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Dear Sir,

Thank you for your letter of 19.4.1996. Please find enclosed the requested document: the Commission's proposal of the rental directive (COM(90)586 - SYN 319 of 24 January 1991).

With respect to your request for a meeting, I have to inform you that I am at present bound by internal rules to postpone any formal discussing of the case and considerations at opening of infringement proceedings until the reference to the European Court of Justice has resulted in a judgement.

The Commission will of course make observations in the course of proceedings before the Court.

Yours faithfully

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