

Türkiye - Law No. 5651 Biannual Report

This report is prepared in accordance with Additional Article 4(4) of Türkiye's Law No. 5651 on Regulation of Broadcasts via Internet and Prevention of Crimes Committed through Such Broadcasts ("Law No. 5651" or "the Law") and Article 10 of the Procedures and Principles Regarding Social Network Providers. This report covers 1 July 2025 through 31 December 2025.

I. Appointment of the Local Representative

Pursuant to the first paragraph of Additional Article 4 of Law No. 5651 on Regulation of Broadcasts via Internet and Prevention of Crimes Committed Through Such Broadcasts, Snap Group Limited ("Snap"), the provider of Snapchat platform, has determined the following natural person as its local social network representative in Türkiye.

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II. Implementation of Decisions to Remove Content and/or Block Access & Applications Received from Individuals

After appointing its local representative in 2025, Snap promptly implemented appropriate physical, electronic and technological infrastructure to receive the notices, service, or requests ("Communications") conveyed by the local authorities and institutions, as well as responding to the requests submitted by individuals and fulfilling other obligations envisaged under the Law.

In order to ensure due management of the Communications, Snap's local representative has been, is, and will be:

- collecting, analyzing, and recording the Communications;
- reporting those to the designated teams at Snap;
- taking Snap's instructions on how to respond when the response is directly provided by the local representative; and
- per the instructions, communicating responses appropriately to the relevant parties.

III. Individual Requests Under Articles 9 and 9/A

The data below only covers requests received from individuals based on Article 9 (currently annulled) and 9/A of Law No. 5651 in the second half of 2025. During this reporting period, individuals, including Snapchat users and non-users, were able to submit such requests, referencing Article 9 or 9/A, to Snap's local social network representative in Türkiye, through an

e-mail address publicized on Snap’s Türkiye [representative page](#)¹, snapchat@bts-legal.com, or through a dedicated e-mail address representative-turkey@snap.com.

Individual Requests under Article 9 and 9/A	
Number of Article 9 Requests	82
Number of Article 9/A Requests	5
Number of Executed Individual Requests*	4
Number of Accounts and Content Removed**	14

*This figure includes all requests that were addressed by Snap. Snap reviewed all requests. Snap did not address requests that provided insufficient information or lacked valid basis.

**This number may exceed the total number of executed requests because requests can report multiple accounts or pieces of content for removal.

All content on Snapchat must adhere to our [Community Guidelines](#)² and [Terms of Service](#)³. Certain content must also adhere to additional guidelines and policies. For example, content submitted for algorithmic recommendation to a wider audience on our public broadcast surfaces must meet additional, higher standards in our [Content Guidelines for Recommendation Eligibility](#)⁴, while advertisements must comply with our [Advertising Policies](#)⁵.

For insights into our enforcements of other reports not based on Article 9 or 9/A, including reported violations of our [Community Guidelines](#), please see our semiannual [global transparency report](#)⁶ and our [Turkey transparency reporting page](#),⁷ which at the time of the publication of this report, was updated through June 30, 2025.

¹ <https://help.snapchat.com/hc/en-us/articles/7012398909460-Snap-Inc-Representative-Turkey>

² <https://values.snap.com/privacy/transparency/community-guidelines>

³ <https://snap.com/en-US/terms?lang=en-US>

⁴ <https://www.snap.com/content-recommendation-guidelines?lang=en-US>

⁵ <https://values.snap.com/policy/advertising-policies>

⁶ <https://values.snap.com/privacy/transparency>

⁷ <https://values.snap.com/privacy/transparency/turkey>