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- [C-507/17](#) - Google (Territorial scope of de-referencing)
Judgment of the Court (Grand Chamber) of 24 September 2019
Google LLC, successor in law to Google Inc. v Commission nationale de l'informatique et des libertés (CNIL)

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Reference for a preliminary ruling — Personal data — Protection of individuals with regard to the processing of such data — Directive 95/46/EC — Regulation (EU) 2016/679 — **Internet search engines** — **Processing of data on web pages** — Territorial scope of the right to de-referencing

- [C-345/17](#) – Buivids
Judgment of the Court (Second Chamber) of 14 February 2019
Proceedings brought by Sergejs Buivids

Request for a preliminary ruling from the Augstākā tiesa

Reference for a preliminary ruling — Processing of personal data — Directive 95/46/EC — Article 3 — Scope — Video recording of police officers carrying out procedural measures in a police station — **Publication on a video website** — Article 9 — Processing of personal data solely **for journalistic purposes** — Meaning — Freedom of expression — Protection of privacy

- [C-136/17](#) - GC and Others (De-referencing of sensitive data)
Judgment of the Court (Grand Chamber) of 24 September 2019
GC and Others v Commission nationale de l'informatique et des libertés (CNIL)

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Reference for a preliminary ruling — Personal data — Protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data contained on websites — Directive 95/46/EC — Regulation (EU) 2016/679 — **Search engines on the internet** — Processing of data appearing on websites — Special categories of data referred to in Article 8 of Directive 95/46 and Articles 9 and 10 of Regulation 2016/679 — Applicability of those articles to operators of a search engine — Extent of that operator's obligations with respect to those articles — Publication of data on websites solely **for journalistic purposes or the**

purpose of artistic or literary expression — Effect on the handling of a request for de-referencing — Articles 7, 8 and 11 of the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union

- [C-210/16](#) - Wirtschaftsakademie Schleswig-Holstein
Judgment of the Court (Grand Chamber) of 5 June 2018
Unabhängiges Landeszentrum für Datenschutz Schleswig-Holstein v Wirtschaftsakademie Schleswig-Holstein GmbH

Request for a preliminary ruling from the Bundesverwaltungsgericht

Reference for a preliminary ruling — Directive 95/46/EC — Personal data — Protection of natural persons with respect to the processing of that data — Order to **deactivate a Facebook page** (fan page) enabling the collection and processing of certain data of visitors to that page — Article 2(d) — **Controller responsible for the processing of personal data** — Article 4 — Applicable national law — Article 28 — **National supervisory authorities** — Powers of intervention of those authorities

- [C-582/14](#) – Breyer
Judgment of the Court (Second Chamber) of 19 October 2016
Patrick Breyer v Bundesrepublik Deutschland

Request for a preliminary ruling from the Bundesgerichtshof

Reference for a preliminary ruling — Processing of personal data — Directive 95/46/EC — Article 2(a) — Article 7(f) — **Definition of ‘personal data’** — **Internet protocol addresses** — Storage of data by an online media services provider — National legislation not permitting the legitimate interest pursued by the controller to be taken into account

- [C-131/12](#) - Google Spain and Google
Judgment of the Court (Grand Chamber), 13 May 2014
Google Spain SL and Google Inc. v Agencia Española de Protección de Datos (AEPD) and Mario Costeja González

Request for a preliminary ruling from the Audiencia Nacional

Personal data — Protection of individuals with regard to the processing of such data — Directive 95/46/EC — Articles 2, 4, 12 and 14 — Material and territorial scope — **Internet search engines** — Processing of data contained **on websites** — Searching for, indexing and storage of such data — Responsibility of the **operator of the search engine** — Establishment on the territory of a Member State — Extent of that operator’s obligations and of the data subject’s rights — Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union — Articles 7 and 8

- [C-101/01](#) – Lindqvist

Judgment of the Court of 6 November 2003.

Criminal proceedings against Bodil Lindqvist.

Reference for a preliminary ruling: Göta hovrätt - Sweden.

Directive 95/46/EC - Scope - Publication of personal **data on the internet** - Place of publication - Definition of **transfer of personal data to third countries** - Freedom of expression - Compatibility with Directive 95/46 of greater protection for personal data under the national legislation of a Member State.

- [T-343/13](#) - CN v Parliament
Judgment of the General Court (Sixth Chamber) of 3 December 2015
CN v European Parliament

Non-contractual liability — Petition addressed to the Parliament — Dissemination of **certain personal data on the Parliament’s website** — Absence of a sufficiently serious **breach of a rule of law** conferring rights on individuals

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- [Times Newspapers Ltd v. the United Kingdom](#) (nos. 1 and 2), 2009, § 27.
- [Węgrzynowski and Smolczewski v. Poland](#), 2013 (§§ 60-70).

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