My data, the administration and me

The Bavarian State Commissioner for Data Protection gives data

protection guide for citizens

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The data protection reform of 2018 was a good year ago. Most guarantors

citizens have already had their first encounters with the new

data protection law. Bavarian state authorities and municipalities also

often published extensive data protection notices, asked for consent

gen in the processing of personal data or behaved

otherwise different than before - "for data protection reasons", as it was then called.

Data protection is not only a matter for the data protection supervisory authorities. Every

Citizens are called upon when it comes to securing the

own space of freedom in an increasingly digitized world. That

published by the Bavarian State Commissioner for Data Protection

bene book "My data, the administration and I - guide through the

World of the General Data Protection Regulation" is intended to provide the necessary information

impart know-how.

The data protection guide for citizens first leads to

the most important basic structures and terms of data protection law.

The focus is then on the rights of those affected by data protection

basic regulation. These include the right to information,

Correction and deletion as well as the right to object. A look at the

Data protection supervision and the right to complain shows how affected persons

others can defend their data protection rights.

Prof. Dr. Thomas Petri: "With the new data protection guide, I would like

I made the somewhat cumbersome topic of 'data protection law' more accessible to everyone

make. The book deliberately focuses on the activities of

Bavarian public authorities. This also applies to the numerous

Your personal rights - our mission

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The Bavarian State Commissioner for Data Protection informed

n examples. Interested citizens from other federal

countries or other European countries may differ from the Bavarian

data protection guide but also benefit: After all, the da-

General Data Protection Regulation directly in all member states of the

European Union."

The data protection guide for citizens is free of charge

available. As of today, a PDF version is available on the website of the

Bavarian State Commissioner for Data Protection https://www.daten-

schutz-bayern.de in the "Data Protection Reform 2018" section for download

ready.

Prof. Dr. Thomas Petri

The Bavarian State Commissioner for Data Protection checks the Bavarian public

public bodies compliance with data protection regulations. It's from Bavarian

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