



## DATA PROTECTION NOTICE

### For processing of personal data in the context of online voting via Scytl for the elections of the Eurojust President and Vice President

#### 1. Context and Controller

On 13<sup>th</sup> October and 17<sup>th</sup> November there will be the elections of the Eurojust President and Vice President. The operations are necessary to allow the elections for the Eurojust President and Vice-President to take place remotely, since, due to the current Covid-19 situation they cannot be held in Eurojust premises.

Eurojust collects and further processes personal data, it is subject to *Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of 23 October 2018 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*.

In order to make enable voting over the internet, Eurojust makes use of the service Scytl. Scytl – data processor - processes personal data on behalf of Eurojust and the data controller who is the Head of Information Management Unit and can be contacted at [IMSecretariat@eurojust.europa.eu](mailto:IMSecretariat@eurojust.europa.eu).

#### 2. What personal information do we collect, for what purpose, under which legal bases and through which technical means?

##### *Legal basis*

The legal basis for processing of personal data are:

**Article 5(1)(a) of the Regulation 2018/1725, Article 11 of Eurojust Regulation, Article 2 of Rules of Procedure of Eurojust.**

##### *Purpose of the processing*

Scytl is used to allow members of the College to vote on the elections of the Eurojust President and Vice President, which cannot take place on premises due to the current Covid-19 measures. The system allows for full anonymous voting as imposed by the applicable Rule of Procedures.

##### *Technical means*

The solution is offered through an online service, and the data will be stored (encrypted) in the AWS (Amazon Web Services) cloud hosted in Ireland, as described in the License Agreement 2020/EJ/01/AGR/Scytl.

Scytl is the Data Processor, and their Data Protection Officer can be contacted at this email address: [privacy@scytl.com](mailto:privacy@scytl.com).

The Scytl Privacy Notice is added as annex to this Notice.

##### *Voting proceedings:*

The voters login with an account (moniker) and a secure password. Once they have entered the voting page, they will be able to select the candidate(s) they want to vote for and cast their vote fully anonymously. The candidate will as well be identified by a moniker. Once the voting is completed, the system will present to the voting administrator the anonymised results of the voting, which will then be shared with the Head of the Governance Secretariat and the Administrative Director as described in the applicable Rules of Procedure.



### ***Types of personal data***

The data collected are:

#### **For the voters:**

- a) Username (in the form of the country which the voter represents)
- b) IP Address

#### **For candidates:**

- a) Country of the candidate

#### **For Back Office Staff Member, Head of the Governance Secretariat, and Administrative Director:**

- a) Name, Surname, email address

### **3. Who has access to your personal data and to whom is it disclosed?**

The above mentioned information will be available to:

#### **Regarding voters:**

- a) Username: Back Office team member, Head of Governance Secretariat, and Scytl

#### **Regarding candidates and voting results**

- a) Country: Scytl, Head of Governance Secretariat, voters, Administrative Director
- b) Anonymised voting results: Scytl, Head of Governance Secretariat, voters, Administrative Director

#### **Regarding Back Office Staff Member, Head of the Governance Secretariat, and Administrative Director:**

- a) Name, surname, email address: Scytl

### **4. How do we protect and safeguard your information?**

The personal data introduced in the tool has been reduced to a minimum. All the data and voting results are fully anonymised, and transmitted and stored in an encrypted manner.

### **5. How can you verify, modify or delete your information?**

You have the right to access, rectify or erase or restrict the processing of your personal data or, where applicable, the right to object to processing or the right to data portability in line with Regulation (EU) 2018/1725.

Any such request should be directed to the Controller, by using the following email address: [usersupport@eurojust.europa.eu](mailto:usersupport@eurojust.europa.eu), and by explicitly specifying your request.

### **6. How long do we keep your personal data?**

Data created in the system are deleted after the election results are adopted, within 1 day from the approval of the voting.



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## **7. Contact information**

In case of queries regarding the processing of personal data Eurojust Data Protection Officer can be contacted via email at [dpo@eurojust.europa.eu](mailto:dpo@eurojust.europa.eu).

## **8. Recourse**

You have the right to lodge a complaint to the European Data Protection Supervisor via email: [edps@edps.europa.eu](mailto:edps@edps.europa.eu) or the link ([https://edps.europa.eu/data-protection/our-role-supervisor/complaints\\_en](https://edps.europa.eu/data-protection/our-role-supervisor/complaints_en)) if you consider that your rights under Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 have been infringed as a result of the processing of your personal data.