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The Consulting Association pleads guilty in Macclesfield Magistrates Court

Mick Gorrill, Assistant Information Commissioner for the ICO, said:

“Ian Kerr colluded with construction firms for many years flouting the Data Protection Act and ignoring thousands of people’s privacy rights. Holding personal information on individuals without their knowledge, in these circumstances, is a serious breach of the Data Protection Act. Trading people’s personal details in this way is unlawful and we are determined to stamp out this type of activity. Following Kerr’s guilty plea, we are pleased that the case has been referred to the Crown Court.”

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