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Processing of personal data in the State Treasury's analysis and reporting services

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2. Purpose of processing personal data

We process personal data as a part of our statutory analysis and reporting service tasks produced for the Government. Data from the central government's shared corporate service providers is utilised in the activities – including personnel data. This data is used to produce analysis and reporting services to support the Government's preparatory work and decision-making. Said data can also be utilised in research.

For each assignment, we also store the name information of customer contact persons in our customer register for customer relationship management and development purposes.

3. Legal basis for processing personal data

Pursuant to article 6(1)(c) of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), the lawfulness of data processing in analysis and reporting service tasks is based on the controller's statutory obligation, which is laid down in the Act on the State Treasury (1991/305 section 2(c)).

When we process customer register data, the processing is based on an assignment from a customer.

4. Personal data groups subject to processing

Data from the central government's shared corporate service providers' data registers is utilised in analysis and reporting service activities. In addition to financial and operational data, these registers contain personal data of central government personnel as well as, in some cases, personal data on procurement suppliers. The processed data may also be combined with other necessary and available data to the extent that the prerequisites of processing are met.

The analysis and reporting service activities do not involve processing the special categories of personal data referred to in article 9 of the General Data Protection Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of the European Union on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data and repealing Directive 95/46/EC. However, as an exception, information concerning the duration of absence due to illness, occupational disease or occupational accident is processed. This matter is separately provided for in the Act on the State Treasury (15.2.1991/305 section 2(c)(2)).



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Data is processed in compliance with the Act on the State Treasury and appropriate safeguards. Before transferring data for analysis, it is protected by pseudonymisation. The published results of analysis and reporting service activities are anonymised or aggregated in such a way that an individual cannot be identified unless the analysis or report is produced for a party who has the right to process the personal data disclosed.

The names of contact persons are stored in the customer register.

5. What are the sources of personal data?

Data from the central government's shared corporate service providers' data registers is utilised in analysis and reporting service activities. The registers contain data on planning and monitoring of operations, financial and human resources management, common basic information technology, procurement management, facility management, centralised training services, project management and organisational structure related to Government agencies and institutions. The central government's shared corporate service providers include the Finnish Government Shared Services Centre for Finance and HR Palkeet, the Government ICT Centre Valtori, the Digital and Population Data Services Agency, Senate Properties, Hansel Oy and HAUS kehittämiskeskus Oy.

The above-mentioned registers contain personal data of central government personnel and of suppliers related to procurement. Other unidentifiable data and other public information necessary for the implementation of analysis and reporting services may also be used in the activities.

6. Transfer or disclosure of personal data

As a rule, personal data is not disclosed outside the State Treasury. In assignments supporting employer activities, the final results of analyses can be processed at the personal level if the client has a statutory right to the processing of personal data.

At the State Treasury, the data is only processed by the officials or persons acting on behalf of the State Treasury who need it in their duties. Access to data systems is restricted by access rights.

Personal data is processed by trained data analysts and data engineers.

7. Transfer and disclosure of data outside the EU or EEA.

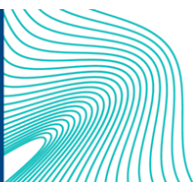
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8. Profiling and automatic decision-making

The State Treasury does not conduct automatic decision-making or profiling based on the personal data used in analysis and reporting service activities.

9. Retention of personal data

As a rule, personal data is stored on the data platform only for the time and to the extent that is necessary for analysis assignments or reporting. Personal data will be stored for no longer than one year after the end of analysis or reporting if no further requirements are identified on the same topic.



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The personal data in the customer register is stored until the relationship between the controller and the customer can be considered to have ended. The ending time is determined on the basis of the last processing date of an assignment, plus five years.

10. Data subject rights in analysis and reporting services

The data subject has the right to ask the State Treasury for access to data concerning them and to request that the data be corrected.

As the processing of personal data is based on the performance of a statutory task under article 6(1)(c) of the GDPR, the data subject does not have the right to object to the processing of personal data under article 21 of the GDPR.

10.1. Right to lodge a complaint with a supervisory authority

As a data subject, you have the right to submit the legality of the State Treasury's activities for assessment by the Data Protection Ombudsman.

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