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Results of the Autumn Conference of the Freedom of Information Officers 2018 On October 16, 2018, the autumn conference of the Freedom of Information Officers in Germany took place in Ulm City Hall under the chairmanship of the State Commissioner for Data Protection and Freedom of Information Baden-Württemberg. Chaired by the State Commissioner for Data Protection and Freedom of Information Baden -Württemberg, the autumn meeting of the conference of freedom of information officers in Germany took place on October 16, 2018 in Ulm town hall.

In a position paper, the state commissioner for data protection and freedom of information of Rhineland-Palatinate, together with other federal and state commissioners for freedom of information, calls for the implementation of the requirements, which are essential for the transparent and responsible use of algorithms and AI processes.

The state commissioner for data protection and freedom of information in Rhineland-Palatinate, Prof. Dr. Dieter Kugelmann, welcomes the joint position of the freedom of information officer: "I am very happy that transparency is being demanded from the point of view of freedom of information in the socially highly exciting field of the use of algorithms. Public administration should set a good example in this regard. We will follow the highly dynamic processes closely and make a constructive contribution to the further development of the legal and practical framework."

In addition, with the resolution "Social participation needs consistent publication of administrative regulations!", the conference addresses social service providers and calls on them to publish administrative regulations so that citizens can effectively exercise their rights and obligations.

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