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**Subject:** Your application for access to documents – GESTDEM 2020/6920

SG.E.1 - Digital Transition, Industry & Single Market

Dear Sir,

We refer to your e-mail of 13 November 2020 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 13 November 2020 under the above-mentioned reference number.

You requested access to the following documents:

All documentation, including but not limited to attendance lists, agendas, background papers, minutes/notes and email correspondence about or summarising, the following meetings:

- 1. Between Apple Inc and President Ursula von der Leyen on 22/01/2020.
- 2. Between Microsoft Corporation and Cabinet members of President Ursula von der Leyen on 14/07/2020.

We have identified the following documents which correspond to your request.

- Email correspondence between Apple and Cabinet von der Leyen on 13 December 2019
- Email correspondence between Microsoft and Cabinet von der Leyen on 1 July 2020
- Short Note of a meeting between Microsoft and Cabinet von der Leyen on 14 July 2020

The documents contain personal data which has been redacted.

Article 9(1)(b) of the Data Protection Regulation does not allow the transmission of these personal data, except if you prove that it is necessary to have the data transmitted to you for a specific purpose in the public interest and where there is no reason to assume that the legitimate interests of the data subject might be prejudiced. In your request, you do not express any particular interest to have access to these personal data nor do you put forward

arguments to establish the necessity to have the data transmitted for a specific purpose in the public interest.

We enclose copies of the documents requested, with the personal data deleted.

If you disagree with this position, you are entitled, in accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, to submit a confirmatory application requesting the Commission to review this position.

Such a confirmatory application should be addressed within 15 working days of receipt of this letter to the Secretariat-General of the Commission at the following address:

European Commission
Secretariat-General
Unit C.1. 'Transparency, Document Management and Access to Documents'
BERL 7/076
B-1049 Brussels,
or by email to: sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu

Yours faithfully,

(e-signed)

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Enclosure: 3 documents