



Office of the Attorney General
Washington, D. C. 20530

Designation Pursuant to Section 3(f) of Executive Order 14086

Consistent with section 3(f) of Executive Order 14086 of October 7, 2022 (Enhancing Safeguards for United States Signals Intelligence Activities), and on the basis of the information contained in the “Memorandum in Support of Designation of the European Union and Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway as Qualifying States Under Executive Order 14086” prepared by the National Security Division of the Department of Justice, I have determined, in consultation with the Secretary of State, the Secretary of Commerce, and the Director of National Intelligence, that:

(1) the laws of the European Union (“EU”) or its member countries and those of Iceland, Liechtenstein, and Norway (together the “European Economic Area”) require appropriate safeguards in the conduct of signals intelligence activities for United States persons’ personal information that is transferred from the United States to the territory of the member countries of the European Economic Area;

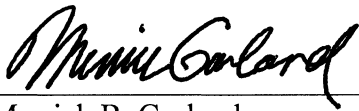
(2) the EU, its member countries, and Iceland, Liechtenstein, and Norway, are anticipated, pursuant to an adequacy decision to be adopted by the European Commission, to permit the transfer of personal information for commercial purposes between the territory of the member countries of the European Economic Area and the territory of the United States; and

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Accordingly, I hereby designate the EU, Iceland, Liechtenstein, and Norway as qualifying states for purposes of eligibility for the redress mechanism established in section 3 of Executive Order 14086. This designation becomes effective on the date the European Commission adopts an adequacy decision for the EU-U.S. Data Privacy Framework.

June 30, 2023
Date


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