

*By registered letter with acknowledgment of receipt*

**Subject: Your application for access to documents (2023/6111)**

Dear Mr Henning,

We refer to your request for access to European Commission documents registered on 17 October under the above-mentioned reference number.

We regret to inform you that the Cabinet of Commissioner Hahn does not hold any documents that would correspond to the description given in your application.

- *All minutes, agendas, summaries, notes or memos issued before or after; documents prepared for, issued in preparation for, or exchanged during; as well as all correspondence including attachments by either of the meeting parties related to the 10.10.2023 meeting between VMware and Cabinet members of Commissioner Hahn.*

As specified in Article 2(3) of Regulation (EC) No 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 fulfil your request.

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

Such a confirmatory application should be addressed to the Secretariat-General of the Commission within 15 working days upon receipt of this letter. You can submit it **via your EASE portal<sup>1</sup> account or by mail to:**

[sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu](mailto:sg-acc-doc@ec.europa.eu).

Yours faithfully,

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<sup>1</sup> <https://www.ec.europa.eu/transparency/documents-request>