

# Role of DPO and Compliance Framework

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# 5 PILLARS OF COMPLIANCE

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Appoint a  
Data  
Protection  
Officer

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Conduct a  
Privacy  
Impact  
Assessment

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Create a  
Privacy  
Management  
Program

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Implement  
Data Privacy  
and Security  
Measures

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Be ready in  
case of a Data  
Breach

# #1: Appoint a DPO (Data Protection Officer)

- Legal Basis: Sec. 21, IRR 50, Circ. 16-01

<u>What compliance looks like</u>	<u>What negligence looks like</u>
Notarized appointment or designation of a DPO, filed with the NPC	Lack of interaction between DPO and top management, between DPO and functional units
Evidence of actions taken on basis of DPO recommendations	Inaction on complaints from data subjects
Contact details on website (if any)	Non-reporting to NPC
Continuing education program	

# DPO Selection Considerations



## Minimum requirements

- knowledge of privacy principles and data protection practices
- empowered to be a change agent



## Options

- supported by a team or a committee
- full-blown task force or data protection office

# What does a DPO do?

- a. monitor the PIC's or PIP's compliance with the DPA, its IRR, issuances by the NPC and other applicable laws and policies.
- b. ensure the conduct of Privacy Impact Assessments relative to activities, measures, projects, programs, or systems of the PIC or PIP;
- c. advise the PIC or PIP regarding complaints and/or the exercise by data subjects of their rights (e.g., requests for information, clarifications, rectification or deletion of personal data);
- d. ensure proper data breach and security incident management by the PIC or PIP, including the latter's preparation and submission to the NPC of reports and other documentation concerning security incidents or data breaches within the prescribed period;
- e. inform and cultivate awareness on privacy and data protection within the organization of the PIC or PIP, including all relevant laws, rules and regulations and issuances of the NPC;
- f. advocate for the development, review and/or revision of policies, guidelines, projects and/or programs of the PIC or PIP relating to privacy and data protection, by adopting a privacy by design approach;
- g. serve as the contact person of the PIC or PIP vis-à-vis data subjects, the NPC and other authorities in all matters concerning data privacy or security issues or concerns and the PIC or PIP;
- h. cooperate, coordinate and seek advice of the NPC regarding matters concerning data privacy and security; and
- i. perform other duties and tasks that may be assigned by the PIC or PIP that will further the interest of data privacy and security and uphold the rights of the data subjects.

**What  
does  
a COP  
do?**

# Who is allowed to designate a COP?

## (See NPC Advisory 17-01)

- Local Government Units (LGUs). Each LGU shall designate a DPO. However, a component city, municipality, or barangay is allowed to designate a COP, provided that the latter shall be under the supervision of the DPO of the corresponding province, city, or municipality that that component city, municipality or barangay forms part of.
- Government Agencies. Each government agency shall designate a DPO. Where a government agency has regional, provincial, district, city, municipal offices, or any other similar sub-units, it may designate or appoint COPs for each sub-unit. The COPs shall be under the supervision of the DPO.
- Private Sector. Where a private entity has branches, sub-offices, or any other component units, it may also appoint or designate a COP for each component unit.

Subject to the approval of the NPC, a group of related companies may appoint or designate the DPO of one of its members to be primarily accountable for ensuring the compliance of the entire group with all data protection policies. Where such common DPO is allowed by the NPC, the other members of the group must still have a COP, as defined in this Advisory.

- Other Analogous Cases. PICs or PIPs that are under similar or analogous circumstances may also seek the approval of the NPC for the appointment or designation of a COP, in lieu of a DPO.

# What DPO might need to build capacity

- ✓ A support group
- ✓ A mentor
- ✓ An IT security audit
- ✓ Litigation support
- ✓ Access to top management
- ✓ Continuing education
- ✓ Organizational leverage
- ✓ Tool support
- ✓ Support staff

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# THE NPC DATA PRIVACY ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE FRAMEWORK



A. Choose a DPO



B. Register  
C. Records of processing activities  
D. Conduct PIA



E. Privacy Management Program  
F. Privacy Manual



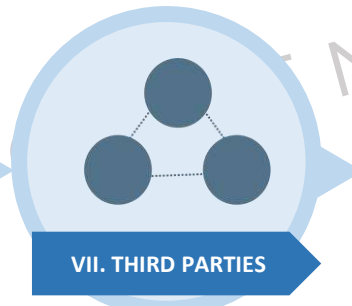
G. Privacy Notice  
H-O. Data Subject Rights  
P. Data Life Cycle



Q. Organizational  
R. Physical  
S. Technical  
▶ Data Center  
▶ Encryption  
▶ Access Control Policy



T. Data Breach Management;  
▶ Security Policy  
▶ Data Breach Response Team  
▶ Incident Response Procedure  
▶ Document  
▶ Breach Notification



U. Third Parties;  
▶ Legal Basis for Disclosure  
▶ Data Sharing Agreements  
▶ Cross Border Transfer Agreement



V. Trainings and Certifications  
W. Security Clearance



X. Continuing Assessment and Development  
▶ Regular PIA  
▶ Review Contracts  
▶ Internal Assessments  
▶ Review PMP  
▶ Accreditations



