

	<b>GENERAL DATA PRIVACY REGULATIONS MAY 2018</b>
	<b>DATA PRIVACY NOTICE</b>
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## BACKGROUND:

The Ayrshire Chamber of Commerce and Industry (Ayrshire Chamber) understands that your privacy is important to you and that you care about how your personal data is used. We respect and value the privacy of all of our Members and will only collect and use personal data in ways that are described here, and in a way that is consistent with our obligations and your rights under the law.

### 1. Information About Us

Ayrshire Chamber is a non-profit organisation registered in Scotland under company number SC119799.

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VAT number: GB 554 7877 90.

Email address: [enquiries@ayrshire-chamber.org](mailto:enquiries@ayrshire-chamber.org).

Telephone number: 01292 678666.

We are a member of Scottish Chambers of Commerce and are accredited by British Chambers of Commerce.

### 2. What Does This Notice Cover?

This Privacy Information explains how we use your personal data: how it is collected, how it is held, and how it is processed. It also explains your rights under the law relating to your personal data.

### 3. What is Personal Data?

Personal data is defined by the General Data Protection Regulation (EU Regulation 2016/679) (the "GDPR") as 'any information relating to an identifiable person who can be directly or indirectly identified in particular by reference to an identifier'.

Personal data is, in simpler terms, any information about you that enables you to be identified. Personal data covers obvious information such as your name and contact details, but it also covers less obvious information such as identification numbers, electronic location data, and other online identifiers.

The personal data that we use is set out in Part 5, below.

#### 4. **What Are My Rights?**

Under the GDPR, you have the following rights, which we will always work to uphold:

- a) The right to be informed about our collection and use of your personal data. This Privacy Notice should tell you everything you need to know, but you can always contact us to find out more or to ask any questions using the details in Part 11.
- b) The right to access the personal data we hold about you. Part 10 will tell you how to do this.
- c) The right to have your personal data rectified if any of your personal data held by us is inaccurate or incomplete. Please contact us using the details in Part 11 to find out more.
- d) The right to be forgotten, i.e. the right to ask us to delete or otherwise dispose of any of your personal data that we have. Please contact us using the details in Part 11 to find out more.
- e) The right to restrict (i.e. prevent) the processing of your personal data.
- f) The right to object to us using your personal data for a particular purpose or purposes.
- g) The right to data portability. This means that you can ask us for a copy of your personal data held by us to re-use with another service or business in many cases.

For more information about our use of your personal data or exercising your rights as outlined above, please contact us using the details provided in Part 11.

Further information about your rights can also be obtained from the Information Commissioner's Office or your local Citizens Advice Bureau.

If you have any cause for complaint about our use of your personal data, you have the right to lodge a complaint with the Information Commissioner's Office.

#### 5. **What Personal Data Do You Collect?**

We may collect some or all of the following personal data (this may vary according to your relationship with us).

- Business Name;
- Address;
- Telephone number;
- Social media handles;
- Name;
- Email address;
- Job title/Profession;
- Payment information;
- Information about your preferences and interests;
- Photographs/Videos.

Your personal data is obtained from the following third parties:

- Other members;
- Other businesses;
- Business Gateway;
- Any other relevant business organisations.

## 6. **How Do You Use My Personal Data?**

Under the GDPR, we must always have a lawful basis for using personal data. This may be because the data is necessary for our performance of a contract with you, because you have consented to our use of your personal data, or because it is in our legitimate business interests to use it. Your personal data will be used for the following purposes:

- Providing and managing your account.
- Supplying our products and/or services to you. Your personal details are required in order for us to enter into a contract with you.
- Personalising and tailoring our products and/or services for you.
- Communicating with you. This may include responding to emails or calls from you.
- Supplying you with information by email and/or post that you have opted-in to (you may unsubscribe or opt-out at any time by contacting us).

With your permission and/or where permitted by law, we may also use your personal data for marketing purposes, which may include contacting you by email and/or telephone and/or text message and/or post with information, news, and offers on our products and/or services. You will not be sent any unlawful marketing or spam. We will always work to fully protect your rights and comply with our obligations under the GDPR and the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003, and you will always have the opportunity to opt-out.

