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## **Subject: Access Request**

To whom it may concern,

This is an access request to my data under Section V of the Directive 95/46/EC, incorporated in Section 4 of the Irish Data Protection Act.

### **1. Applicable Jurisdiction**

Facebook Ireland Ltd. ("Facebook") is the contract partner for all users of the online service "facebook.com" outside of the United States of America and Canada. Therefore Irish and European Union jurisdiction governs any questions of public law with Facebook Ireland Inc.

### **2. Right of Access**

According to Section V of the Directive 95/46/EC, incorporated in Section 4 of the Irish Data Protection Act, every data subject has a right to access his personal data from the data controller.

**Data controller** is defined by the Data Protection Directive 95/46/EC and the Irish Data Protection Act as "a person who, either alone or with others, controls the contents and use of personal data." Since Facebook is processing and controlling all data on "facebook.com", Facebook Ireland Inc. is the legal data controller.

**Personal data** is defined by the Data Protection Directive 95/46/EC and the Irish Data Protection Act, as "data relating to a living individual who is or can be identified either from the data or from the data in conjunction with other information."

Since the structure of "facebook.com" relates living individuals that are easily identifiable (e.g., by name, birth date and pictures) to different information (further referred to as "objects", which includes pictures, postings, videos, events, messages, relationships, data from external sources such as and an unknown amount of meta-data) all this information must be treated as "personal data" in accordance with the law.

All data and processing of data on "facebook.com" that is by any means linked to a individual user, is therefore subject to the Right of Access under the Data Protection Directive 95/46/EC and the Irish Data Protection Act.

I do have reasonable cause to think that "Facebook Ireland Ltd." holds personal data of me, even though I may be not be a member of facebook.com.

**3. Verification of Identity**

My Name: \_\_\_\_\_

My Address: \_\_\_\_\_

My Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

My E-Mail-Address: \_\_\_\_\_

My Facebook URL (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

**4. Request of personal Data**

**I wish to make an access request under the Irish Data Protection Acts 1988 and 2003 for a copy of any information you keep about me, on computer or in manual form. I am making this request under section 4 of the Data Protection Acts.**

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_