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Dear Madam,

**Subject: Your application for access to documents – GESTDEM 2021/5450**

We refer to your e-mail of 13 September 2021, registered on 14 September 2021 under the above-mentioned reference number and to our extension of the deadline until 26 October 2021.

You request access to:

*'For the period between 1 January 2019 to date, a list of all meetings held by Commissioner Maros Sefcovic and his cabinet with external stakeholders related directly or indirectly to industry alliances (European Clean Hydrogen Alliance, European Battery Alliance, Circular Plastics Alliance, European Raw Materials Alliance, Alliance on processors and semiconductor technologies, Alliance for Industrial Data, Edge and Cloud, Alliance on Space Launchers, Alliance on Zero Emission Aviation, etc.)'*

Your application concerns the following document:

- 1 document : *List of the meetings \_ Redacted*

The complete disclosure of this document is prevented by the exception concerning the protection of privacy and the integrity of the individual outlined in Article 4(1)(b) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, because it contains personal data.

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 put forward

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

Consequently, pursuant to Article 4(1)(b) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, access cannot be given to the personal data in this document, as the need to have access for a purpose in the public interest has not been substantiated and there is no reason to think that the legitimate interests of the individuals concerned would not be prejudiced.

In case you would 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 upon receipt of this letter to the Secretariat-General of the Commission at the following address:

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Secretariat-General  
Unit C.1. 'Transparency, Document Management and Access to Documents'  
BERL 7/076  
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Yours faithfully,

Electronically signed

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Enclosure: 1 document redacted