## 7. **How Long Will You Keep My Personal Data?**

We will only retain your personal data for as long as is necessary to fulfil the purposes we collected it for, including for the purposes of satisfying any legal, accounting or reporting requirements. To determine the appropriate retention period for personal data, we consider the amount, nature and sensitivity of the personal data, the potential risk of harm from unauthorised use or disclosure, the purposes for which we keep your personal, and the applicable legal requirements. Business records will be held on our database until a request is received to have them deleted, or the business is no longer trading.

## 8. **How and Where Do You Store or Transfer My Personal Data?**

We will only store your personal data in the UK. This means that it will be fully protected under the GDPR.

## 9. Do You Share My Personal Data?

We may sometimes contract with third parties to supply services to you on our behalf. These may include payment processing, delivery, and marketing. In some cases, those third parties may require access to some or all of your personal data that we hold

- Any third party that provides a service that forms part of your membership. This list may change as new agreements for services beneficial to members are negotiated.
- Any third party required for the normal business of a membership organisation.

If any of your personal data is required by a third party, as described above, we will take steps to ensure that your personal data is handled safely, securely, and in accordance with your rights, our obligations, and the third party's obligations under the law.

We contract with third parties and those third parties are located within the UK. We may sometimes contract with third parties that are located outside of the European Economic Area (the "EEA" consists of all EU member states, plus Norway, Iceland, and Liechtenstein). If any personal data is transferred to a third party outside of the EEA, we will take suitable steps in order to ensure that your personal data is treated just as safely and securely as it would be within the UK and under the GDPR, as explained above in Part 8.

In some limited circumstances, we may be legally required to share certain personal data, which might include yours, if we are involved in legal proceedings or complying with legal obligations, a court order, or the instructions of a government authority.

**The British Chambers of Commerce.** The Chamber is part of a network of 53 Chambers of Commerce across the UK accredited by the British Chambers of Commerce (BCC). One purpose of the Chamber is to "influence the function of ...any governmental body". This objective is stated in the Chamber's 'Articles of Association' (see section 2 (e) AoA). We will provide BCC with your company's email address in order for BCC to conduct research into the impact of policies on your business.

**What does the BCC do with your data?** BCC will not contact your business for any other purpose other than to notify you of an opportunity to respond to a national policy survey. Each year, BCC conducts around five surveys which directly help us develop and shape Government policy across a range of areas, including business taxation, international trade, and employment conditions. The data from these surveys are completely anonymised and aggregated so that individual responses cannot be identified. The anonymised data are then presented in closed briefings with stakeholders across UK Government, and shared publicly through BCC's press team.

The purpose of carrying out the surveys is to produce reports, which BCC and the Chambers can then use in their activities in promoting and protecting the interests of UK businesses; in other words, they are part and parcel of the function and purpose of BCC and the Chamber.

You can contact us if you do not wish to be contacted by BCC, and you will have the opportunity to unsubscribe from BCC's research mailing list at any point. If your or your parent company's membership of a local Chamber has lapsed, the BCC may continue to contact you about opportunities to respond to business surveys. You can choose to opt in or out of further contact with the BCC.

#### **10. How Can I Access My Personal Data?**

If you want to know what personal data we have about you, you can ask us for details of that personal data and for a copy of it (where any such personal data is held). This is known as a "subject access request" (SAR).

All subject access requests should be made in writing and sent to the email or postal addresses shown in Part 11. There is not normally any charge for a subject access request. If your request is 'manifestly unfounded or excessive' (for example, if you make repetitive requests) a fee may be charged to cover our administrative costs in responding.

We will respond to your subject access request within less than one month and, in any case, not more than one month of receiving it. Normally, we aim to provide a complete response, including a copy of your personal data within that time. In some cases, however, particularly if your request is more complex, more time may be required up to a maximum of three months from the date we receive your request. You will be kept fully informed of our progress.

#### **11. How Do I Contact You?**

To contact us about anything to do with your personal data and data protection, including to make a subject access request, please use the following details (for the attention of CEO):

Email address: [enquiries@ayrshire-chamber.org](mailto:enquiries@ayrshire-chamber.org).

Telephone number: 01292 678666.

Postal Address: The Mezzanine, Glasgow Prestwick Airport, Prestwick KA9 2PL.

#### **12. Changes to this Privacy Notice**

We may change this Privacy Notice from time to time. This may be necessary, for example, if the law changes, or if we change our business in a way that affects personal data protection.

Any changes will be made available by email notification to yourself.