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Dear Sir

Subject: Your application for access to documents Ref GestDem No 2016/540

We refer to your email dated 26/01/2016 in which you make a request for access to documents, registered on 08/02/2016 under the above mentioned reference number, as follows:

All correspondence, documents, internal notes related to contact between Director General Landaburu of DG Enlargement and later DG External Affairs and François de Combret

Please accept our apologies for the delay, due to the extensive research in the Commission archives which was needed to respond to this request.

Please note that, aside from the two documents attached, no other documents have been identified of relevance to your request.

Please also note that with regard to the letter of 20.4.2001, this letter was signed by a director general expressing his personal opinion and it does not represent the position of the Commission. It cannot be quoted as reflecting the Commission's position.

We enclose a copy of the documents requested:

- 1. Letter dated 8.2.2001 from Mr Landaburu to Mr de Combret
- 2. Letter dated 20.4.2001 from Mr Landaburu to Mr de Combret

Yours faithfully

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