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PART 6

Exchange of Information Relating to Criminal Convictions

Conditions for the use of personal data

72.—(1) Subject to paragraph (3), personal data provided to the UK Central Authority under Article 7(1) and (4) of the Framework Decision (reply to a request for information on convictions) for the purposes of criminal proceedings may be used only for the purposes of the criminal proceedings for which it was requested (as specified in the form set out in the Annex to the Framework Decision).

(2) Subject to paragraph (3), personal data provided to the UK Central Authority under Article 7(2) and (4) of the Framework Decision for any purposes other than that of criminal proceedings may be used only for the purposes for which it was requested and within the limits specified by the requested member State in the form set out in the Annex to the Framework Decision.

(3) Personal data provided to the UK Central Authority under Article 7(1), (2) and (4) may be used for preventing an immediate and serious threat to public security.

(4) Where personal data received from another member State under Article 4 of the Framework Decision (obligations of the convicting member State) is transmitted to a third country in accordance with regulation 68, the UK Central Authority must—

- (a) take the necessary measures to ensure that such personal data is subject to the same usage limitations as those applicable in a requesting member State in accordance with paragraph (2) of this regulation;
- (b) specify that personal data, if transmitted to a third country in accordance with regulation 68 for the purposes of criminal proceedings, may be further used by that third country only for the purposes of criminal proceedings.

(5) This regulation does not apply to personal data obtained by the UK Central Authority under the Framework Decision that originated from the United Kingdom.