



MT Input regarding the obligations set out in the Terrorist Content Online Regulation (2021/784)

Below please find the information to be included in Malta's report for the year 2024, regarding Article 8, Article 21 (1) and Article 23 as follows:

Competent authorities' transparency reports under Article 8:

Kindly note that Malta's annual transparency report is in the process of being issued.

Transparency Obligations under Article 21 (1):

- (a) The number of removal orders issued and the number of items of terrorist content which have been removed or access to which has been disabled and the speed of the removal or disabling: **0**
- (b) the specific measures taken pursuant to Article 5, including the number of items of terrorist content which have been removed or access to which has been disabled and the speed of the removal or disabling: **0**
- (c) the number of access requests issued by competent authorities regarding content preserved by hosting service providers pursuant to Article 6: **0**
- (d) the number of complaint procedures initiated, and actions taken by the hosting service providers pursuant to Article 10: **0**
- (e) the number of administrative or judicial review proceedings initiated and decisions taken by the competent authority in accordance with national law: **0**

Evaluation under article 23:

On removal orders:

- Did the removal orders you issued target audio, video, photo or text files (how many for each)?

Not applicable due to no cases of removal orders issued.

- Did the removal orders you issued target individual pieces of content, whole accounts, channels, groups or profiles? If so, how many (for each)?

Not applicable due to no cases of removal orders issued.

- Did the removal orders you issued target whole websites? If so, how many? Could you please provide one or two examples including the website targeted, the content on the website, the addressee of the removal order etc (the more detail, the better)?

Not applicable due to no cases of removal orders issued.

- If possible, please provide examples of removal orders you issued with detailed information on the content targeted by the removal orders (what did the content show exactly?) The more detail, the better. Please provide examples for different ideologies you targeted if possible (Islamist, VRWE, left wing terrorism, other).

Not applicable due to no cases of removal orders issued.



- How many of the removal orders you issued
 - led to the removal or blocking of access to the content within one hour?
 - led to the removal or blocking of access to the content but not within one hour? for which reason was the one-hour rule not respected? Any follow-up (any new removal order sent? Any sanction taken?)**Not applicable due to no cases of removal orders issued.**
- Have you sent removal orders outside of PERCI? If so, how many and why?
Not applicable due to no cases of removal orders issued.
- Have you issued any removal orders in the context of one of the Referral Action Days organised by Europol's EU Internet Referral Unit?
Not applicable due to no cases of removal orders issued.
- In case you have issued removal orders related to "other" types of content (i.e. you ticked the box in PERCI when specifying the type of content targeted by the removal order), please explain the type of ideology targeted and why you qualified it as "other".
Not applicable.
- Have you taken any enforcement measures (sanctions) against HSPs for infringing the Regulation? Against which HSPs? For which reason/infringement of the Regulation?
Not applicable due to no cases of removal orders issued.
- How many removal orders did you decide to **scrutinise** pursuant to Article 4? For which reason? What was the outcome of your scrutiny?
Not applicable due to no cases of removal orders issued.
- On **referrals**:
 - How many were issued? **0**
 - Which HSPs were targeted? **0**
 - How many of these referrals were acted upon by HSPs? **Not applicable.**
 - If these referrals were not acted upon, did you follow up with removal orders? In how many cases? **Not applicable.**
 - Have you noticed any increase in responsiveness to referrals compared to the situation prior to the TCO? If so, why do you think HSPs are more responsive to referrals now? **Not applicable.**
- How many imminent threat to life notifications have you received under Article 14(5)? From which HSPs? What was the follow-up to these notifications? **0**