

**From:** [REDACTED]@reddit.com>  
**Sent:** mercredi 13 juin 2018 18:50  
**To:** HOME INTERNET FORUM  
**Subject:** Re: Impact Assessment on illegal content (terrorist content) online: Questionnaire with DDL 15 June 2018

Thank you for your message regarding efforts to gather information on individual company indicators in combating illegal content online. We take this issue very seriously at Reddit and we are constantly evaluating our processes and policies to ensure that this content does not appear on Reddit.

Because Reddit is a much smaller and differently structured company than others you may be more familiar with, allow me to share some basic facts. At time of this writing, we have fewer than 400 employees in the entire company, and all of our offices are located within the United States, as are the majority of our users. We are also privately held. As a consequence, we do not disclose certain business-sensitive information, including information regarding specific content removals. While we may consider such disclosures in future iterations of our annual transparency report, we are not able to commit to them at this time. For these reasons, we regret that we are unable to provide a formal response to your questionnaire. Nevertheless, you may find useful information for your purposes in our most recent [Transparency Report](#).

We remain focused on these issues and ensuring that illegal content has no home on Reddit. As a next step on these matters, earlier this year we joined our industry peers in the terrorist content hashing consortium, and we are in the process of implementing that technology on our platform. We will continue to examine ways that we can combat the spread of terrorist content.

Thank you once again for your interest.

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]



**Reddit, Inc.**



[\[redacted\]@reddit.com](mailto:[redacted]@reddit.com)



This email may be confidential or privileged. If you received this communication by mistake, please don't forward it to anyone else, erase all copies and attachments, and notify the sender.

On Wed, Jun 13, 2018 at 9:39 AM, <[HOME-INTERNET-FORUM@ec.europa.eu](mailto:HOME-INTERNET-FORUM@ec.europa.eu)> wrote:

Dear Madam/Sir,

A kind reminder of the opportunity to provide us with input for the purposed of the Impact Assessment via the questionnaire attached. Please note that the deadline is this Friday, **15<sup>th</sup> of June**. We apologise for the different deadlines in the questionnaire sent to you, amended in the document attached.

We appreciate that some of the information we request may be sensitive. The Commission will use this information to inform analysis under the Impact Assessment, individual responses will not be published but may be presented in an aggregated manner only without disclosing company names.

We stand at your disposal for any questions you may have.

Kind regards,

EU Internet Forum Team

---

**From:** HOME INTERNET FORUM

**Sent:** Monday, June 11, 2018 2:06 PM

**To:** HOME INTERNET FORUM

**Subject:** Impact Assessment on illegal content (terrorist content) online: Questionnaire with DDL 15 June 2018

Dear Madam/Sir,

In addition to the requests for reporting on the indicators relating to the Commission Recommendation on Illegal Content Online and the possibility to contribute to the Open Public Consultation that closes on the 25th June, we consider important offering you the possibility of providing further input to the Impact Assessment specifically on terrorist content online.

In order to structure any input you might want to provide, the attached questionnaire has been prepared.

We would be grateful if you could send us the **response to the questionnaire by 15th June**.

My team stands at your disposal for further information and clarification in case of need.

Kind regards,

**Luigi SORECA**  
Director



**European Commission**  
Directorate-General Home Affairs  
Directorate «Security »

**Email:** [redacted] [@ec.europa.eu](mailto:[redacted]@ec.europa.eu)  
**Phone:** [redacted]