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Subject: Your confirmatory application for access to documents under Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 – EASE 2023/2041

Dear Ms Cann,

I am writing in reference to your confirmatory application registered on 8 November 2023, submitted in accordance with Article 7(4) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents¹ (hereafter 'Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001').

Your confirmatory application was submitted in relation to your initial application, registered on 3 April 2023, in which you requested access to:

- ‘1. A list of all meetings/ discussions since 1 April 2022 between officials and or Commissioners with businesses, trade associations, or think tanks where this topic was discussed.
2. Any records, minutes or notes of these meetings/discussions.
3. All correspondence since 1 April 2022, where this topic was discussed, exchanged between officials and or Commissioners with businesses, trade associations, or think tanks.’

The initial request was assigned to the Directorate-General for Environment. As you did not receive an initial reply within the statutory time limits, you submitted a confirmatory application on 8 November 2023.

¹ OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43.

In the meantime, the initial reply in question was sent to you on 17 November 2023 (under reference number Ares(2023)7829799).

Against this background, the Secretariat-General will close your confirmatory application related to the lack of initial reply.

You remain entitled to submit a new confirmatory application in accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, should you wish to request a review of the initial reply of 17 November 2023.

Yours sincerely,

María Oliván Avilés

Head of Unit