

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY QUESTION ON NOTICE

Department of Health

Senate Select Committee on COVID-19

Australian Government's Response to the COVID-19 Pandemic

06 May 2020

PDR Number: IQ20-000128

Question Subject: Commonwealth and Amazon Web Services

Type of Questions: Question in Writing

Questioner: Senator Gallagher

Question:

Is the contract between the Commonwealth and Amazon Web Services based on the Digital Transformation Agency's Digital Sourcing Contract template (created 27 February 2018)?
(a) If not, is it based on a different publicly available contract template? If so, please provide the Committee with a copy of the template.

Answer:

The Department of Health is unable to respond to this question as the contract between the Commonwealth and Amazon Web Services is administered by the Digital Transformation Agency (DTA). DTA's response can be found at www.aph.gov.au/Parliamentary_Business/Committees/Senate/COVID-19/COVID19/Additional_Documents?docType=Tabled%20Documents

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PDR Number: IQ20-000133

Question Subject: COVIDSafe data storage outside Australia

Type of Questions: Question in Writing

Questioner: Senator Gallagher

Question:

Does the contract between the Commonwealth and Amazon Web Services impose a requirement that all AWS employees who administer or have access to the COVIDSafe data store be Australian citizens and Australian security cleared?

(a) If not, why not?

Answer:

The Department of Health is unable to respond to this question as the contract between the Commonwealth and Amazon Web Services is administered by the Digital Transformation Agency (DTA). DTA's response can be found at

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6 May 2020

PDR Number: IQ20-000197

Question Subject: Commonwealth and Amazon transferring information

Type of Questions: Written

Questioner: Katy Gallagher

Question: Noting the terms of the exception in section 94D(2)(c) of the draft bill, does the contract between the Commonwealth and Amazon Web Services permit – in any circumstances whatsoever –

Amazon to transfer any information from the COVIDSafe data store outside Australia?

(a) If so, in what circumstances and under what conditions?

Answer:

The Department of Health is unable to respond to this question as the contract between the Commonwealth and Amazon Web Services is administered by the Digital Transformation Agency (DTA). DTA's response can be found at

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Department of Health

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6 May 2020

PDR Number: IQ20-000198

Question Subject: Commonwealth and Amazon storing information

Type of Questions: Written

Questioner: Katy Gallagher

Question: Noting the terms of the exception in section 94D(2)(c) of the draft bill, does the contract between the Commonwealth and Amazon Web Services permit – in any circumstances whatsoever –

Amazon to store any information from the COVIDSafe data store outside Australia?

(a) If so, in what circumstances and under what conditions?

Answer:

The Department of Health is unable to respond to this question as the contract between the Commonwealth and Amazon Web Services is administered by the Digital Transformation Agency (DTA). DTA's response can be found at

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Department of Health

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6 May 2020

PDR Number: IQ20-000199

Question Subject: Commonwealth and Amazon access information

Type of Questions: Written

Questioner: Katy Gallagher

Question: Noting the terms of the exception in section 94D(2)(c) of the draft bill, does the contract between the Commonwealth and Amazon Web Services permit – in any circumstances whatsoever – Amazon to access any information, even incidentally, in the COVIDSafe data store from outside Australia?

(a) If so, in what circumstances and under what conditions?

Answer:

The Department of Health is unable to respond to this question as the contract between the Commonwealth and Amazon Web Services is administered by the Digital Transformation Agency (DTA). DTA's response can be found at

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