NATIONAL SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY FOR PERSONAL DATA PROCESSINE

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## 1. The communication and information activity

## * Reunion with the theme "Personal data protection in the activity carried out by public administration authorities Zalău, Vaslui and Timişoara

The meetings aimed at clarifying the appropriate application of the legal provisions concerning the protection of personal data, within the activity carried out by the authorities at communal, urban and district level.

The reunions took advantage of the presence of written press, which reflected the event in certain articles, arousing also the interest of local TV post which presented, at a large scale, the event.
> * Reunion at the Training Centre for Consular Personnel within the Ministry of Foreign Affaires - Bucharest

The Training Centre for Consular Personnel within the Ministry of Foreign Affaires addressed an invitation to our authority to sustain a seminar concerning the principles of personal data processing, for the future Romanian consular personnel.

The inclusion by the Ministry of Foreign Affaires of the protection of personal data in the programme for training the futures Romanian diplomats emphasises the importance of the domain and the recognition of the necessity for acknowledging the aspects regarding the processing of personal data in this field of activity.

## 2. The investigation activity

During the $3^{\text {rd }}$ trimester of 2008, the Investigation Department carried out 55 investigations, whose objective was, mainly, the on-line commerce, but investigations following complaints and notices were also performed.

Within this period, 34 sanctions (warnings and fines) were applied, and the quantum of the fines was of 26.000 RON.

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