



## Transparency Report - Government Removal Requests

July through December 2016

	Govt. Removal Requests	Govt. Specified Items	Compliance Rate
Brazil	1	1	0%
Hong Kong	2	2	100%
India	2	2	0%
Italy	2	4	50%
United States	4	12	50%

### Illustrative Examples

**Hong Kong** - We received a request from a Hong Kong law enforcement agency to remove a question from Yahoo Answers on the basis that the question solicited the exploitation of minors. We removed the question after determining it violated Yahoo's Terms of Service.

**India** - We received a request from an Indian law enforcement agency to delete a Flickr profile on the basis that the Flickr profile was created to impersonate. We rejected the request because it did not provide sufficient information for us to evaluate the claim.

**Italy** - We received a request from an Italian law enforcement agency to remove a question from Yahoo Answers on the basis that the question contained defamatory material that violated Italian law. We removed the Yahoo Answers question after determining it violated Yahoo's Terms of Service.

**United States** - We received a request from the U.S. Government to delete nine Flickr profiles on the basis that the Flickr profiles were created to impersonate a U.S. Government official. We deactivated the nine Flickr profiles after determining the profiles violated Flickr's Community Guidelines.