

## [Unit 5] E-Portfolio Activity: GDPR Case Studies

### A. Case Study 5: Disclosure of CCTV footage from a direct provision centre -

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- Addresses *responsibilities of data processor* (company in charge of handling data).
- How was it resolved? The commissioner fined the company.
- Steps as an Infosec Manager to mitigate issue
  - Retraining staff
  - Implement [access] controls
  - Ensure job description includes data handling responsibly

Revelation: Since the company was registered as a data processor, it is the company responsible for GDPR (covers the company) and not the individual. However, if company staff has been trained yet did not follow regulations, it is possible for the company to sue individual for the lack of judgement and non-compliance.

Aside: There was mention of a case of a person who escaped a fine for not cleaning up dog poo by arguing that CCTV cameras were not meant for that purpose as it intrudes privacy.

## **References**

Data Protection Commission (2020) Case Studies: Data Protection Commission.