

#### Website Terms of Use

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## I.

You must be at least 18 years old to use our Website. By accessing, browsing, or otherwise using the Website, including to create an account and/or to apply for and manage any insurance policy, you represent and warrant to us that (a) you are at least 18 years old and have the capacity to agree to these Terms of Use as a binding contract, (b) you are using your actual identity, (c) you will provided only true, accurate, current, and complete information to us, (d) you will maintain and promptly update the information you provide to us to keep it true, accurate, current, and complete, (e) when using the Website and/or applying for or taking any action with respect to any insurance policy, you are acting only for yourself and your business, and (f) you have read, understood, and agreed to these Terms of Use.

# Additional Terms

In addition to these Terms of Use, your use of the Website is also subject to the terms of any other policies and legal notices posted on our Website ("Additional Terms"). These Additional Terms include or may include:



a. Our <u>Privacy Notice</u>, which describes how we collect, use, and disclose personal data you provide to us, as well as your choices regarding your use of such personal data; and

b. Any additional terms we may post from time to time relating to the Website or any products or services made available on or through the Website.

By using the Website, you also consent to and agree to comply with all Additional Terms. If any of these Additional Terms conflict with anything in this Agreement, the Additional Terms will take precedence.

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a. use the Website in any way that violates any applicable federal, state, local, or international law or regulation;

b. participate in any form of activity or transmit any User Materials which are (or might be likely to be) unlawful, harassing, libelous, defamatory, abusive, threatening, harmful, vulgar, obscene, profane, or sexually or racially-offensive, or that otherwise includes objectionable material, or that would infringe the copyright or other intellectual property or proprietary rights of any person;

c. input or transmit User Materials or other content that contains software viruses or any other computer code, files, or programs that are designed or intended to disrupt, damage, or limit the functioning of any software, hardware, or telecommunications equipment or to damage or obtain unauthorized access to any data or other information of any third party;

d. for any reason whatsoever, reverse engineer, decompile, disassemble, or otherwise tamper with any security components, usage rules or other protection measures applicable to the Website or Content;

e. make any use of any Content that would infringe the copyright or other intellectual property or proprietary rights therein;

f. make any recording or reproduction of, and will not stream or transmit or make available, any Content except as permitted hereunder;

g. amplify, transmit or retransmit the Website or any Content to be audible or viewed outside of your own personal space;

h. redistribute, broadcast, publicly perform or publicly display any Content, or otherwise transfer any Content obtained through the Website;

i. modify any software or Content obtained through the Website for any reason whatsoever, including for the purpose of disguising or changing any indications of the ownership or source of the Content or removing (or trying to remove) and "DRM" (digital rights management) information or metadata, save as permitted by applicable law;

j. input or transmit any User Materials or other content that contains anything which could be used to determine or alter the architecture of the Website, or could be used to decompile, disassemble, or reverse engineer the Website;

k. collect personal data about other users or any other person (for any purpose);



1. use automated means, including spiders, robots, crawlers, data mining tools, or the like to download data from the Website;

m. impose an unreasonable or disproportionately large load on our infrastructure; or

n. gain unauthorized access to the Company's computer systems or engage in any activity that disrupts, diminishes the quality of, interferes with the performance of, or impairs the functionality of, the Website or any Content;

o. transmit or procure the sending of, any advertising or promotional material, including any "junk mail," "chain letter," "spam," or any other similar solicitation;

p. impersonate or attempt to impersonate the Company, a Company employee, or another user or any other person or entity.

For the avoidance of doubt, you agree to abide by the above, and by all other rules and policies established from time to time by the Company, which are applied by Company in a nondiscriminatory manner to all users of the Website, and may include, for example, required or automated updates, modifications, and/or reinstallations of the software and obtaining available patches to address security, interoperability, and/or performance issues. You are responsible for all User Materials and other content that you transmit via the Website.

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We are not responsible, or liable to any third party, for the content or accuracy of any User Materials posted by you or any other user of the Website.

