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Turkish Personal Data Protection Authority Has Declared Administrative Fines for 2023

Administrative fines amounts determined within the scope of KVKK and increased according to the revaluation rate for 2023 have been published by Turkish DPA.

You can find the detail of the administrative fine [here](#).

02

28 January Data Protection Day

28 January has been declared as Data Protection Day by the Council of Europe. The importance of data protection culture is increasing day by day.

You can find our article [here](#).

03

The Polish Authority Has Decided to Impose an Administrative Fine on P4 Sp. z o.o

As a result of the investigation carried out by the Polish Supervisory Authority ("Authority") on the basis of the complaint submitted to it; telecom operator for failure to notify the personal data breach violates the Directive 2002/58/EC Concerning Processing Of Personal Data And The Protection Of Privacy In The Electronic Communications Sector.

Based on these evaluations, the Authority has decided to impose an administrative fine of 250,000 PLN on data controller.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).



04

The Italian Authority Has Decided to in Clubhouse Investigation

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Italian Supervisory Authority; Alpha Exploration Co. Inc.'in (Clubhouse) violates the European Data Protection Regulation ("GDPR").

The Authority has decided determined that processing of personal data in violation of lawfulness, transparency and storage limitation principles under the GDPR by the Clubhouse.

Based on these evaluations, the Authority has decided to impose an administrative fine of 2,000,000 EUR on data controller.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).

05

The Finnish Authority Has Decided to in Viking Line Oy Abp Investigation

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Italian Supervisory Authority; Viking Line Oy Abp violates the European Data Protection Regulation ("GDPR").

The Authority determined that Viking Line Oy Abp acted unlawfully in its data processing and storage activities and decided that its data processing violated the GDPR by Viking Line Oy Abp.

Based on these evaluations, the Authority has decided to impose an administrative fine of 230,000 EUR on data controller.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).



06

The Norwegian Authority Has Decided to Impose an Administrative Fine on Kroatjønneien 15 AS

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Norwegian Supervisory Authority; Kroatjønneien 15 AS violates the European Data Protection Regulation (“GDPR”).

The Authority determined that Kroatjønneien 15 AS acted unlawfully in its data processing and storage activities and Kroatjønneien 15 AS did not have a legitimate interest in performing credit ratings decided that its data processing violated the GDPR by Kroatjønneien 15 AS.

Based on these evaluations, the Authority has decided to impose an administrative fine of 30,000 EUR on data controller.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).

07

The Estonian Authority Has Decided to in Krediidiregister OÜ Investigation

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Estonian Supervisory Authority; Krediidiregister OÜ has shortcomings in its data processing according to the European Data Protection Regulation (“GDPR”).

The Authority has published precepts to make the Privacy Policy align with the GDPR in the data processing of Krediidiregister OÜ. Estonian SA has decided a penalty payment of 10,000 EUR for each unfulfilled point.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).



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The Norwegian Authority Has Decided to Impose an Administrative Fine on Recover AS

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Norwegian Supervisory Authority; Recover AS violates the European Data Protection Regulation ("GDPR").

The Authority determined that Recover AS acted unlawfully in its data processing and storage activities and Recover AS did not have a legal basis in performing credit ratings decided that its data processing violated the GDPR by Recover AS.

Based on these evaluations, the Authority has decided to impose an administrative fine of 20,000 EUR on data controller.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).

09

The Estonian Authority Has Decided to in Private Person Investigation

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Estonian Supervisory Authority; Krediidiregister OÜ has shortcomings in its data processing according to the European Data Protection Regulation ("GDPR").

The Authority has decided the controller to stop disclosing other people's personal data in Facebook groups managed by controller without consent and impose an administrative fine of 5,000 EUR on data controller.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).

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The Lithuanian Authority Has Decided to in Public Organisation Investigation

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Lithuanian Supervisory Authority; Public Organisation has shortcomings in data processing of children according to the European Data Protection Regulation ("GDPR").

The Authority has decided the controller to corrective actions within the scope of the principles of legality and explicit consent.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).

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The Lithuanian Authority Has Decided to in Provider of Accommodation Services Investigation

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Lithuanian Supervisory Authority; “Provider of Accommodation Services” violates the European Data Protection Regulation (“GDPR”).

The Authority has decided that Provider of Accommodation Services acted unlawfully in its data processing and storage activities and “Provider of Accommodation Services” did not have explicit consent has been obtained by the data controller by incomplete clarification and that its data processing violated the GDPR.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).

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The Lithuanian Authority Has Decided to in Legal Entity Investigation

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Lithuanian Supervisory Authority; Public Organisation has violates the European Data Protection Regulation (“GDPR”).

The Authority has stated that the Legal Entity can monitor its employee with appropriate monitoring and control measures, but that measures must comply with the GDPR. In this context, the Authority has decided that Legal Entity process data contrary to the principle of accountability.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).



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The Lithuanian Authority Has Decided to in Financial Institution Investigation

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Lithuanian Supervisory Authority; Financial Institution has violates that the European Data Protection Regulation (“GDPR”) by not providing the customer’s voice recording to the person concerned despite being requested by the customer.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).

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The Finnish Authority Has Decided to Impose an Administrative Fine on Legal Entity

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Finnish Supervisory Authority; Legal Entity violates the European Data Protection Regulation (“GDPR”). The Authority has determined that Legal Entity acted unlawfully in its data processing and storage activities and Legal Entity did not have an explicit consent in the processing of special categories of personal data decided that its data processing violated the GDPR.

Based on these evaluations, the Authority has decided to impose an administrative fine of 122,000 EUR on data controller.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).

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The Finnish Authority Has Decided to Impose an Administrative Fine on Alektum Oy

As a result of the investigation carried out based on the investigation carried out by the Finnish Supervisory Authority; Legal Entity violates the European Data Protection Regulation (“GDPR”).

The Authority has determined that Alektum Oy acted unlawfully in its data processing and storage activities and Alektum Oy had regularly failed to reply to requests concerning the data protection rights of the data subject and decided that its data processing violated the GDPR.

Based on these evaluations, the Authority has decided to impose an administrative fine of 750,000 EUR on data controller.

You can find the detail of the decision [here](#).

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Okko Sağlık Turizm İnşaat San. ve Tic. A.Ş. Data Breach Notification

It has been determined that the data controller of the program used by the data controller was cyber-attacked.

It has been stated that the relevant groups of persons affected by the violation are employees and patients.

You can find the details of the data breach notification [here](#) (In Turkish).

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Reon Sağlık Hizmetleri İnş. Tur. San ve Tic. A.Ş. (Özel Aktif Hastanesi) Data Breach Notification

It has been determined that the data controller of the program used by the data controller was cyber-attacked.

It has been stated that the relevant groups of persons affected by the violation are employees and patients.

You can find the details of the data breach notification [here](#) (In Turkish).

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Yalova Uzmanlar Sağlık Hizmetleri San. Paz. Tic. A.Ş Data Breach Notification

It has been determined that the data controller of the program used by the data controller was cyber-attacked.

It has been stated that the relevant groups of persons affected by the violation are employees and patients.

You can find the details of the data breach notification [here](#) (In Turkish).



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