

OFI Security Notice 12 December 2022

We have confirmed, based on a recent investigation, that an email account of one of our employees was compromised, probably as a result of a phishing attack.

We notified the Data Protection Commissioner and have carried out a detailed investigation into the contents of the mailbox, using a third-party IT cyber security service provider.

This investigation found no evidence that items of personal information were taken out of the system, or used in any way. However, we are in the process of notifying affected data subjects, advising them to remain vigilant because of the possible fraud and impersonation risks.

We take the security of our data very seriously and sincerely apologise for this incident. Our staff team has all undertaken additional cyber security training (anti-phishing) and we would like to reassure our partners and stakeholders that the information relates to one employee email account. All other areas of the organisation have not been compromised and our focus at this time is on contacting those affected and asking them to remain vigilant.

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