



# **National Control Authority**

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Strengthening Aviation Security through Improved Traveller Identification





# Agenda

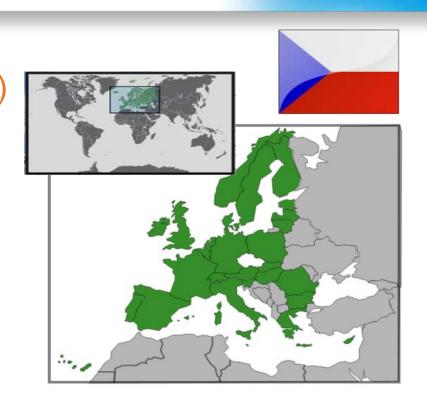
- Introduction of Czech Republic & Border Police
- eID timeline in CZE
- Project overview
  - Objectives
  - Stakeholders
  - Timeline
  - Use cases
  - Positive side effects
- Lessons learned





# Czech Republic

- Member of European Union (EU)
- Schengen Area (airports)
- Area: 78,864 km<sup>2</sup>
- Population: 10.5 m
- Foreigners: 437,858 (4,2%)







## **Border Police**

- Part of the Police of the Czech Republic
- Executive police authority with nation-wide scope of powers
- Specialized, central, methodically-managing, expert, analytical, control and executive police authority in the area of alien matters and protection of external Schengen border







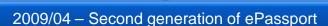
## eID Timeline







2006/09 - Introduction of ePassport



2011/07 - Introduction of eRP - residence permit

2011/12 - Deployment of first eGate (ABC)

2012/12 - Extension by another two eGates (ABCs)

2015/06 - Massive eGate system extension

2016 – New mobile/stationary terminals and PKI infrastructure



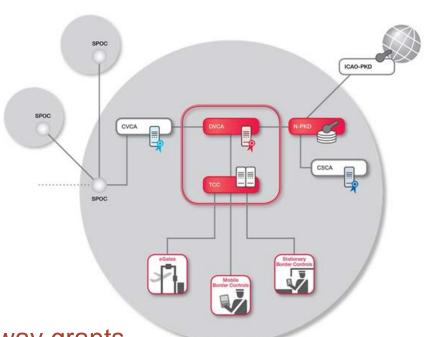






# **Project Overview**

- Project name:
  - NCA (National Control Authority)
- Project duration:
  - From 06/2016 until 09/2016
- In official operation:
  - Since October 1, 2016
- Funding:
  - Project has been co-funded by Norway grants
  - Total project budget: EUR <u>288.000,-</u>





# Project Objectives and Scope

- Implementation of a comprehensive PKI infrastructure needed for the complete eID verification process
- Project scope:
  - System infrastructure consisted of hardware and software (Primary, Back-up and Test instance)
  - Terminals for the system operation and management
  - Delivery of complex test inspection system → includes TCC according to TR-03129 and front-end application
  - Delivery of the primary system and security documentation
  - Training of users and operational personnel within initial phase of the system operation
  - System certification according to ISO 27001
- Delivered solution is based on well-proven technology
  - The secunet eID PKI Suite is also used by authorities in Germany, Norway, Finland and Latvia among others.



# Project Stakeholders

- Ministry of Interior
  - as operator of the CVCA, CSCA and Country SPOC
- Border Police
  - as user of the certified inspection systems and terminals
- Happy passengers
  - as eligible users of the automated border control eGates using their elDs
- Airport / Airlines
  - Benefit from modern, fast & convenient inspection procedures deployed within passenger flow

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# **Project Timeline**

- Contract Award
- Project start
- Acceptance of proposal for hardware infrastructure
- Evaluation of customer environment
- Site visits

- Completion of SW and HW installation
- Deployment of application SW
- Initiation of test environment at MOI
- Acceptance of documentation





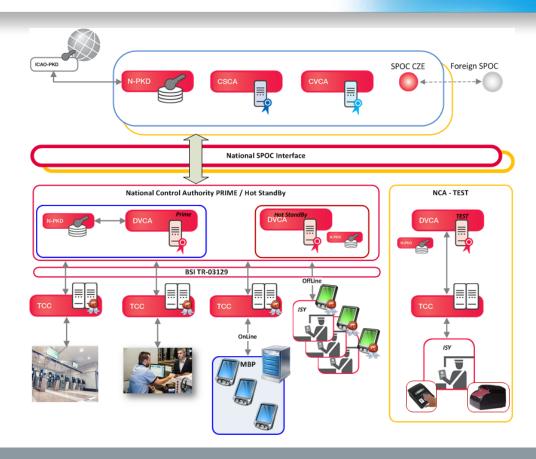
- Resolves challenges while checking eID travel documents
- Fingerprints can be read from the chip and verified
- International certification of DVCA
- German eID (nPA) can used by ABC system
- PA data are available immediately within all registered IS Terminals

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## **Use Cases**

The eGate system ...







- Resolves challenges while checking eID travel documents
  - Secured sensitive data (DG3 & DG4) is available => identity of the document holder can be checked and verified
  - A set of document verification data is automatically distributed to registered inspection systems & terminals
  - Full control and supervision among all terminals
    - eGates
    - Stationary Border Control desks
    - Mobile Inspection Systems (online / offline)





- Fingerprints can be read from the chip and verified
  - All registered terminals can request on IS cert
  - Whole range of cryptography is supported
  - Fingerprint from foreign passport can be read and verified







- International certification of DVCA
  - Country SPOC interface provides communication channel with foreign CVCA
  - Request for CZE DVCA certificate from foreign CVCA is processed through this interface





- German eID (nPA) can be used by ABC system
  - Ability to read data from German eID (nPA) card has been successfully tested
  - Majority of registered Inspection Systems (TCCs) supports EAC 2.x protocol
  - ABC system at Prague Airport will introduce German eID as entitled travel document shortly
    - Czech Republic becomes most likely the first country (outside of Germany)





- PA data is available immediately within all registered
  IS Terminals
  - Border Police creates their own Master and Defect List while using N-PKD submodule of NCA
  - Data from trusted resources is processed (including ICAO PKD)
  - CZE Border Police will shortly participate in Schengen Master List evaluation concept
    - All registered terminals will provide the needed data set based on TR-03135

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## Positive side effects

- The NCA is certified according to
  - ISO/IEC 27001:2013









## Lessons learned

- Early engagement of stakeholders
- Feasibility study helped to define project requirements
- Public tender with clear requirements
- Experienced project manager on customer's side
- Usage of the COTS product and an experienced partner allowed the project to run smoothly and more efficiently





## Questions?

# Thank for your attention!







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