Data Protection Notice

Subscription to the EDPS TechDispatch

The European Data Protection Supervisor (EDPS) collects subscribers’ email addresses with the purpose to send them the EDPS TechDispatch publication.

We process your personal data based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 45/2001 and Decision No 1247/2002/EC.

We provide the following information based on Articles 15 and 16 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725.

Who is the controller?
The controller is the European Data Protection Supervisor (EDPS).
For more information on the EDPS please consult our website: https://edps.europa.eu

What personal data do we process and who can access it?
We collect the email addresses of TechDispatch subscribers. Members of the EDPS Information Technology Policy Unit have access to these email addresses on a need-to-know basis. The data is not transferred to third countries or international organisations.

Why do we process your personal data and under what legal basis?
The processing of personal data serves the purpose of establishing a list of email addresses to which each issue of the TechDispatch is sent. The EDPS processes subscribers’ data under the following legal basis:
  • consent (Article 5(1)(d) of the Regulation)

How long do we keep your personal data?
Subscribers’ email addresses are stored until a subscriber asks to be removed from the list. Subscribers can write to the TechDispatch functional mailbox techdispatch@edps.europa.eu to ask to be unsubscribed from the mailing list. Appropriate action is taken within a week of receiving the request.

What are your rights regarding your personal data?
You have the right of access to your personal data and to relevant information concerning how we use it. You have the right to rectify your personal data. Under certain conditions, you have the right to ask that we delete your personal data or restrict its use. You have the right to object to our processing of your personal data, on grounds relating to your particular situation, at any time. We will consider your request, take a decision and communicate it to you.

You can send your request to the EDPS by post in a sealed envelope or use our contact form on the EDPS website (see section on contact details below).
How to withdraw your consent and the consequences of doing this
Subscribers can send an email to techdispatch@edps.europa.eu expressing their withdrawal of consent. Appropriate action will be taken within a week of receiving the request.

You have the right to lodge a complaint
If you have any remarks or complaints regarding the way we process your personal data, we invite you to contact the EDPS DPO (see section on contact details below).

You have, in any case, the right to lodge a complaint with the EDPS as a supervisory authority: https://edps.europa.eu/data-protection/our-role-supervisor/complaints_en.

Contact details for enquiries regarding your personal data
We encourage you to contact us using the EDPS contact form, selecting ‘My personal data’ as the relevant subject: https://edps.europa.eu/node/759

If you wish to contact the EDPS DPO personally, you can send an e-mail to DPO@edps.europa.eu or a letter to the EDPS postal address marked for the attention of the EDPS DPO.

EDPS postal address: European Data Protection Supervisor, Rue Wiertz 60, B-1047 Brussels, Belgium

You can also find contact information on the EDPS website: https://edps.europa.eu/about-edps/contact_en.