Penalty for GDPR violation

The National Supervisory Authority completed, on 16.12.2019, an investigation at the operator SC Enel Energie S.A., finding the following:

violation of the provisions of art. 5 para. (1) lit. d) and (2) of the General Data Protection Regulation;

violation of the provisions of art. 6 and art. 7 of the General Data Protection Regulation;

violation of the provisions of art. 21 para. (1) of the General Data Protection Regulation.

Operator S.C. Enel Energie S.R.L. was penalized with two fines, each in the amount of 14,334.30 lei, the equivalent of 3000 EURO, for the violation of art. 5 para. (1) lit. d), art. 6 para. (1) lit. a) and art. 7 para. (1) of the General Data Protection

Regulation, respectively for violation of the provisions of art. 21 para. (1) of the General Data Protection Regulation.

The sanctions were applied as a result of a complaint claiming that S.C. Enel Energie S.A. illegally processed the petitioner's data, not being able to prove that he obtained his consent for sending notifications to this e-mail address and without respecting the principle of accuracy. In addition, the operator did not take the necessary measures to deactivate the transmission of notifications, although the petitioner exercised his right of opposition on several occasions.

The fine was paid by the operator.

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