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press statement

Saxon data protection officer takes over as chairman of the

German data protection conference

In 2020, the Saxon data protection officer Andreas Schurig will reference of the 18 independent state data protection supervisory authorities chair the federal and state governments. He takes over this task from the state contributed to data protection and freedom of information in Rhineland-Palatinate and Chairman of the data protection conference in 2019, Prof. Dr. Dieter Kugel man.

Schurig, mathematician and theologian, has the office of the Saxon data protection officer since 2004. In 2009 and 2015 he was awarded a large Re-elected by the Saxon state parliament with a majority. His authority currently employs around 30 employees who serve the approx. 180,000 companies 29,000 clubs, 2.2 million private households and numerous public ones Offices in Saxony with regard to their handling of personal data oversee.

The data protection conference decides on the joint demands of the data protection officers in politics and companies. She supports herself their specialist working groups such as "Justice", "Science and Research" or "Be employee data protection".

In practice, the presidency will be handed over from Rhineland-Palatinate to Saxony on 28th and 29th January 2020 in Berlin. On January 28th the 14th European Data Protection Day organized by Rhineland-Palatinate the motto "Artificial Intelligence - between support and taming"

instead of. Already on January 29th the 1st conference will take place under the chairmanship
take place in Saxony. Topics will include the medical informatics initiative
of the Federal Ministry of Education and Research as well as a positioning
to Windows 10.
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Schurig will spend his presidency under the general motto "Informational self-determination".
mung". "Self-determination is still the most important value of data protection
z. In view of the internet giants, we must ensure more than ever that the
Individuals decide freely about the use of their data
can," says Schurig.
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