Experiment on facial recognition throughout the airport journey to improve security controls and the passenger's experience

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Preamble

The experiment on face recognition throughout the airport journey to improve security controls and the passenger's experience is provided by Aéroports de Paris, Air Caraïbes and French Bee (hereinafter referred to as the "**Joint controllers**").

The purpose of this experiment is to test the efficiency of face recognition in the optimisation of security controls and in the improving of the passenger's airport journey.

In accordance with the EU General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data (hereinafter referred to as the "GDPR"), and in accordance with the French law n°78-17 on information technologies, data files and civil liberties of the 6th of January 1978, amended by the law n°2018-493 of the 20th of June 2018 on personal data protection (hereinafter referred as a whole to the "French data protection Act") Aéroports de Paris, owner and operator of the airport infrastructure, acts as a controller in the processing of personal data, jointly with the partner airlines previously mentioned, users of the facial recognition technology.

This privacy notice aims to inform the data subjects about the processing of their data and to describe the measures taken by the Joint controllers to ensure the data stays private and secure.

1. Definitions

Personal data" means any information relating to an identified or identifiable natural person (the data subject); an identifiable natural person is one who can be identified, directly or indirectly, in particular by reference to an identifier such as a name, an identification number, location data, an online identifier or to one or more factors specific to the physical, physiological, genetic, mental, economic, cultural or social identity of that natural person.

"**Processing**" means any operation or set of operations which is performed on personal data or on sets of personal data, whether or not by automated means, such as collection, recording, organisation, structuring, storage, adaptation or alteration, retrieval, consultation, use, disclosure by transmission, dissemination or otherwise making available, alignment or combination, restriction, erasure or destruction.

2. Purposes of the processing

Your personal data is being processed by the Joint controllers for the following purposes: to simplify and streamline your airport journey at the check-in and boarding stages, while improving the quality of security controls.

Precisely, the data processing is divided in several steps:

Step 1. > Biometric enrolment: Registration goes through a dedicated biometric terminal where you will be asked to scan your boarding pass and then your identity document and finally present your face to link your travel information to it. The system will compare your face to the photograph on your identity document.

With the help of a welcoming agent of the partner airlines, you can also go through an alternative registration method via mobile tablets at the boarding gate.

- **Step 2. > Creation of a biometric key**: If the comparison between your face and your identity document is successful, a biometric key is created, linking the biometric template generated which is a digital representation of your photo and the information of your identity document. The data (biometric template and boarding pass data) are kept temporarily and on a secure server dedicated to the processing.
- **Step 3. > Biometric automatic baggage drop-off**: A camera system installed on the automatic baggage drop-off machine will identify you instantly and invite you to place your baggage on the conveyor belt in order to put it in the hold of your aircraft.
- **Step 4. > Biometric boarding gate**: A camera system will recognise you as you approach the biometric boarding gate and will open to let you through.

This personal data processing is based on your consent.

3. Personal data processed

Boarding pass data

- Your last name, first name and date of birth
- Your flight number

Identity document data

- Your last name, first name, date of birth and the validity period of your identity document
- The photo on your identity document

Biometric terminal data

- The photo of your face
- Your consent

Data created by Aéroports de Paris

• The biometric template created from the photo of your face and your boarding pass information

4. Recipient of your personal data

Only the Joint controllers' staff working on the managing of your airport journey can access your personal data.

5. Personal data retention period

Your data is kept temporarily and automatically erased as soon as your flight as taken off. If your flight is delayed, the data will be kept for a few more hours and automatically erased after take-off. If your flight is cancelled, your data will be automatically erased.

6. Security measures

Aéroports de Paris implements technical and operational measures to make sure your data stays private and secure, to ensure its integrity and to prevent for instance:

- Misuse, malicious or fraudulent use of your personal data
- Unauthorised access
- Unauthorised or illegal processing
- Loss, destruction or accidental damage of your data

7. Data transfer

For this experiment, the Joint controllers undertake to process your personal data solely within the European Union (EU) territory.

The Joint controllers commit themselves not to disclose or transfer your personal data, even for transit purposes, to a data controller or data processor located in a non-EU member state. The Joint controllers ensure that no personal data is being transferred outside the UE.

8. Your rights on your personal data

The processing only occurs if you give your consent. At any time during this experiment, you can withdraw your consent with the help of a welcoming agent of the partner airlines, who will immediately delete all your personal data.

In accordance with the GDPR and with the French Data Protection Act, you have the right to access, rectify, erase your data, restrict its processing, as well as the right to data portability, which you may exercise by contacting the Aéroports de Paris SA Data Protection Officer:

- by email at: informatique.libertes@adp.fr.
- by letter at the following address: Délégué à Protection des Données d'Aéroports de Paris Bât 300 - CS 90055

Following your request, you can lodge a complaint with the French Data Protection Authority CNIL (Commission Nationale de l'Informatique et des Libertés) regarding an alleged infringement of the GDPR.

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