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S.13 Secrecy of Private Life

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Secrets belonging to the personal sphere of life:

§ 203 | Strafgesetzbuch (= German Criminal Code):

"Whoever unlawfully discloses another's secret, in particular a **secret relating to that person's personal sphere of life** or to a business or trade secret which was revealed or otherwise made known to them in their capacity as [...] incurs a penalty of imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year or a fine."