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LfDI Stefan Brink supports the use of the

"luca" - App against Corona

LfDI Brink: "The luca app makes an important contribution

in tracing contacts during pan-

demie and thereby fulfills our high data protection

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The State Commissioner for Data Protection and Information

heit of Baden-Württemberg supports with the "luca" app

a smart and innovative approach to pandemic

fight, also through the commitment of the Fantastic

Four is worn with the Stuttgart Smudo.

The aim of this app is, in the course of fighting the pandemic,

the individual a technical possibility at hand

indicate to document contacts and in case of infection

to the responsible health authority.

The "luca" app saves the data and contacts decentrally on your own smartphone and encrypts it, one access

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this is only possible with express consent. Even the operator of the app has no access to this personal data. So sovereignty over the data remains intact starting with each user himself.

The previous paper economy in many service areas with poorly legible, incorrect or incomplete roof ten is thus overcome. After releasing the contact details by the infected person and the luca user can

Employees of the health authorities quickly and without special effort to get verified contact data, Contact persons can be informed completely with one click will.

In addition, the state representative for data protection Stefan Brink: "As a data protection officer, I support the "luca" app fully convinced. This tool is a valuable addition of the previous state protective measures for tracking of contacts during the pandemic. We have the App checked technically and legally. The app fulfills our high data protection standards. The documentation of the ten contacts are encrypted using state-of-the-art technology and it is entirely in the hands of the luca user whether, when and with whom he chooses to share this sensitive data."

In addition, the "luca" app could be very valuable  
make a contribution to help the health authorities with the follow-up  
relieving chains of infection, Brink continued. "The  
App offers the technical possibility to quickly  
ler to recognize and thus stop faster. and  
this in turn offers all of us the chance to  
to avoid downs or closures. This shortens  
our way to the well-known and longed-for freedom!"