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Your reference: SOMI / Palantir

Dear Mr. Franke and Dr. Wijtvliet,

We write in response to your two letters dated February 26, 2021 (two different versions of which were received respectively by email and post) on behalf of Stichting Onderzoek Marktinformatie ("SOMI"), addressed to Palantir Technologies Inc. ("Palantir").

Palantir rejects SOMI's generic and unsubstantiated claim that Palantir "violated and continues to violate various human rights as well as rights and obligations stated in the GDPR." Palantir was founded on the conviction that it is essential to preserve fundamental principles of privacy and civil liberties while using data. Palantir takes compliance with applicable laws, including applicable data protection laws such as the General Data Protection Regulation ("GDPR"), very seriously. Moreover, we have demonstrated since the earliest days of the company that our software development, business practices, and culture are dedicated to the protection of data, security, and privacy-by-design principles.

Palantir is a business-to-business data management software provider. In the terminology of the GDPR, we act as a data processor for our customers, who, as data controllers, may use our software to analyze their data on a SaaS basis (Software as a Service). To the extent that any of your members have specific concerns or complaints regarding the processing of their personal data by one of our customers, these individuals should raise their concerns directly with the relevant data controller(s).

Palantir only collects personal data as a data controller within the limited scope one would expect of any business (e.g., information about employees of Palantir, individuals who visited a Palantir office, applied for a job at Palantir, or exchanged emails with an @palantir.com domain), as further detailed in the privacy and security statement on our website, and we do not sell or rent that personal data to anyone. To the extent that any of the people on whose behalf you claim to act have specific concerns or complaints regarding the processing of their personal data in those limited circumstances where Palantir acts as a controller, these individuals can raise their concerns with us directly by emailing our data

protection team at privacy@palantir.com. In accordance with our standard privacy protective practices in handling data subject requests, we would be unable to answer queries on the collection of personal data submitted by a purported intermediary such as SOMI. We can only respond substantively to queries submitted by individuals regarding their own personal data.

Yours sincerely,

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