

**Dated:** 14 June 2022

**Subject:** Update to GVL & TCF Technical Specification Vendor Device Storage & Operational Disclosures

All Vendor & CMPs,

This communication gives you formal notification of 2 updates to the following TCF resources:

1. TCF registration information required from Vendors when registering on the Global Vendor List (GVL).
2. TCF Technical Specification *Vendor Device Storage & Operational Disclosures*.

### **TCF Vendor Registration Update**

The update applies to the following field that refers to international data transfer:

**Field name: Do you transfer data out of EU/EEA?\***

When applicable the field has been updated with a dedicated disclaimer as follows:

*"Certain transfer mechanisms do not automatically ensure an adequate level of data protection on their own under GDPR and may need to be accompanied by supplementary measures depending on the circumstances"*

When considering what is applicable to your operation the field has also been updated to allow you to indicate "supplementary measures" at the same time the option to indicate "other" has been removed.

Note: given this update you may wish to update your registration [here](#)

### **TCF Technical Specification Vendor Device Storage & Operational Disclosures update**

Your attention is drawn to the following points of clarification that are now described in the technical specification [here](#)

1. **Vendors:** the specification has been updated to clarify that there are no assumptions or requirements describing the URL and the filename that links to the required JSON resource that you are asked to provide during registration.
2. **CMPs:** the specification has been updated to clarify that regardless of whether the CMP requests the JSON file from the vendor's server or CMP's server, Access-Control-Allow-Credentials must be set to false to not include any cookie in the request.

### **Update of the GVL registration : addition of new fields & update to the**

As notified March 14 (see official notification [here](#)), all Vendors are requested to expand the information required from when registering on the Global Vendor List (GVL) with the addition of a number of new fields including an update to the field *deviceStorageDisclosureUrl* that now requires Vendors to provide a secure URL to a JSON



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resource containing the information described in the technical specification (including the clarification described above).

Vendors are reminded that they must apply the necessary changes to their registration by July 14 2022. Failure to make these registration updates by this date could result in your suspension from the GVL until your registration is updated.

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