

Press release of the conference of the independent data protection supervisory authorities of the federal and state governments of March 31, 2021

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Create legal regulations for the processing of pandemic-related health data by the private sector In the context of the current discussion about possible opening steps, the question of whether the use of various private-sector offers can be linked to proof of a vaccination, a survived infection or a negative test result is of central importance .The conference of the independent data protection supervisory authorities of the federal and state governments (data protection conference) considers it essential that the requirements for such data processing, for example in the context of event and restaurant visits or in the context of employment, are regulated by the legislator. Without such a statutory Although consent can be considered as the legal basis, its effectiveness must be measured by whether it was given voluntarily. Individual case-related considerations with regard to the effectiveness of the consent can be complex and associated with great legal uncertainty. With its resolution today, the data protection conference is therefore calling on the legislator to act as quickly as possible and to create a legal basis that meets the strict requirements of Article 9 paragraph 2 General data protection regulation is sufficient for the processing of health data. Further information on the data protection conference: www.datenschutzkonferenz-online.de Contact: Independent data protection center Saarland Fritz-Dobisch-Straße 12 66111 Saarbrücken E-mail: medien@datenschutz.saarland.de

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