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Data Protection and Privacy Newsletter

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Enforcement updates



Twitter fined by Irish DPC

Twitter International Company was fined EUR 450,000 for violations under the GDPR by the Data Protection Commission (DPC) in Ireland. Concluding the investigation, the DPC noted that Twitter had failed to meet its obligations to adequately document and notify personal data breach.



Polish watchdog fines Virgin Mobile

Inspection by the Personal Data Protection Office of the Polish Data Protection Authority (UODO) against Virgin Mobile Polska revealed that it lacked appropriate technical and organizational security measures for data security resulting in violations under the GDPR. Consequently, UODO levied a fine of PLN 1.9 million (approx. EUR 4,27,000) against Virgin Mobile.



Ascension Data & Analytics settles with FTC

Ascension Data & Analytics LLC, a data analytics company entered into settlement with the US Federal Trade Commission (FTC). The company was in violation of Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act Safeguards Rule.



Telco's fined by the South Korean Authority

Telecom Service Provider in South Korea LG Uplus Corporation and three other associated telecommunications agencies were fined KRW 75 million (approx. EUR 57,000) by the Personal Information Protection Commission (PIPC) for unlawful sharing and processing of personal data.

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Regulatory update around the globe





- **The Internet of Things (IoT) Cybersecurity Improvement Act of 2020 passed in the United States.**
- **Draft rules regulating scope of necessary personal data collected by mobile applications unveiled by the Cyberspace Administration of China.**
- **The Department of Justice, state of California introduced fourth set of proposed modifications in the California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA).**

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EU updates





- **EU Parliament publishes study on impact of AI on International Trade, titled “Data Flows, Artificial Intelligence and International Trade: Impacts and Prospects for the Value Chains of the Future.”**



- **The Council of the European Union issued its conclusions on cyber security of connected devices and resolution on encryption.**

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News around the globe



- **Biggest cyberattack on US govt and MNC's**



- **Amazon, ByteDance, Facebook, among nine social media and video streaming companies ordered to disclose how they processes user data to the US Federal Trade Commission.**

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Guidances issued



- **The Norwegian Data Protection Authority, Datatilsynet issued statement on data transfers to the UK post Brexit and guidelines on use of Google services in elementary schools.**



- **The United States National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) released guides on Data Integrity, a draft report on Cybersecurity and Enterprise Risk Management and update on Security and Privacy Controls for Information Systems and Organizations.**



- **Guide on managing and mapping effect of AI on employees released by PDPC Singapore.**

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India updates

India's Personal Data Protection Bill (PDPB)



- **Government of India passes Health Data Management Policy for its National Digital Health Mission.**
- **India's proposed Personal Data Protection Bill (PDPB), will be redrawn by the Joint Parliamentary Committee - Rajeev Chandrasekhar, Member Joint Parliamentary Committee on the PDPB at Carnegie India Global Technology Summit 2020.**



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