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Data Retention Policy

Introduction

Purpose

CIS Security Ltd is committed to being transparent about how it collects and uses the personal data and to meeting its data protection obligations. This policy sets out the organisation's commitment to data retention, and individual rights and obligations in relation to personal data.

This policy applies to the personal data of all CIS stakeholders including job applicants, employees, workers, contractors, volunteers, interns, apprentices, former employees, clients, suppliers and future clients.

CIS Security Ltd has appointed Stuart Bateman as its Data Protection Officer. His role is to inform and advise the organisation on its data protection obligations. He can be contacted at dpo@cissecurity.co.uk. Questions about this policy, or requests for further information, should be directed to the Data Protection Officer.

Definitions:

- "Personal data" is any information that relates to a living individual who can be identified from that information. Processing is any use that is made of data, including collecting, storing, amending, disclosing or destroying it.
- "Special categories of personal data" means information about an individual's racial or ethnic origin, political opinions, religious or philosophical beliefs, trade union membership, health, sex life or sexual orientation and genetic and biometric data.
- » "Criminal records data" means information about an individual's criminal convictions and offences, and information relating to criminal allegations and proceedings.





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1. Scope

All Organisation Name's records, whether analogue or digital, are subject to the retention requirements of this policy

2. Responsibilities

- 2.1 The following roles are responsible for retention of these records because they are the information asset owners.
- 2.2 Asset owners are/responsible for ensuring that all personal data is collected, retained, and destroyed in line with the requirements of the GDPR,DPA 2018.
- 2.3 The Finance Director (FD) is responsible for retention of financial (accounting, tax) and related records.
- 2.4 The HR Director (HRD) is responsible for retention of all HR records.
- 2.5 The Health and Safety Manager (SHEQ) is responsible for retention of all Health and Safety records.
- 2.6 The Information Security Manager (ISM) is responsible for the retention of data within CIS IT systems.
- 2.7 The Data Protection Officer (DPO) is responsible for storage of data in line with this procedure.
- 2.8 The Managing Director (MD) is responsible for retention of all other statutory and regulatory records.
- 2.9 The Managing Director (MD) is responsible for ensuring that retained records are included in business continuity and disaster recovery plans.

3. Procedure

- 3.1 The required retention periods, by record type, are recorded in (Retention of Records Master Log on the company server under the following categories):
 - 3.1.1 Record type
 - 3.1.2 Retention period





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- 3.1.3 Retention period to start from (at creation, submission, payment, etc.)
- 3.1.4 Retention justification
- 3.1.5 Record medium
- 3.1.6 Disposal method

Data Security

The organisation takes the security of personal data seriously. The organisation has internal policies and controls in place to protect personal data against loss, accidental destruction, misuse or disclosure, and to ensure that data is not accessed, except by employees in the proper performance of their duties. Access to the CIS internal IT infrastructure is controlled by password protection and as such has measures in place to minimise risk of illegal access from outside parties. All external third-party systems used by CIS are password protected and access is restricted in line with the role of employee.

All internal data used by CIS is backed up daily and held externally by a third party on servers located in the UK at a bomb-proof, flood-proof and EMP-proof data centre and holds both ISO27001 and ISO9001 certifications.

Document Owner and Approval

The Managing Director is the owner of this document and is responsible for ensuring that this policy document is reviewed in line with the requirements of the GDPR, DPA 2018. A current version of this document is available to all stakeholders on the website and internal members of staff on the employee portal and Y:\ drive. It does not contain confidential information and can be released to relevant external parties. This information security policy was approved by the Board of Directors on 18/05/2018 and is issued on a version-controlled basis under the signature of CIS Managing Director.

This policy will be monitored periodically by the organisation to judge its effectiveness and will be updated in accordance with changes in the law and industry standards. Employees that fail to adhere to this policy may be subject to the organisation's formal disciplinary procedures.

