

KVKK - GDPR Newsletter

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Decision Summaries News KVKK & GDPR Reviews Of the Month;

Public Announcement on the Municipalities

01. Based on the notifications submitted, as a result of the investigation initiated by the Turkish Personal Data Protection Authority, it is determined that real estate tax or declaration information of individuals can be accessed only with the TR identity number from the websites of some municipalities.

Within the scope of the Decision numbered 2021/140 and dated 25.02.2021, it was decided that the Ministry of Environment and Urbanization and the Union of Municipalities of Turkey are informed, and the municipalities are instructed to stop their relevant applications or to change as the multi-factor verification method within 3 months by the Authority.

As a result of the examinations carried out by the Authority following the expiry of period of 3 months, it is determined that many municipalities do not take the necessary technical measures within the framework of the relevant decision. In this context, the Authority has decided to instruct to take action against those who cause the mentioned violation within the scope of Article 18 of the Law and inform the Board about the conclusion with the Decision numbered 1077 and dated 21.10.2021.

You can find the details of the Decision [here](#).

Hedefevim Gayrimenkul ve Otomotiv Tic. A.Ş. Data Breach Notification

02. It is determined that personal data in the systems of the data controller is illegally accessed and deleted by unauthorized third parties.

You can find detailed information about breach notification [here](#).

Media Markt Turkey Ticaret Limited Şirketi Veri İhlali Bildirimi

03. As a result of the cyber-attack on the data controller's systems, it is determined that personal data is illegally accessed by unauthorized third parties.

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May Şirketler Grubu Data Breach Notification

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Spanish Data Protection Authority Has Decided to Impose an Administrative Fine on a Telephone Company

05. The Spanish DPA has stated that the customer's invoices are sent to the complainant for 20 months despite requests to correct the error.

Although the customer notified the complainant's e-mail address, the relevant requests were not fulfilled. The Spanish DPA has decided that the data controller is infringed on the privacy provisions of GDPR and does not take the necessary administrative and technical measures.

Based on these evaluations, the Spanish DPA has decided to impose an administrative fine of 50,000 EUR on the data controller.

You can find the details of the Decision [here](#).



Polish Data Protection Authority Has Decided to Impose an Administrative Fine on Transavia Airlines C.V.

06. As a result of the investigation based on a complaint submitted by one of the data subjects, the Polish DPA has stated that the risk assessment of the data breach by Bank Millennium is incorrectly identified as "medium" and the competent is not informed. Further, only some of the data subjects are informed. In addition, the Polish DPA is pointed out that the data controller is not cooperating during the investigation.

Based on these evaluations, the Polish DPA has decided to impose an administrative fine of 80,000 EUR on the data controller and instructed it to inform all the data subjects.

You can find the details of the Decision [here](#).

Icelandic DPA Has Decided to Impose an Administrative Fine on Ministry of Industries and Innovation and YAY ehf.

07. The Icelandic DPA has been determined that within the scope of gift card support for citizens initiated by the Ministry of Industries and Innovation, an application designed by the YAY ehf. using and through this application, personal data incompatible with the relevant purpose of data processing are collected from the data subjects.

Based on these evaluations, the Icelandic DPA has decided to impose an administrative fine of 50,800 EUR on the data controller and 27,100 EUR on the data processor because the application does not comply with the "privacy by design" principle of GDPR.

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