

Video surveillance of private homes

Many private individuals are increasingly using video surveillance systems in order to protect themselves, for example, by **detering** burglaries in the absence of the owner or tenant.

While the use of such a system is not problematic in itself, the use of it in the presence of **domestic employees** or **non-casual service providers such as home helpers** requires certain special precautions.

Indeed, these systems allow the collection of personal data within the meaning of Article 2 of Law no. 1.565 of December 3, 2024, namely the image of individuals.

Used indiscriminately, however, such systems can lead to **abusive surveillance of the lifestyle or behavior of the data subjects**, thereby infringing their privacy.

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