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## ICO Statement: How we will regulate during coronavirus

The Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) has published a document setting out their regulatory approach during the coronavirus pandemic.

## ICO Guidance: Working From Home

Working from home can bring freedom and flexibility – but it can also come with its own challenges. If you're transitioning to home or remote working, the ICO has developed some guidance to help you remain compliant with data protection laws.

News Article: Scott v LGBT Foundation: Verbal communications and the limits of the data protection regime. The UK High Court has found that verbal disclosure does not constitute data processing under the Data Protection Act 1998, giving authority to a principle that might seem unsurprising, but had not yet previously been confirmed in case law. This finding applies equally under the current data protection regime.

Am rhagor o ddiweddaridau ynglyn â Diogelu data ewch i wefan Swyddfa Comisiynwdd Gwybodaeth. <u>Cliciwch yma.</u>

For updates on the ICO's Guide to the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) click here [link].



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