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Date 11 february 2022  
Re Your request for information

Dear [redacted],

In your email of 29 November 2021, you requested information in relation to the proceedings initiated by the Netherlands in German Courts. You specifically asked for the text of the letter sent by the European Commission to the Dutch Ministry of Economic Affairs and Climate Policy in relation to these procedures. Your email has been registered under reference no. 21300261.

Your application falls within the scope of the Government Information (Public Access) Act. Receipt of your application was acknowledged in writing by email of 29 November 2021. In that email, the deadline for response was deferred to 24 January to allow views of the European Commission, as author of this document, to be requested. The European Commission submitted no objections to disclosure.

I have decided to grant your application and to disclose the information you requested, subject to removal of personal data and privacy information.

Please find the document attached.

The disclosed documents will be posted on [www.rijksoverheid.nl](http://www.rijksoverheid.nl) unless they originate from an individual's case file.

Yours sincerely,



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