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CC: Policy & Consultation <POLICY-
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[REDACTED]
Sent at: 14/08/23 10:12:30
Subject: RE: MoU

Great. Thanks very much [REDACTED] I shall send a Teams meeting invite.

I hope to catch up with you another time!

Best

[REDACTED]



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Pleasure to make your acquaintance. On our side Wednesday afternoon (the 13th), as of 15:00 CET (14:00 BST) should work.

I will be on leave then, but you should be in far more capable hands with Anna and [REDACTED] I hope we have a chance to meet again at a future occasion.

Have a nice weekend!

Best wishes,

[REDACTED]



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Thanks very much Anna hi [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

If you were available on either 11th or 13th in the afternoon my colleague [REDACTED] (copied), who leads on our MOU work, and I are both available on both days from 1200 BST (1300 CET).

If neither of those dates work, we could look at the following week, but 21st and 22nd will be difficult for us.

Please let me know what suits and we can send out a Teams invite.

All the best and enjoy the rest of August!



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Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you so much for your swift and positive response! I cc my deputy [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] who will be available in the coming weeks in case of any question

Would you please be so kind and communicate your availabilities? The week of 11/09 might be difficult, but we could accommodate Monday afternoon, Tuesday or Wednesday afternoon. The following week might be easier apart from Tue 19 Wed 20/09 when there is an EDPB plenary. Our assistants will be happy to set up a conf call.

I look forward to discussing in September!

Best wishes,
Anna



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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 09 August 2023 17:13
To: BUCHTA Anna <anna.buchta@edps.europa.eu>
Subject: RE: MoU

Hi Anna

Lovely to hear from you. I am good thanks, no summer holiday yet maybe in September...I hope you are well too.

The short answer to your question, and in principle only as I have not discussed more widely yet, would be 'Yes!' I can see great value in a MoU between the ICO and the EDPS for all of the reasons you suggest. I also agree that this would be a very useful step towards greater cooperation with the EDPB which, as you know, we have been pushing towards, with limited success, for some time.

I would be happy to have a meeting with you and colleagues when you are back from leave, so that we can discuss next steps and share initial thoughts about content of a MoU.

I am on leave from 31 August for a few days, returning to work on 6 September, so perhaps we should look at dates in the week beginning 11 September?

In the meantime, I hope you have a great holiday and look forward to seeing you soon..

Best



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Dear [REDACTED]

I hope you are having a nice summer (break).

I would like to ask whether there would be an interest on your part to conclude a Memorandum of Understanding with the EDPS. The idea would be to consolidate cooperation across a number of areas which has already happened in the past (e.g. staff exchanges) or is ongoing, both on supervision and enforcement and policy side. We would also see it as a strong signal to our counterparts and the EDPB to support and engage in more structured forms of cooperation with the ICO.

If this is something that should be more usefully taken up directly with [REDACTED] please do not hesitate to let me know.

Fyi, I will be on holiday for the next two weeks, back on 28 August.

Best wishes,
Anna

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