



Privacy Notice

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Why are you processing my personal information?

The Department is keen to gain a better insight into the impact of the NI Protocol on businesses regarding goods moving from Great Britain to Northern Ireland. This online survey will assist us in this. The data is being collected by the Department for the Economy.

The lawful basis for processing is that of public task in accordance with Section 8 of the Data Protection Act 2018 and Article 6(1)(e) of UK GDPR.

What categories of personal data are you processing?

The personal data being collected is minimal and is best described as business contact data which includes your name, email address and business name however, should you be a sole trader other information you provide may constitute personal data.

Information you provide may include other personal data, for example, the names of other businesses (if they are sole traders) and as the survey includes a question asking if you have other comments/views you would like to add, this could potentially contain personal data.

Where do you get my personal data from?

You provide your personal data should you choose to complete the online survey.

Do you share my personal data with anyone else?

Your personal data may be shared with the Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency. There is no sharing of your personal data beyond the Department and NISRA. Should a need for further sharing be determined in the future, this will have to be compatible with the original purpose for sharing and in compliance with all other requirements deriving from relevant data protection law.

Do you transfer my personal data to other countries?

No, your data will remain within the UK.



How long do you keep my personal data?

We will only retain your data for as long as necessary to process in line with the Department's Retention and Disposal Schedule.

How do you use my personal data to make decisions about me?

No automated decision making or profiling is being used.

What rights do I have?

- You have the right to obtain confirmation that your data is being processed, and [access to your personal data](#)
- You are entitled to have personal data [rectified if it is inaccurate or incomplete](#)
- You have the right to ['block' or suppress processing](#) of personal data, in specific circumstances
- You have the right to [data portability](#), in specific circumstances

How do I complain if I am not happy?

If you are unhappy with any aspect of this privacy notice, or how your personal information is being processed, please contact the Department's Data Protection Officer at DPO@economy-ni.gov.uk

If you are still not happy, you have the right to lodge a complaint with the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) at <https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/>