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Topic: Privacy and Media Intrusion: latest developments in Hong Kong

Abstract:

- a. setting the scene with classic cases (Eastweek, PCPD's investigation into unfair collection of artiste's personal data by Sudden Weekly and FACE magazine) and
- b. talking about more recent cases of HKSAR v Apple Daily (case of Joseph Lau Luen Hung) and David Webb v PCPD etc.
- c. mentioning that the Government's attempts in recent years to strengthen privacy protection failed principally because of media objection (e.g. non-disclosure of company directors' identity card particulars and residential address in the public register, legislate against "stalking")