

This is a summary of the decision of the DPC

The Data Protection Office received an official complaint submitted manually by the Complainant. The complaint was lodged against his neighbour (the Respondent) regarding the installation and use of CCTV cameras. The Complainant alleged that the Respondent had installed cameras without informing him, that the cameras were placed on other owners' property without any signboard, and that the cameras were directed towards neighbouring properties rather than being used to monitor the Respondent's own house.

Subsequently, the Data Protection Office wrote to the Police to seek assistance for investigating this complaint and to conduct a site visit at the Respondent's premises.

The Police conducted the site visit and confirmed that corrective measures had been taken by the Respondent, and that the CCTV cameras were no longer capturing images outside the boundaries of the Respondent's premises.

The Data Protection Commissioner has decided as follows:-

In view of the above, the enquiry is closed to the satisfaction of all parties under section 6 of the Data Protection Act 2017 (DPA).