

Committee on International Trade Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

JOINT INTA/LIBE PUBLIC HEARING

Trade agreements and data flows: Safeguarding the EU data protection standards

16 June 2015, 10.00-12.30

Paul Henri Spaak (PHS) building, meeting room P3C050 European Parliament, Brussels

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OPENING REMARKS

10:00 - 10:10 Co-Chairs **Bernd LANGE**, Chair of the Committee on International Trade and **Claude MORAES**, Chair of the Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

Several trade negotiations and trade agreements including services (TTIP, TISA, CETA) touch upon areas that have an impact on data flows between the EU and the partner country (e.g. financial services, telecommunications). To which extent do these negotiations respect the EU's acquis on data privacy? What are the views of our trading partners on these issues? Which offensive and defensive interests are at stake?

Moderated by Laura Shields, The Media Coach

10:10 - 11:15	PANEL DISCUSSION I: Data flows, localisation and global value chains: offensive and defensive interests at stake (Chaired by Mr Lange)
10.10 - 10.20	Ignacio Iruarrizaga Head of Unit on Services (EU negotiator on TiSA), DG Trade
10.20 - 10.30	Chris Sherwood Head of Public Policy, Allegro Group (on behalf of Industry Coalition for Data Protection)

10.30 - 10.40	Finn Myrstad Head of the Digital Services Section at the Norwegian Consumer Council (NCC) and EU Co-Chair, Information Society Policy Committee, Transatlantic Consumer Dialogue
10.40 - 11.15	Questions & Answers
11.15 - 12.20	PANEL DISCUSSION II: Data flows between the EU and partner countries: how to comply with the EU standards on data protection and fundamental rights? (Chaired by Mr Moraes)
11.15 - 11.25	Paul Nemitz Director for Fundamental Rights and Union Citizenship, DG Justice and Consumers
11.25 - 11.35	Giovanni Buttarelli European Data Protection Supervisor
11.35 - 11.45	Anna Fielder Chair of the Privacy International and Senior Policy Advisor of the Transatlantic Consumer Dialogue
11.45 - 12.20	Questions & Answers

CONCLUDING REMARKS

12:20-12:30 Co- Chairs **Bernd LANGE**, Chair of the Committee on International Trade and **Claude MORAES**, Chair of the Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs