

## Freedom of Information Request - FA 24/04/00446

List of Agreements and Memorandum of Understanding signed by Australia with other nations, pertaining to the exchange of biometric and biographic immigration data derived from visa applicants

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Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Immigration and Citizenship of the Commonwealth of Australia and the Ministry of Public Security of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam on the Exchange of Immigration Information

Memorandum of Understanding with Department of Citizenship and Immigration of Canada and Canada Border Services Agency regarding the exchange of data for immigration and nationality purposes

Memorandum of Understanding with Belgian Administration of Customs and Excise for a mutual assistance arrangement in customs matters

Memorandum of Understanding with United States Department of Homeland Security and Department of State to enable the exchange of data for immigration and nationality purposes in order to assist in the maintenance of fair and effective immigration controls

Memorandum of Understanding with United Kingdom Border Agency on cooperation and mutual assistance in customs matters

Memorandum of Understanding with Department of Labour (New Zealand) regarding the exchange of data for immigration and nationality purposes

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Memorandum of Understanding with United Kingdom Border Agency regarding the exchange of immigration information between the Participants averseas locations in order to assist in the maintenance of fair and effective immigration controls

Memorandum of Understanding with European Union and Australia on the processing and transfer of Passenger Name Record data by air carriers

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Variation to Memorandum of Understanding with United States Department of Homeland Security and Department of State to enable the exchange of data for immigration and nationality purposes in order to assist in the maintenance of fair and effective immigration controls

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Memorandum of Understanding with Government of Nauru relating to the transfer and assessment of persons in Nauru and related issues

Memorandum of Understanding with Government of the Independent State of Papua New Guinea relating to the transfer to, and assessment and settlement in, Papua New Guinea of certain persons, and related issues

Memorandum of Understanding with General Civil Aviation Authority of the United Arab Emirates to exchange information in relation to advance passenger processing

Memorandum of Understanding with Members of the Five Country Conference with respect to investigations relating to genocides, war crimes and crimes against humanity

Variation to Memorandum of Understanding with United Kingdom Border Agency regarding the exchange of data as part of the High Value Data Sharing Protocol between the Nations of the Five Country Conference

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Memorandum of Understanding with United States Department of Homeland Security for cooperation regarding integration information collection and lanalysis and integrated targeting, assessment and selection (passengers, cargo and maritime)

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Memorandum of Understanding with Department of Foreign Affairs, Republic of the Philippines regarding the availability, provision and use of information to confirm the validity of passports

Memorandum of Understanding with Home Office, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland regarding the acquisition and transmission of information from United Kingdom visa applications

Memorandum of Understanding with United States Department of State and United States Department of Homeland Security of the United of States of America concerning the use of identifiers database(s) and exchange of information

Memorandum of Understanding with Myanmar Police Force on the disclosure and use of information relating to combating border and maritime related crime (signed 2015)

Memorandum of Understanding with Office of the Narcotics Control Board of the Kingdom of Thailand on the disclosure and use of information

Memorandum of Understanding with Myanmar Police Force on the disclosure and use of information relating to combating border and maritime related crime (signed 2016)

Head Memorandum of Understanding with Department of Citizenship and Immigration of Canada and Canada Border Services Agency regarding the exchange of information

Memorandum of Understanding with Department of Citizenship and Immigration of Canada and Canada Border Services Agency regarding the exchange of information on a case-by-case basis to assist in the administration and enforcement of immigration and citizenship laws

Memorandum of Understanding with Department of Citizenship and Immigration of Canada and Canada Border Services Agency regarding the exchange of information concerning the exchange of information on an automated basis

Memorandum of Understanding with Immigration New Zealand regarding the exchange of information to assist in the administration and enforcement of immigration and citizenship laws

Memorandum of Understanding with Home Office, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland for the sharing of information to assist in the administration and enforcement of immigration, border protection and citizenship laws

Memorandum of Understanding with Home Office, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland for sharing of information about persons who have been notified that arrangements are being made for their removal or deportation

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Memorandum of Understanding with Home Office, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland concerning information sharing on a case-by-case basis to assist in the administration and enforcement of immigration, border protection and citizenship laws

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Memorandum of Understanding with Immigration New Zealand for the disclosure of information in relation to immigration and border protection

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Memorandum of Understanding with Government of the Republic of India on cooperation in combating international terrorism and transnational organised crime

Memorandum of Understanding with National Crime Agency, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland for the disclosure and use of information to prevent, detect, investigate and prosecute all criminal activity

Head Memorandum of Understanding with Customs administration of Japan to work collaboratively on all matters of mutual interest

Memorandum of Understanding with United States Department of State and United States Department of Homeland Security of the United of States of America concerning the sharing of visa and immigration information

Variation to Memorandum of Understanding with Home Office, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland regarding the acquisition and transmission of data, including biometric information, for the purpose of establishing identity and reducing fraud

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Memorandum of Understanding with Department of Special Investigation of the Kingdom of Thailand on the disclosure and use of information relating to combating transnational border crime and its threats

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Memorandum of Understanding with Government of the Islamic Republic of Iran on consular matters
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Memorandum of Understanding with Government of New Zealand on the advance notice of removals, deportations and the reciprocal exchange of personal, criminal history and corrections information
Memorandum of Understanding with United States Department of Homeland Security concerning the sharing of visa and immigration information to assist in the administration and enforcement of immigration and border security laws
Variation to Memorandum of Understanding with Home Office, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland regarding the sharing of information
s. 47E(d)
Modification to the Implementing Arrangement between the Department of Immigration and Border Protection of Australia, on the one side, and the Department of State and the Department of Homeland Security of the United State of America, on the other side, Concerning the Sharing of Visa and Immigration Information
s. 47E(d)
Modification to the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Citizenship and Immigration of Canada and the Canada Border Services Agency and the Department of Immigration and Border Protection of the Commonwealth of Australia regarding the Exchange of Information an Automated Basis
Modification to the Annex of the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Citizenship and Immigration of Canada and the Canada Border Services Agency and the Department of Immigration and Border Protection of the Commonwealth of Australia regarding the Exchange of Information on a Case-by-Case Basis

Modification to the Annex of the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Citizenship and Immigration of Canada and the Canada Border Services Agency and the Department of Immigration and Border Protection of the Commonwealth of Australia regarding the Exchange of Information on an Automated Basis

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Memorandum of Understanding between the Government of New Zealand, as represented by the Ministry of Justice and the Government of Australia, as represented by the Department of Home Affairs regarding Online Requests and Delivery of New Zealand Criminal Conviction Histories Annex to the Memorandum of Arrangement between the Government of New Zealand as represented by the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (Immigration New Zealand) and the Commonwealth of Australia as represented by the Department of Immigration and Border Protection Regarding the Exchange of Information Concerning the Automated Exchange of Information

## Notes:

1. Source: Department of Home Affairs (internal documents)

## Caveats:

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- Regarding Immigration data, the Department's current policy is to mask numbers which are less than five as <5, noting we are reviewing the
  confidentiality method for the future.</li>
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