Is it a Data Breach?

Data Processing Context – Simple Data

A customer list of a supermarket/restaurant   _____

A customer list of a pharmacy selling medication   _____

Data Processing Context – Behavioural Data

Telephone call history from an ISP that includes recent call history   _____

Telephone call history from a mental wellbeing call centre   _____

Data from supermarket card recording items brought   _____

Data Processing Context – Financial Data

Credit card information over 10 years old   _____

Credit card information copied when online shopping   _____

Circumstances of the Breach - Confidentiality

An employee sells a CD ROM with customer data.   _____

Email (personal data) wrongly sent to a number of known recipients.   _____

Circumstances of the Breach - Integrity

Personal data in a database wrongly updated (not backed up)   _____

Ease of Identification

A Database of passport information is lost   _____

A pseudonymised table with unique id, gender, height, weight and postcode is lost   _____

Please calculate the severity rating of the following scenarios:

1. The membership records for 100 individuals of a drug rehabilitation clinic are placed in a publicly accessible social media gossip site. The fields disclosed are first name, last name, address, postcode, email, phone number. The act was carried out deliberately by an unhappy employee.

DPC   _____

EI   _____

CB   _____

Severity   _____

2. The membership records for 1,500 individuals relating to their trade union membership are accidentally deleted days before the annual membership renewal. There was no backup and the data was permanently lost. Data included: membership ID, membership status, renewal date and membership level.

DPC   _____

EI   _____

CB   _____

Severity   _____