

# THE SENATE OF THE PARLIAMENT OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC 12<sup>TH</sup> TERM

**51**<sup>st</sup>

# **RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE**

Delivered on the 4<sup>th</sup> session held on 19<sup>th</sup> December 2018

on the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014 as regards a verification procedure related to infringements of rules on the protection of personal data in the context of elections to the European Parliament (Senate Print no. N 182/11, COM(2018) 636)

### **The Senate**

I.

## 1. Supports

the Commission's proposal to entrust the Authority for European political parties and foundations with the power to impose sanctions on European political parties and foundations for proven influencing of elections to the European Parliament by actions that violate the protection of personal data;

#### 2. Considers

the proposed maximum amount of financial sanction to be too low;

II.

## 1. Requests

the Government to inform the Senate about the way this Resolution was taken into account and about further development of negotiations once the political agreement of the required number of Member States on the main elements of the proposal is reached, or at an earlier time, should the results of negotiations in the Council begin to depart considerably from the position of the Czech Republic expressed in the General Position of the Government;

# 2. Authorises

the President of the Senate to forward this Resolution to the European Commission.

Jaroslav Kubera sign manual President of the Senate

> Šárka Jelínková sign manual Senate Verifier