## **UNDER THE TREE OF KNOWLEDGE - POLICY SESSION**

Theme: Data Protection Regulation 2019...imperatives for Halogen businesses



26th February 2019

## Data Protection...why should Halogen bother?

- a. The regulation has implication on and interface with fundamental human right (section 37). As an employer of substantial labor, Halogen has a HIGH risk exposure
- b. As a technology company, the regulations will influence our gathering, use and storage of data
- c. The potentials exist for litigations as the Data Subject is now 'king'
- d. With Halogen's increasing digital footprint, the possibilities and risk exposures of data breaches becomes higher

## Some Key Business Imperatives

- The data protection regulation engenders that the Data Subject must be protected
- Personal data must be collected, processed and stored in accordance with specific, legitimate and lawful purpose
- Data must be secured against breaches and attacks
- There has to be express consent given before data is collected – and it must be informed, unambiguous and specific



		Date By	Proposed
	Halogen's "To Dos"		Lead
1	Nominate a Data Protection "Champion" for Halogen	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> March 2019	GMD
	Groupwho will lead the implementation of this "To Do" list		
2	Update consent form – with clear indications of what the data will be used for and the conditions for Data Subject	18 <sup>th</sup> March 2019	Head HR
	withdrawal		
3	Develop organization Data Protection Policy in line with	24 <sup>th</sup> March 2019	Director of
	NITDA's regulations		Strategy
4	Have a designated Data Protection Officer for the purpose of	24 <sup>th</sup> March 2019	Head HR
	ensuring adherence to the Regulation		
5	Conduct a root and branch audit of current practice to	By 25 <sup>th</sup> March 2019 — this is a	Director of
	identify variances from Regulations	statutory requirement	Strategy – PM
			Team
6	Ensure compliance to Regulation	By end of June 2019 — this is	As above
		a statutory requirement	
7	Make data protection policies available to staff, clients and	28 <sup>th</sup> June 2019	Director of
	the general public via web site and other information		Marketing
	dissemination platform(s)		