



TO: *CHAIR*, Global Forum Assembly, Global CBPR Forum  
CC: *DEPUTY CHAIR*, Global Forum Assembly, Global CBPR Forum; *CHAIR*, Membership Committee, Global Forum Assembly, Global CBPR Forum

**LETTER OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE AS AN ASSOCIATE  
IN THE GLOBAL CROSS-BORDER PRIVACY RULES (CBPR) FORUM**

I am writing this Letter of Intent to seek the approval for the Dubai International Financial Centre ("DIFC") to participate as an Associate in the Global CBPR Forum ("Forum"), pursuant to Annex A of the Global CBPR Forum Terms of Reference.

I confirm that:

- (a) DIFC Authority Data Protection Commissioner (the "Commissioner") supports the principles and objectives of the Forum set forth in the 2022 [Global CBPR Declaration](#) and the current Global CBPR Framework;
- (b) enforcement of the Laws and Regulations of DIFC, including but not limited to the Data Protection Law, DIFC Law No. 5 of 2020 (the "**DPL 2020**"), has the effect of protecting personal information; and
- (c) the Commissioner is responsible for enforcing the DPL 2020 of DIFC, which is a Member of the Global CAPE, and has the powers to conduct investigations or pursue enforcement proceedings

Please find a narrative description of the DIFC Legal System and Office of the Data Protection Commissioner of DIFC ([Annex A](#)) attached to this letter.

Any enquiries regarding this letter should be directed to Lori Baker, Director of Data Protection, available on [lori.baker@difc.ae](mailto:lori.baker@difc.ae)

Sincerely,

Jacques Visser  
DIFC Commissioner of Data Protection