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International Development

The European Union Directive on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data.

Joachim Jacob, Dr., Federal Data Protection Commissioner - Germany

- "The European Directive on Data Protection - a factual Description of the Directive and an Evaluation of the Results" (only German version)

Ulf Brühann, Head of Unit, Free Circulation of Information and Data Protection, DG XV of the European Commission, Brussels - Belgium

- "The future Perspectives from the Commission's Standpoint, now that the Directive has been adopted" (English, French and German version)

Paul-André Comeau, President of the Commission d'accès à l'information du Québec - Canada

From a Panel Discussion (English and French version)

Kevin O'Connor, Federal Privacy Commissioner - Australia

From a Panel Discussion

Joel R. Reidenberg, Associate Professor of Law, Fordham University School of Law, New York - US

From a Panel Discussion

### Labour Market and Privacy

**Hubert Bouchet, Membre du Conseil économique et social, Commission Nationale de l'Informatique et des Libertés (CNIL) - France**

- "Computer Systems applied to the Control of Activities and Surveillance in the Work Place: Stakes and Risks for the Privacy of the Work Force"

- "L'informatique appliquée au contrôle d'activité et à la surveillance sur les lieux de travail: enjeux et risques pour la protection de la vie privée des salariés" (only French version)

**Peter J. Hustinx, President of the Registration Chamber - the Netherlands**

- "Labour Market and Privacy - the Situation in the Netherlands"

**Linda Nielsen, Dr.jur., Ass. Professor, University of Copenhagen - Denmark**

- "Use of Medical Data on the Labour Market. A Danish Draft Bill"

### Issues related to Research and Statistics

**Jean-Philippe Walter, Deputy Federal Data Protection Commissioner - Switzerland**

- "The Development of the Work in the European Council drafting a Recommendation on the Protection of Personal Data collected and processed for Statistical Purposes"

- "Projet de recommandation du Conseil de l'Europe sur la protection des données à caractère personnel collectées et traitées à des fins statistiques" (only French version)

**Finn Spieker, Consultant, Statistics Denmark - Denmark**

- "The Use of multipurpose Identification Numbers in the Production of Statistics in Denmark"

**Michel May, Président de chambre honoraire à la Cour des comptes, Commission Nationale de l'Informatique et des Libertés (CNIL) - France**

- "Statistical Data Bases and Protection of Personal Data"

- "Les bases de données statistiques et la protection des personnes" (only French version)

**Knut Borch-Johnsen, MD, Dr.Med. Sci.Head, Copenhagen County Centre of Preventive Medicine - Denmark**

- "Epidemiology and Register-based Research, legal and ethical Considerations"

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### Technological Development and Privacy

**Jon Bing, Professor, dr.juris, Norwegian Research Center for Computers and Law, University of Oslo - Norway**

- "From Footprints to electronic Trails: some current Issues of Data Protection Policy"

**Hansjürgen Garstka, Dr., Data Protection Commissioner of Berlin - Germany**

- "Privacy and Multimedia - an inherent Contradiction?"

Louise Cadoux, Vice-président délégué, conseiller d'Etat honoraire, Commission Nationale de l'Informatique et des Libertés (CNIL) - France

- "Protection of Privacy and Basic Freedom in the handling of Pictures and Sound"

- "La Protection de la Vie Privée et des Libertés Fondamentales dans Le Traitement des Images et des Sons" (only French version)

Marc Rotenberg, Director, Electronic Privacy Information Center (EPIC), Washington, US; Faculty of Law, Georgetown University Law Center

- "Technologies of Privacy, Technologies of Surveillance"

John J. Borking, Vice-President of the Registration Chamber - the Netherlands

- "Back to Anonymity - Privacy Enhancing Technologies"

Based on a joint study in the Netherlands and Ontario (Canada).

Alexander Dix, Dr.iur., Deputy Data Protection Commissioner, Berlin - Germany

- "Regulation of Telecommunications: Definition of Safety Standards concerning Cryptography"

#### Automation of Public Administration

Peter Blume, Professor, dr.jur., University of Copenhagen, Faculty of Law, Institute of Legal Science - Denmark

- "General Introduction - Privacy and Automation of Public Administration"

**Francis Aldhouse, Deputy Data Protection Registrar - United Kingdom**

- "Electronic Government - a UK Perspective"

**Herbert Burkert, Dr., GMD, St. Augustin, Germany/University of St. Gallen - Switzerland**

From a Panel Discussion

- "Commercialisation of Data collected by Public Authorities"

**David Flaherty, Information and Privacy Commissioner for the Province of British Columbia - Canada**

From a Panel Discussion

- "The increasing Use and Commercialization of Data collected by Public Authorities"

**Anitha Bondestam, Director General, Data Inspection Board - Sweden**

From a Panel Discussion

- "The Battle between the personal Right to Privacy and the commercial Need to know"

**Bruce Slane, Privacy Commissioner - New Zealand**

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