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Article 29 Working Party Guidelines on Transparency under Regulation 2016/679

These guidelines provide practical guidance and interpretative assistance from the Article 29 Working Party (WP29) on the new obligation of transparency concerning the processing of personal data under the General Data Protection Regulation (the 'GDPR'). **Transparency** is an overarching obligation under the GDPR applying to three central areas:

- The provision of information to data subjects related to fair processing;
- How data controllers communicate with data subjects in relation to their rights under the GDPR;
- How data controllers facilitate the exercise by data subjects of their rights.