

**Re:**

Application based on Article 263 TFEU and seeking annulment of Commission Decision Ares(2014) 3388066 of 29 September 2014, in so far as it refuses to grant the applicant full access to the requested documents, with the exception of the redacted personal data contained therein.

**Operative part of the judgment**

*The Court:*

1. *Dismisses the action;*
2. *Orders Philip Morris Ltd to pay the costs.*

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ C 56, 16.2.2015.

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**Judgment of the General Court of 20 September 2016 –PAN Europe v Commission**

(Case T-51/15) <sup>(1)</sup>

**(Access to documents — Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 — Regulation (EC) No 1367/2006 — Documents relating to endocrine-disrupting chemicals — Partial refusal of access — Exception relating to the decision-making process — Article 4(3) of Regulation No 1049/2001)**

(2016/C 402/45)

*Language of the case: English*

**Parties**

*Applicant:* Pesticide Action Network Europe (PAN Europe) (Brussels, Belgium) (represented by: B. Kloostra, lawyer)

*Defendant:* European Commission (represented by: A. Buchet, P. Mihaylova and J. Tomkin, acting as Agents)

*Intervener in support of the applicant:* Kingdom of Sweden (represented by: A. Falk, C. Meyer-Seitz, U. Persson, N. Otte Widgren, E. Karlsson and L. Swedenborg, acting as Agents)

**Re:**

Application under Article 263 TFEU seeking annulment of the Commission's Decision of 24 November 2014, under the reference Ares (2014) 3900631, in so far as it refuses access to documents relating to endocrine-disrupting chemicals.

**Operative part of the judgment**

*The Court:*

1. *Annuls the decision of the European Commission of 24 November 2014, under the reference Ares (2014) 3900631, in so far as it refuses access to the documents designated under numbers 9, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 17a, 20, 22, 24, 25, 29, 30, 31, 37, 38, 39, 41, 42 and 43, on the basis of the first subparagraph of Article 4(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents;*
2. *Dismisses the action as to the remainder;*
3. *Orders the Commission, in addition to bearing its own costs, to pay those incurred by Pesticide Action Network Europe (PAN Europe);*
4. *Declares that the Kingdom of Sweden is to pay its own costs.*

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ C 118, 13.4.2015.