

ICDPPC Global Privacy and Data Protection Awards

2019

Entry Form

Deadline 29 July 2019

To submit an entry to the ICDPPC Global Privacy and Data Protection Awards please complete and email this form to ExCoSecretariat@icdppc.org no later than 29 July 2019.

Note: ICDPPC member authorities can submit as many entries as they wish, but a separate form should be used for each different entry, submitted by the deadline of 29 July. Languages: the conference documentation rule 6.2¹ applies:

1. Contact details for this entry:

- a. Name and email address of person completing this form: Hyunik Kim / aptom@korea.kr
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- b. Name of Data Protection or Privacy Authority: Personal Information Protection Commission of Korea

2. Eligibility: By submitting this entry I confirm that:

- a. The Authority is a member of the International Conference of Data Protection and Privacy Commissioners.
- b. The initiative described in this entry was undertaken since the last edition.
- c. I am aware that the information in the entry (other than the contact details in 1(a) above) will be publicised by the ICDPPC Secretariat.

3. Please indicate which **category you wish to enter (delete those that do not apply; you can enter multiple categories but please use separate forms for each entry):**

- a. Education and public awareness
- b. Accountability
- c. Dispute resolution and enforcement
- d. **Innovation**
- e. People's Choice

4. Description of the initiative

- a. Please provide a brief summary of the initiative (no more than 75 words):

The Privacy Risk Assessment System is aimed at assessing privacy risks in the laws, regulations and enforcement decrees to be enacted or revised by central administrative agencies when they intend to introduce or alter policies or systems involving personal data processing through such enactment or revision. Practically, central administrative agencies should submit to the PIPC all the laws, regulations and enforcement decrees to be enacted or revised, regardless of whether they entail personal data processing. It is because there should always be some grey area between what is personal data and what is not.

¹ 6.2 Conference documents

Without prejudice to section 4.2, conference documents, including accreditation and observer applications may be submitted in English or in another language. In the latter case, the documents shall be accompanied by an English version. Members with the ability and the resources to do so are encouraged to translate proposed resolutions and other conference documents such as the Conference Rules and Procedures.

- b. Please provide a full description of the initiative (no more than 350 words):

In 2018, the PIPC reviewed 915 cases submitted by central administrative agencies to see whether they were subject to PIPC's assessment. The PIPC made recommendations in regards to 105 cases that the laws, regulations or enforcement decrees concerned should be revised to remove privacy risks. In the first half of 2019, the PIPC made recommendations that 71 out of 589 laws, regulations or enforcement decrees submitted for assessment should be revised to eliminate privacy risks. In March 2019, the PIPC set the standards for processing personal data to the minimum possible extent when central administrative agencies establish and revise statutory forms, taking into consideration the outcome of assessments done by the PIPC. The standards include ones for processing resident registration numbers and for processing personal data required to fill in different statutory forms.

- c. Please explain why you think the initiative deserves to be recognised by an award (no more than 200 words)

The Privacy Risk Assessment System is very effective in protecting data subjects' personal data as it allows privacy risks to be identified and assessed at the legislation stage, and recommendations to be made as necessary to get rid of privacy risks. This also contributes to avoiding data breaches and misuse/abuse of personal data in advance. The system is also significant in the sense that it helps to ensure consistency amongst data protection laws/provisions by identifying and removing duplicate or conflicting elements. The outcome of PIPC's privacy risk assessment is also made public on the PIPC's website and is available for further use by other agencies and citizens.

- d. Include a photograph or image if you wish (note this will be published with your entry on the ICDPPC website; the image can be pasted into the entry or send as an attachment or a link may be provided): **Refer to attachment.**
- e. Please provide the most relevant link on the authority's website to the initiative (if applicable) (The website content does not need to be in English):
http://www.pipc.go.kr/link/bbs/agendaList.do?board_type=evaluation
- f. Please provide any other relevant links that you wish that help explain the initiative or its impact or success (e.g. links to news reports or articles):