

Personal Data Protection Board Decision on Requests for Modification or Deletion of Non-Current Health Data

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The Personal Data Protection Board ("**Board**") issued a decision, dated 6 February 2020, and numbered 2020/93, *in response to data-subjects* ("**Petitioners**") seeking modification or deletion of certain non-current health data, the availability of which was negatively impacting their lives.

Petitioners sought an order of the Board directing that certain of their non-current health data, including mental health data, be modified or deleted. The persistence and availability of the data were negatively impacting their lives. The Ministry of Health ("**Ministry**") had already denied an identical request.

The Board found no grounds for granting the relief requested by Petitioners since the data were processed by the Ministry in accordance with article 6 of Personal Data Protection Law numbered 6698.

A summary of the decision discussed is available at the following [link](#). (Only available in Turkish).

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