

Title: **AM-39-1 to R4: European Digital Democracy:
Sovereignty, Rights and Online Safety**

Tabled by: Federation of Young European Greens

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GDPR. Later that year, the European Data Protection Board imposed a record €1.2 billion fine for illegal data transfers to the United States. **Data collection has become normalised, even household devices now gather information without clear consent. Studies show such data are sold to insurers to penalise users, revealing how unclear and unjustified data storage undermines privacy (New York Times, 2024).**

Explanation / Comment

Automakers Are Sharing Consumers' Driving Behavior With Insurance Companies - The New York Times, 2024:

<https://www.nytimes.com/2024/03/11/technology/carmakers-driver-tracking-insurance.html>

Your Driving, Tracked - The New York Times, 2024:

<https://www.nytimes.com/2024/06/09/briefing/driving-apps-insurance-tracking.html>

Sources for the motion, to be added in the background part when finalize.

About the amendment: The lack of transparency around device-level tracking undermines citizens' autonomy and contradicts fundamental EU data protection principles.