Y. New technologies and standards  
Z. New legal requirements



I. Establishing Data Privacy Governance

- 1. Appointment of your Data Privacy Officer (DPO)
- II. Risk Assessment
- 2. Register
  - 3. Records of processing activities
  - 4. Conduct of a Privacy Impact Assessment (PIA)

III. Preparing Your Organization's Data Privacy Rules

- 5. Formulate your organization's privacy management program (PMP)
- 6. Craft your agency's privacy manual

IV. Privacy in Day-to-Day Information Life Cycle Operations (To Be Included in the Privacy Manual)

- 7. Informing data subjects of your personal information processing activities and obtain their consent, when necessary. (Privacy Notice)
- 8. Formulation of policies/procedures that allow data subjects to object to subsequent processing or changes to the information supplied to them
- 9. Policies for limiting data processing according to its declared, specified and legitimate purpose
- 10. Policies/procedures for providing data subjects with access to their personal information including its sources, recipients, method of collection, purpose of disclosure to third parties, automated processes, date of last access, and identity of the controller (Data Subject Access Request)
- 11. Policies/procedures that allow data subjects to dispute inaccuracy or error of their personal information including policies/procedures to keep the same up to date
- 12. Policies/procedures that allow a data subject to suspend withdraw or order the blocking, removal or destruction of their personal information

CREATION AND COLLECTION,  
STORAGE, TRANSMISSION, USE AND DISTRIBUTION,  
RETENTION, AND  
DESTRUCTION/  
DISPOSAL

# THE NPC'S 32-Pt. DATA PRIVACY ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE CHECKLIST

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- 20. Compliance with the DPA's Data Breach Management Requirements (e.g. Security Policy, Data Breach Response Team, Incident Response Procedure, Document, Breach Notification)

VII. Managing Third Party Risks

- 21. Maintaining data privacy requirements (Legal Basis for Disclosure, Data Sharing Agreements, Cross Border, Security of Transfers) for third parties (e.g. clients, vendors, processors, affiliates)

VIII. Managing Human Resources (HR)

- 22. Periodic and mandatory personnel training on privacy and data protection in general and in areas reflecting job-specific content
- 23. Issuance of Security Clearance for those handling personal data

IX. Continuing Assessment and Development

- 24. Scheduling of Regular PIA for new and existing programs, systems, processes and projects
- 25. Review of Forms, Contracts, Policies and Procedures on a regular basis
- 26. Scheduling of Regular Compliance Monitoring, Internal Assessments and Security Audits
- 27. Review, validation and update of Privacy Manual
- 28. Regular evaluation of Privacy Management Program
- 29. Establishing a culture of privacy by obtaining certifications or accreditations vis-à-vis existing international standards

X. Managing Privacy Ecosystem

- 30. Monitoring of emerging technologies, new risks of data processing, and the Privacy Ecosystem
- 31. Keeping track of data privacy best practices, sector specific standards, and international data protection standards
- 32. Seeking guidance and legal opinion on new National Privacy Commission (NPC) issuances or requirements

## AREA I. Establishing Data Privacy Governance

**Item #1. Appoint Data Protection Officer**

## AREA II. Risk Assessment

**Item #2. Register**

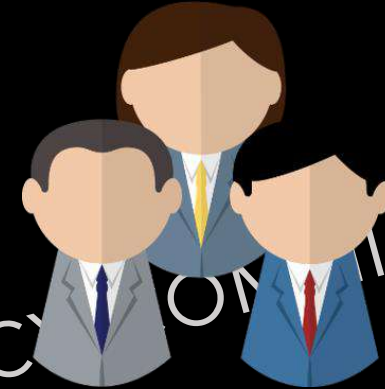
**Item #3. Records of Processing Activities**

**Item #4. Conduct of a Privacy Impact Assessment (PIA)**

## AREA III. Preparing Your Organization's Data Privacy Rules

**Item #5. Formulate your organization's privacy management program (PMP)**

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## AREA IV: Privacy in Day-to-Day Information Life Cycle Operation

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Item #13. Policies/procedure for accepting and addressing complaints from data subjects.

Item #14. Policies/procedures that allow data subjects to get indemnified for any damages sustained due to such inaccurate, incomplete, outdated, false and unlawfully obtained or unauthorized use of personal information.

Item #15. Policies/procedures that allow data subjects to obtain from the personal information controller a copy of his or her personal data processed by electronic means and in a structured and commonly used format.

Item #16. Policies/procedures for creation and collection, storage, transmission, use and distribution, retaining personal data for only a limited period or until the purpose of the processing has been achieved, and ensuring that data is securely destroyed or disposed of



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#### **AREA V. Managing Personal Data Security Risk**

Item #17. Implement appropriate and sufficient organizational security measures

Item #18. Implement appropriate and sufficient physical security measures

Item #19. Implement appropriate and sufficient technical security measures

#### **AREA VI. Data Breach Management**

Item #20. Compliance with the DPA's Data Breach Management Requirements

#### **AREA VII: Managing Third Party Risk**

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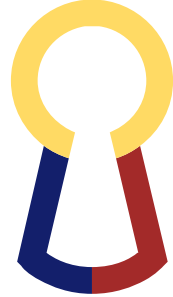
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**Thank you! Any questions?**

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