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European Union

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From: General Secretariat of the Council  
To: Working Party on Information  
Subject: Public access to documents  
- Confirmatory application No 35/c/01/21

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Delegations will find attached the:

- request for access to documents sent to the General Secretariat of the Council on 21 August 2021 and registered on 23 August 2021 (Annex 1);
- reply from the General Secretariat of the Council dated 1 September 2021 (Annex 2);
- confirmatory application dated 5 September 2021 and registered on 6 September 2021 (Annex 3).

[E-mail message sent to [access@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:access@consilium.europa.eu) on 21 August 2021 - 16:12]

From: **DELETED**

Sent: Saturday, August 21, 2021 4:12 PM

To: TRANSPARENCY Access to documents (COMM) [Access@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:Access@consilium.europa.eu)

Subject: access to documents request - UAP/UFOs files and policies

Dear European Council,

Under the right of access to documents in the EU treaties, as developed in Regulation 1049/2001, I am requesting documents which contain the following information:

all documents, files, folders, notes, memos, correspondence on UAPs/UFOs

Yours faithfully,

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**Council of the European Union**  
General Secretariat  
*Directorate-General Communication and Information - COMM*  
*Directorate Information and Outreach*  
*Information Services Unit / Transparency*  
*Head of Unit*

Brussels, 1 September 2021

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Email: **DELETED**

Ref. 21/1439-em/jl

Request made on: 21.08.2021

Registered on: 23.08.2021

Dear **DELETED**,

Thank you for your request for access to documents of the Council of the European Union. <sup>1</sup>

After careful examination of your request and a thorough research in our document bases, I regret to inform you that the General Secretariat of the Council of the EU does not hold any documents, files, folders, notes, memos, correspondence on UAPs/UFOs.

Yours sincerely,

Fernando FLORINDO

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<sup>1</sup> 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).

[E-mail message sent to [access@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:access@consilium.europa.eu) on 5 September 2021 - 15:22]

**From:** **DELETED**

**Sent:** Sunday, September 5, 2021 3:22 PM

**To:** TRANSPARENCY Access to documents (COMM) [Access@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:Access@consilium.europa.eu)

**Subject:** Internal review of access to documents request - UAP/UFOs files and policies

Dear European Council,

Please pass this on to the person who reviews confirmatory applications.

I am filing the following confirmatory application with regards to my access to documents request 'UAP/UFOs files and policies'.

Earlier this year I sent documents to several members of the European Council expressing my concerns that the United States Department of Defence confirmed that UAPs are real and established the UAP Task Force to investigate these encounters between UAPs and the United States Military. I asked why the European Union does not have a body to investigate or receive reports of incursions in EU airspace by UAP. Therefore, I can state as a fact that the European Council does have documents regarding UFOs/UAP.

As you are aware it is an offence to supply false or misleading information in reply to a FOIA request. Please be kind enough to honour your reasonability to me and furnish me with the information requested.

Thank you

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