

THE REPEALMENT OF THE ADVERTISING BAN ON SOCIAL MEDIA SITE

“TWITTER”

As known, The Information Technologies and Communications Authority (“BTK”) had imposed an advertising ban on Pinterest, Twitter and Periscope who failed to fulfill the obligation to determine and declare a representative in the scope of Additional Article 4 of the Law No. 5651 on the Regulation of Publications on the Internet and Combating Crimes Committed By Means of Such Publications, with its decision published in the Official Gazette dated 19.01.2021.

With its recent decision dated 22.04.2021 and numbered 28123, BTK declared that Twitter had fulfilled the obligation to determine and declare a representative and thus the advertising ban decision applied to **Twitter**, dated 15.01.2021 and numbered 3768, had been repealed.

With this regard, Periscope remained the only social network provider for whom the advertising ban implementation, issued by BTK, is still in effect since it has not fulfilled its obligation to determine and declare a representative in Turkey.

Kind Regards,

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