

DO NOT SHARE YOUR PERSONAL DATA THROUGH MOBILE APPLICATIONS BECAUSE THERE IS SUSPECTION THAT THE CURRENT SITUATION IS USED AND UNAUTHORIZED DATA COLLECTION IS UNDERWAY

The Personal Data Protection Agency warns citizens to be careful how and with whom they share their personal data in such situations as the epidemic caused by the coronavirus.

Namely, citizens complain that they receive messages via mobile applications asking for personal data, all under the guise of making records of violators of self-isolation measures.

This method of data collection is NOT implemented by the Ministry of the Interior or the National Civil Protection Headquarters. Accordingly, citizens are asked NOT to fall prey to this attempted fraud and unauthorized collection of personal data, which is a notice on their Internet stations and official social media channels, announced the Ministry of Interior and the National Civil Protection Headquarters.

<https://www.koronavirus.hr/upozorenje-gradjanima-ne-dijelite-osobne-podatke-preko-mobilnih-aplikacija/233>

<https://twitter.com/RavnateljstvoCZ>

<https://www.facebook.com/Ravnateljstvo-civilne-za%C5%A1tite-MUP-RH-112341947028373/>

We are of the opinion that there is a suspicion of possible commission of criminal offenses under Article 146 of the Criminal Code "Illegal Use of Personal Data", as well as other criminal offenses for investigation and prosecution of which the Police and the State Attorney's Office are responsible. report to the police on the telephone number 192.

The Personal Data Protection Agency, as the competent body in the field of personal data protection supervision, preventively advises citizens that increased caution is needed in any disposition of personal data, especially through mobile applications and the Internet. For this reason, citizens are asked to act with special care, responsibly and critically and not to pass them on to unknown as well as insufficiently known (legal or natural) persons whose identity cannot be determined in advance.

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