



“Indian GDPR implementation & effect and Compliance management”

Date: July 25, 2019 (Thursday)
Time: 3:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Venue: IACC, Chennai

Activity report

Indo American Chamber of Commerce held an awareness session on “**Indian GDPR implementation & effect and Compliance management**” on **July 25, 2019** at **IACC, Chennai**.

The session was addressed by experts from **Roedl & Partner, Mr. Dharm Krishnawat**, Associate Partner, Deputy Head, Mumbai and **Mr Sahil Khatri**, Senior Associate, Deputy Head Chennai.

Mr. Dharm Krishnawat broadly defined the rules as to what constitutes reasonable security practices and procedures. He asserted that GDPR has brought about massive changes affecting every company which processes data and every aspect of the relationship between the organizations and the public. He highlighted the Do’s and Don’ts with respect to sensitive data like passwords, bank account details, medical records and bio metric information.

Mr Sahil Khatri spoke in detail about Compliance Management System (CMS) and the Key Security Measures. He emphasized:

- How a company can demonstrate its conformity with the data protection law
- The self assessment measures adopted in implementing GDPR
- The obligations of the Corporates possessing sensitive personal data
- Company Centric and Employee Centric Compliance
- The valuation of the risks for data security and subjects’ rights and freedom
- The necessity of having a Data Protection Officer in the event of breach notification and for grievance redress
- The importance of Employee Manual in the set up and roll out of CMS.

Over 25 participants attended from various member companies like Avalon Technologies, Emerson Automation Solutions, Lincoln Electric Corporation, L&T Valves, Pfizer Healthcare India Pvt Ltd, Parker Hannifin India Pvt Ltd, Rane Holdings Ltd and Wabco India. We received encouraging feedback from the participants that the session was found to be of great use to them.

Ms. Sujatha Ravishanker, Regional Director thanked the speakers and the participants for making the event a beneficial one.

Photo Captions



Ms. Sujatha Ravishanker, Regional Director, giving the welcome address



The speaker Mr. Dharm Veer Singh Krishnawat, Associate Partner, Roedl & Partner addressing the audience



The speaker Mr. Sahil Khatri, Senior Associate, Deputy Head Chennai Office of Roedl & Partner addressing the audience



A section of the audience at the awareness session on "Indian GDPR implementation & effect and Compliance management."



The speakers Mr. Dharm Veer Singh Krishnawat, Associate Partner, Roedl & Partner and Mr. Sahil Khatri, Senior Associate, Deputy Head Chennai Office of Roedl & Partner at the Q&A session.



Team Roedl & Partner with Team IACC at the awareness session on “Indian GDPR implementation & effect and Compliance management”