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Dear Ms Friel,

Thank you for your request for access to documents of the Council of the European Union.¹

The General Secretariat of the Council (GSC) has identified 44 standard documents ("STs") matching the scope of your request, three of these being public documents: **ST 12189/20 INIT**, **12189/20 ADD 1** and **12189/20 ADD 2**.

Please find attached a first set of the requested documents: **ST 13509/20 INIT**, **13509/20 REV 1**, and **12348 2020 INIT**.

However, taking into account the large number of remaining documents requiring examination and the internal consultations necessary to the assessment of their content, the GSC has to extend the deadline for the final reply to your request for an additional period of 15 working days, until 02.02.2019, pursuant to Article 7(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001.

¹ The General Secretariat of the Council has examined your request on the basis of the applicable rules: Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents (OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43) and the specific provisions concerning public access to Council documents set out in Annex II to the Council's Rules of Procedure (Council Decision No 2009/937/EU, OJ L 325, 11.12.2009, p. 35).

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We will try our best to send you a final reply as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

Fernando FLORINDO

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