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From Twitter

Hi there,

We've no comment apart from what we've [stated clearly and publicly](#) on this issue:

***To be clear:*** We prohibit developers using the Public APIs and Gnip data products from allowing law enforcement - or any other entity - to use Twitter data for surveillance purposes. Period. The fact that our Public APIs and Gnip data products provide information that people choose to share publicly does not change our policies in this area. And if developers violate our policies, we will take [appropriate action](#), which can include suspension and termination of access to Twitter's Public APIs and data products.

In fact, we are suing the US government with regards to surveillance and overreach. You can read more [here](#) and [here](#) in the legal filing.

With regards to the point made about Dutch law enforcement entities, we publish this data twice yearly in our Transparency Report. You can see the latest numbers for the Netherlands [here](#).

You can read more about our commitment to transparency [here](#).

Best,

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