# Monitoring and Enforcement; Termination

We have the right (but not the obligation) to:

a. Monitor compliance with these Terms of Use and any Additional Terms;

b. Take any action with respect to any or event that we deem necessary or appropriate in our sole discretion, including if we believe that event violates these Terms of Use or any Additional Terms, infringes any intellectual property right or other right of any person or entity, threatens the personal safety of users of the Website or the public, or could create liability for us or any third party;

c. Take appropriate legal action, including referral to law enforcement, for any illegal or unauthorized use of the Website or any illegal or unauthorized event; and

d. Terminate or suspend your access to all or part of the Website if you violate these Terms of Use or any Additional Terms.

We reserve the right to take any action we may deem appropriate in our sole discretion with respect to violations or enforcement of these Terms of Use and/or any Additional Terms, and we expressly reserve all rights and remedies available to us at law or in equity. Users are warned that breach of these Terms of Use and/or any Additional Terms may lead to civil or criminal liability. You



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# **Termination**

These Terms of Use, and all licenses granted hereunder may be terminated:

a. By you, by ceasing to access or use the Website; or

b. By us, at any time or without notice for any reason or not reason, including if we cease supporting the Website or if you violate (or act in a manner indicating that you do not intend to or are unable to comply with) these Terms of Use or any Additional Terms, if we are legally required to do so by law, or if continuation is likely to be no longer commercially viable, or if you use any Content in a manner inconsistent with the terms hereunder or which otherwise may constitute infringement of any rights of the Company.

In addition, the Company reserves the right to suspend provision of the Website in the event of an actual or suspected breach of these Terms of Use or other unauthorized use of the Website.

Termination or suspension by the Company is without prejudice to any other rights or remedies we may have.

Upon termination, all rights granted to you under these Terms of Use will terminate, and you may no longer have access to any of the information associated with your account. Immediately upon any termination: (a) any unpaid fee(s) shall remain payable in full (for the full period of each license granted), and you shall not be entitled to any refund; and (b) you shall cease use of the Website and Content, shall delete the Company's apps from your device, and shall delete all copies of any Content in your possession or control.

# Technical Requirements

You agree to use the Website in accordance with any technical guidelines that may be provided to you (and/or modified by us) from time to time. We will not be held responsible for any provision of service or electronic delivery that is incompatible with your operating system or other problems specific to your device. We reserve the right to impose limited periods of downtime for maintenance or other interruptions for commercial reasons without prior notice. Specifically, you accept and agree that the Website may be interrupted from time to time due to technical or other issues caused by a telecoms or internet service provider or by network congestion, and that we may temporarily suspend provision or operation of the Website for reasonable carrying out of periodic maintenance where necessary or where preferable to improve the Website. You expressly agree that we shall not be liable for any loss resulting from any such downtimes or interruptions.

# Indemnification

You agree to indemnify, save, and hold us, our affiliates, contractors, employees, agents, and other licensors and partners (collectively, the "Company Parties") harmless from any and all claims, losses, damages, liabilities, costs, and expenses (including legal fees and expenses) that may be



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You agree that (subject to applicable law), your sole and exclusive remedy for any dissatisfaction or problem arising from or in connection with the Website is to uninstall and stop using the Website.

TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, WE WILL NOT BE LIABLE FOR ANY INCIDENTAL, PUNITIVE, SPECIAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES OF ANY KIND ARISING FROM THE USE OF THE WEBSITE OR FROM SOFTWARE, CONTENT, INFORMATION, MATERIALS OR PRODUCTS INCLUDED ON OR OTHERWISE MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU THROUGH THE WEBSITE, OR FOR ANY DAMAGES IN EXCESS OF THE AMOUNT PAID FOR THE SPECIFIC ITEM OF CONTENT GIVING RISE TO THE APPLICABLE CLAIM FOR DAMAGES.

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YOU ACKNOWLEDGE AND AGREE THAT WE HAVE OFFERED THE WEBSITE AND ENTERED INTO THIS AGREEMENT IN RELIANCE UPON THE WARRANTY DISCLAIMERS AND THE LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY SET FORTH HEREIN, THAT THE WARRANTY DISCLAIMERS AND THE LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY SET FORTH HEREIN REFLECT A REASONABLE AND FAIR ALLOCATION OF RISK BETWEEN YOU AND US, AND THAT THE WARRANTY DISCLAIMERS AND THE LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY SET FORTH HEREIN FORM AN ESSENTIAL BASIS OF THE BARGAIN



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