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[News Article: Action taken against seven organisations who failed in their duty to respond to information access requests](#)

The Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) has taken action against seven organisations who have failed to respond to the public when asked for personal information held about them, known as a Subject Access Request (SAR).

[News Article Optus: How a massive data breach has exposed Australia](#)

Last week, Australian telecommunications giant Optus revealed about 10 million customers had personal data stolen in what it calls a cyber-attack.

[News Article: Fears over potential scrapping of guidelines for police using CCTV](#)

The Surveillance Camera Code of Conduct could be about to disappear, meaning the use of cameras would be under less scrutiny.

[Blog: Subject Access Requests: Getting the basics right | ICO](#)

The ICO have provided guidance and advice here, on how a Subject Access Request (SAR) should be handled.

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