

Regulation (EU) 2018/1727 of the European Parliament and of the Council
of 14 November 2018 on the European Union Agency for Criminal Justice
Cooperation (Eurojust), and replacing and repealing Council Decision 2002/187/JHA

CHAPTER IV

PROCESSING OF INFORMATION

Article 36

Designation of the Data Protection Officer

1 The Executive Board shall designate a Data Protection Officer. The Data Protection Officer shall be a member of staff specifically appointed for this purpose. In the performance of his or her duties, the Data Protection Officer shall act independently and may not receive any instructions.

2 The Data Protection Officer shall be selected on the basis of his or her professional qualities and, in particular, expert knowledge of data protection law and practice, and ability to fulfil his or her tasks under this Regulation, in particular those referred to in Article 38.

3 The selection of the Data Protection Officer shall not be liable to result in a conflict of interests between his or her duty as Data Protection Officer and any other official duties he or she may have, in particular in relation to the application of this Regulation.

4 The Data Protection Officer shall be appointed for a term of four years and shall be eligible for reappointment up to a maximum total term of eight years. The Data Protection Officer may be dismissed from his or her post by the Executive Board only with the agreement of the EDPS, if he or she no longer fulfils the conditions required for the performance of his or her duties.

5 Eurojust shall publish the contact details of the Data Protection Officer and communicate them to the EDPS.

Changes to legislation:

There are outstanding changes not yet made to Regulation (EU) 2018/1727 of the European Parliament and of the Council. Any changes that have already been made to the legislation appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- Regulation revoked by S.I. 2019/1742, reg. 21 (as substituted) by [S.I. 2020/1408 reg. 10\(b\)](#)