

## **Privacy Policy**

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### **General / Introduction**

Based on Article 13 of the Swiss Federal Constitution and the data protection provisions of the Federal Data Protection Act (DPA), every person is entitled to protection of their privacy and protection against misuse of their personal data. The operators of these pages take the protection of your personal data very seriously. We treat your personal data confidentially and in accordance with legal data protection regulations and this privacy policy.

In cooperation with our hosting providers, we strive to protect the databases as well as possible from unauthorized access, loss, misuse, or falsification. We point out that data transmission over the Internet (e.g., communication by email) can have security gaps. A complete protection of data from access by third parties is not possible.

By using this website, you agree to the collection, processing, and use of data as described below. This website can generally be visited without registration. Data such as accessed pages or names of accessed files, date, and time are stored on the server for statistical purposes without being directly linked to your person. If personal data (e.g., name, address, or email addresses) are collected on our pages, this is always done on a voluntary basis as far as possible. These data will not be passed on to third parties without your explicit consent.

### **With SSL/TLS Encryption**

This website uses SSL/TLS encryption for security reasons and to protect the transmission of confidential content, such as inquiries you send to us as the site operator. You can recognize an encrypted connection by the change in the browser's address line from "http://" to "https://" and by the lock symbol in your browser line.

If SSL or TLS encryption is activated, the data you transmit to us cannot be read by third parties.

### **Server Log Files**

The provider of this website automatically collects and stores information in so-called server log files that your browser automatically transmits to us. These are:

- Browser type and browser version
- Operating system used
- Referrer URL
- Hostname of the accessing computer

- Time of the server request

These data cannot be assigned to specific persons. A combination of these data with other data sources is not carried out. We reserve the right to check these data retrospectively if we become aware of concrete indications of unlawful use.

## **Rights of the Data Subject**

### **Right to Confirmation**

Every data subject has the right to obtain confirmation from the website operator as to whether personal data concerning them are being processed. If you wish to exercise this right, you can contact the data protection officer at any time.

### **Right to Information**

Every person affected by the processing of personal data has the right to obtain, at any time and free of charge, information from the operator of this website about the personal data stored about them and a copy of this information. Furthermore, information may be provided about:

- The purposes of the processing
- The categories of personal data processed
- The recipients to whom the personal data have been or will be disclosed
- If possible, the planned duration for which the personal data will be stored, or, if not possible, the criteria for determining this duration
- The existence of a right to correction or deletion of the personal data concerning them or to restriction of processing by the controller, or a right to object to such processing
- The existence of a right to lodge a complaint with a supervisory authority
- If the personal data are not collected from the data subject: All available information about the origin of the data

Furthermore, the data subject has the right to be informed whether personal data have been transferred to a third country or an international organization. If this is the case, the data subject has the right to obtain information about the appropriate safeguards in connection with the transfer. If you wish to exercise this right, you can contact our data protection officer at any time.

### **Right to Correction**

Every person affected by the processing of personal data has the right to demand the immediate correction of incorrect personal data concerning them. Furthermore, the data subject has the right to request the completion of incomplete personal data, including by means of a supplementary statement, taking into account the purposes of the processing. If you wish to exercise this right, you can contact our data protection officer at any time.

### **Right to Deletion (Right to be Forgotten)**

Every person affected by the processing of personal data has the right to demand from the controller of this website the immediate deletion of personal data concerning them if one of the following reasons applies and the processing is no longer necessary:

- The personal data were collected or otherwise processed for purposes for which they are no longer necessary.
- The data subject withdraws the consent on which the processing was based, and there is no other legal basis for the processing.
- The data subject objects to the processing for reasons arising from their particular situation, and there are no overriding legitimate grounds for the processing, or the data subject objects to the processing in the case of direct advertising and related profiling.
- The personal data were processed unlawfully.
- The deletion of personal data is necessary to fulfill a legal obligation under Union law or the law of the member states to which the controller is subject.
- The personal data were collected in relation to information society services offered that are directed to a child.

If one of the above reasons applies and you wish to have personal data stored by the operator of this website deleted, you can contact our data protection officer at any time. The data protection officer of this website will arrange for the deletion request to be complied with immediately.

### **Right to Restriction of Processing**

Every person affected by the processing of personal data has the right to demand from the controller of this website the restriction of processing if one of the following conditions is met:

- The accuracy of the personal data is contested by the data subject for a period enabling the controller to verify the accuracy of the personal data.
- The processing is unlawful, the data subject opposes the deletion of the personal data and requests instead the restriction of their use.
- The controller no longer needs the personal data for the purposes of the processing, but the data subject requires them for the establishment, exercise, or defense of legal claims.
- The data subject has objected to processing based on reasons arising from their particular situation, and it has not yet been determined whether the legitimate interests of the controller outweigh those of the data subject.

If one of the aforementioned conditions is met, you can contact our data protection officer at any time to request the restriction of the processing of personal data stored by the operator of this website. The data protection officer of this website will arrange for the restriction of processing.

### **Right to Data Portability**

Every person affected by the processing of personal data has the right to receive the personal data concerning them in a structured, commonly used, and machine-readable format. Furthermore, the data subject has the right to request that the

personal data be transmitted directly from one controller to another controller, where technically feasible, provided that this does not affect the rights and freedoms of others. To assert the right to data portability, you can contact the data protection officer appointed by the operator of this website at any time.

### **Right to Object**

Every person affected by the processing of personal data has the right to object at any time, for reasons arising from their particular situation, to the processing of personal data concerning them. The operator of this website will no longer process the personal data in the event of an objection, unless we can demonstrate compelling legitimate grounds for the processing that override the interests, rights, and freedoms of the data subject, or the processing serves the establishment, exercise, or defense of legal claims. To exercise your right to object, you can contact the data protection officer of this website directly.

### **Right to Withdraw Data Protection Consent**

Every person affected by the processing of personal data has the right to withdraw consent to the processing of personal data at any time. If you wish to exercise your right to withdraw consent, you can contact our data protection officer at any time.

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