

This is a summary of the decision of the DPC

The Data Protection Office received an official complaint from Complainant against Respondent regarding the use of CCTV cameras. The Complainant stated that his neighbour had installed CCTV cameras which were facing his main gate and also capturing images towards his yard. The complainant also mentioned that his movements were being monitored and that he did inform the respondent to re-position the CCTV camera but in vain.

Subsequently, the Data Protection Office wrote to the Police to seek assistance for investigating this complaint and to conduct a site visit at Respondent's premises to verify the camera as to whether the CCTV footage shows viewing outside Respondent's premises.

By way of a letter, the Police informed the office that:

- i. The respondent had already re-oriented the CCTV camera and same were no more capturing images inside the complainant's premises.
- ii. The complainant was satisfied and he withdrew his complaint against the respondent.

The Police also enclosed the site visit report together with the letter.

The Data Protection Commissioner has decided as follows: -

In view of the above, the enquiry has not disclosed the commission of an offence under the DPA and is closed to the satisfaction of all parties under section 6 under the Data Protection Act (DPA).