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Dear Ms Coninx,

Opinion on a proposed policy on processing Europol's requests to cross-check data against all data in the Case management System

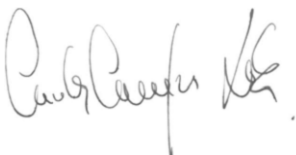
On 13 November 2014 the JSB received your request (dated 12 November 2014) for a formal opinion on the proposed draft policy: Use of CMS Link Detection Mechanism to respond to cross-check requests from Europol.

During the JSB meeting on 13 November, the Chair of the Europol Team presented the draft policy.

After internal discussions, the JSB is of the opinion that the presented draft policy represents a balanced approach and that it takes full account of the data protection safeguard requirements (individual assessment of each request, registration in the CMS, time limits, scope of the data which may be processed, limited access to CROSS-CHECK TWF, etc.) raised by the JSB in its meeting on 24 April 2014.

Once the draft policy is formally adopted and applied into the practice of Eurojust, the JSB would like to be kept regularly informed on the implementation of the policy.

Yours sincerely,



Carlos Campos Lobo
Chair Joint Supervisory Body of Eurojust