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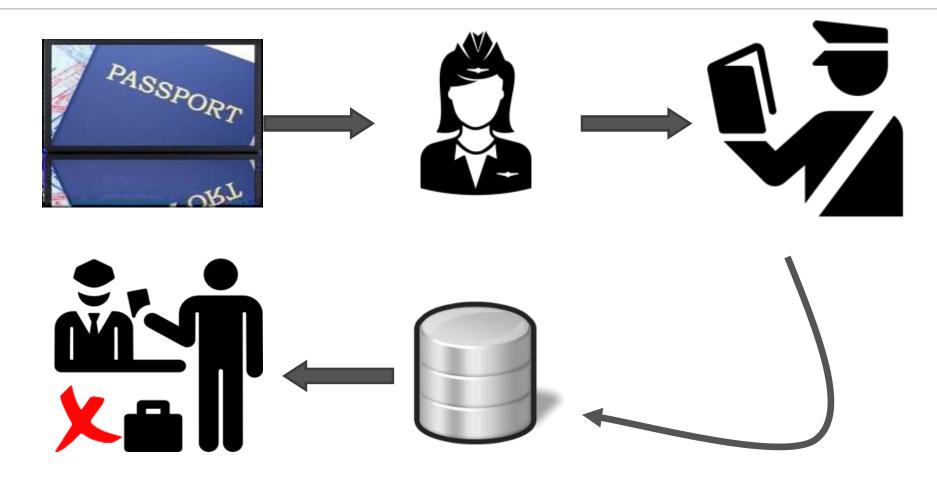
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## Paris, 7 January 2015



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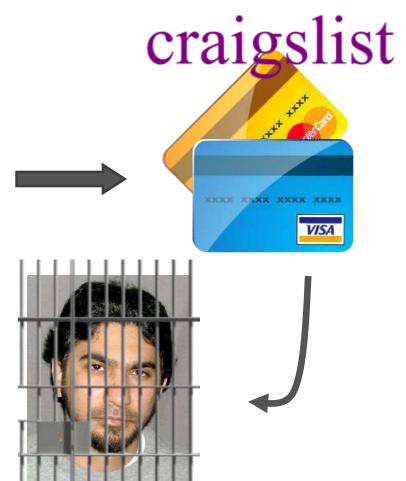
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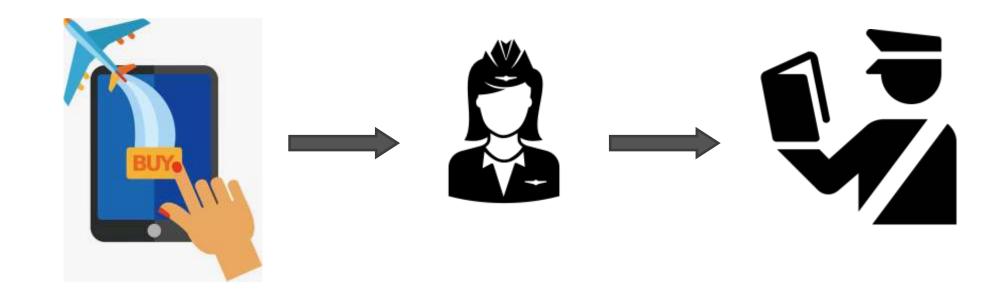








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**Identify travel patterns** 

Illuminate hidden connections between known threats and unknown associates







## Good Practice 1 - Legislate

Purpose for data transfer, use and retention

When should the data be sent, and how

Data elements required

Provisions on data access and retention

Redress mechanisms and Sanctions



## Good Practice 2 - Collaborate: Inter-agency

Use existing coordination mechanisms for passenger processing between agencies



Carry out necessary reforms

API/PNR
data sent to
only one
government
entity

A: One agency sends to others

B: Through a Passenger Information Unit

better cooperation
and avoids
duplication
of costs

Inter-agency fighting can delay API/PNR programmes by years



#### Good Practice 3 - Evaluate



Evaluate your needs – then assess options in the market



Option 1: Self-fund – Either develop the system yourself, or fund its development by service provider.



Option 2: Get a donor system (from US or UN) to analyse the data. You will likely still need to cover the hardware costs.



## Good Practice 4 – Cooperate: Airlines

 Create airline consultation group Notify of: Intention to collect passenger data Keep informed of plans and progress

2. Prepare technical specs A manual with all legal / technical / operational info No need to reinvent the wheel

3. Remain flexible on timing and sanctions After distribution of specs, timeframe is 3-6 months Use sanctions as last resort

#### Good Practices in Implementing API/PNR



Legislate: What / Why / When / Who / How Long



Collaborate: Inter-agency



Evaluate: DIY / Buy turn-key / donor solution



Cooperate: Airlines

#### Conclusion



