



EUROPEAN DATA PROTECTION SUPERVISOR

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**Subject: Secondment of national experts to the European Data Protection Supervisor (EDPS)**

Dear colleagues,

Our programme for seconded national experts (SNE) is now in its ninth year. The programme aims to strengthen not only the cooperation between us by an exchange of know-how between our institutions, but also our network connections.

We have benefited greatly from the experience and professionalism of national colleagues and we believe that the staff concerned have benefited in equal measure in terms of their personal and professional development.

The national experts who already participated in the programme have come from the Data Protection Authorities of Germany (Hamburg), Greece, Hungary, Italy, Spain, France, Belgium, Poland and the United Kingdom.

In 2018, we would like to welcome two new national experts from a National Data Protection Authority or, where appropriate, from another national administration provided that the candidate has a close link or experience with data protection matters. In particular, we are looking for candidates with relevant background and professional experience to work in the Policy and Consultation unit. The selected candidates may be asked to assist with the setting up of the Secretariat of the EDPB.

Through this programme, the EDPS wants to promote exchange of knowledge and also a better understanding of our respective professional environments. The secondment is also an opportunity to work not only in a multicultural environment but also on the European dimension of data protection in a very exciting moment further to the adoption of the new General Data Protection Regulation.

Any such colleague who is interested in participating in this programme is invited to submit their proposals; through his/her institution and taking into account the national rules regarding the process of secondment, by 30/09/2017 at the latest.

You can find the rules concerning the programme in annex of this letter, as well as on our website:

<https://secure.edps.europa.eu/EDPSWEB/edps/EDPS/HR/END>

To apply, or to obtain additional information about the programme, candidates or the national body acting as coordinator for this procedure, should send an e-mail to [sne@edps.europa.eu](mailto:sne@edps.europa.eu). The application should include a motivation letter and curriculum vitae of the candidate.

Regards,

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Annex: European Data Protection Supervisor Decision of 28 April 2009 laying down rules on the secondment of National Experts to the EDPS and replacing European Data Protection Supervisor decisions on the subject.

Copy: Permanent Representations; text also uploaded in the CIRCA site of the Article 29 Working Party.