019.

An extended time limit is needed as - in order to retrieve the documents requested - , large files have to be examined.

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 September 2019.

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

Yours Sincerely

e-signed Emmanuelle Maire