

- *Information on a previous request for the preservation of data*

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As mentioned above, the expedited preservation of data is a provisional measure that will end once a proper and formal MLA request is sent. Most of the time, the sought information wouldn't be available following an MLA request, unless it was previously preserved. Thus, indicating any previous request for the preservation of data is crucial. At the same time, apart from the MLA request that requires the seizure of data, the requesting State does not have any other information allowing that State to know if the preservation is still needed or not.