

Quo vadis Europe? Legislating the fundamental rights of privacy and data protection

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Recital 40 of the new Regulation:

"If the processing is necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority vested in the controller, Union law or Member State law may determine and specify the tasks and purposes for which the further processing shall be regarded as compatible and lawful".

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7 important elements of the new Regulation:

- 1. Accountability
- 2. Data Protection Impact Assessment
- 3. Data Protection Officer
- 4. Data Breach Notification
- 5. Administrative Fining Power
- 6. Class Action
- 7. One Stop Shop



Chapter II, Art. 5, paragraph 1:

"The controller shall be responsible for and be able to demonstrate compliance with paragraph 1 (accountability)".

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