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[ICO News Article: Information Commissioner's Office issues three fines totalling £170,000 for illegal direct marketing](#)

Three companies offering financial services have been fined £170,000 collectively by the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for illegal direct marketing under the Privacy and Electronic Communications Regulations (PECR).

[BBC News Article: Huge data breach at Southend-on-Sea City Council](#)

Details of over 2,000 staff and councillors have been made public in a council data breach.

[ICO News Article: ICO reprimands University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust for lost referrals](#)

The Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) has issued a reprimand to Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust after a computer system caused some patient referrals to be delayed or lost altogether.

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