Signature:

Date: 18th May 2018 Updated: 25/03/2024





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Data Retention Period

Document Name	Retain for
NSI file	Length of contract
Management Review	3 Years
Site audit Reports	3 Years
C complaints and N/C forms	3 Years
Contacts	Length of contract
Consultant's Contacts	Length of contract
Consultation project proposals, costings and finished reports	3 Years
Electronic Duty Log	3 Years
Key Issuing	Length of contract
Site Visit Sheets	1 Year
Processing of petty cash details for the company	6 Years
Tendering for new Customers and Price increases for Existing Customers	6 Years
Purchase Ledger	6 Years
Sage Accounts 200	7 Years
TimeGate - Payroll and Finance Items	7 Years
VAT Returns	7 Years
Agreements	Length of contract
Length of contract	7 Years
Reporting and dissecting finance information	7 Years
Reporting and dissecting finance and payroll information	7 Years
Document transactions on the bank account.	7 Years
Details of fines re vehicles	Length of contract
Finance Pack for Managers	7 Years
Reference information from HMRC and communications from HMRC	5 Years
Insurance Policy Details	5 Years
Letters to employees and other organisations	7 Years
Management Accounts	6 Years
New Supplier Documentation	5 Years





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Information requests by the Office for National Statistics	6 Years
3-year Trend Accidents	20 Years
Copy of H&S induction form	20 Years
Accident Report Sheet	20 Years
Name / location / Claim details	20 Years
Accidents / investigation forms	20 Years
Long Term Sickness Costings	7 Years
Absence Monitoring Report	7 Years
Staff Appraisals	7 Years
AWOL	7 Years
Recruitment & onboarding of new staff	7 Years
Documents to support CIS defence against an employee claim against the company	7 Years
Contracts of Employment for site based new starters	7 Years
Personnel file for CIS current employees	7 Years
DBS process and monitoring spreadsheet	7 Years
DBS checks	7 Years
Photos & employee signature	Length of contract
Contract of Employment / RTW / onboarding documents / employee relations / medical records / training records	7 Years / length of contract
Name, address, job title, DOB, medical record	7 Years / length of contract
Employee completed probation forms	7 Years / length of contract
Probation spreadsheet to monitor the completion of probations	7 Years / length of contract
Redundancy costs, matrixes, and letters to manage redundancy process	7 Years / length of contract
Monitoring & working document of RTW status checks	7 Years / length of contract
To record all employee liability information as part of the TUPE transfer due diligence process	7 Years / length of contract
To record uniform orders for employees	1 Year / length of contract
SIA Licence holder name and licence number	3 Years / length of contract
Licence Dispensation Notices	1 Year





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Applicant Details	1 Year		
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Assignment instructions Signed Contract Client			
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ECAF's	Length of contract		
Correspondence with client	Length of contract		
Monthly Awards – News sheets	1 Year		
Court Orders that CIS Security Ltd are required to process and make deductions from their pay.	End of Term of the Court Order and that taxation year plus 6 years		
Processing bonus payments for employees.	End of Term of the Court Order and that taxation year plus 6 years		
Details of transactions and communications with employees	5 Years		
Communications and details filed by Customer	Length of contract		
Communications received from employees for address and bank details	Length of contract		
Marketing and Processing Childcare Voucher Program	Length of contract		
Excel, Pdf, Emails (payroll and employee	Length of contract		
Sales & Marketing below			
Personal Descriptions - Name, Company Name, Phone number, company address Tracking - email address, social media Client	3 Years		
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Personal Descriptions - Name, Company Name, Phone number, company address Tracking - email address, social media Staff	3 Years		
Personal Descriptions, Job Title, Name, Phone Number email Address & Office address Networking	3 Years		
Names and photos of staff with commendations for good works inclusive of where they work	3 Years		
TRAINING DEPARTMENT BELOW			
Names, Phone Numbers, Addresses, etc. Clients	Length of contract		
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Security Reports	CCTV Sign in book, on-site signing in documents, Electronic Daily Security Reports	1 Year
Company Al'S 1 Year	Company Al'S	1 Year
Incident Reports 3 Year	Incident Reports	3 Year
Various Attendance Sheets (Mainly Fit for Kings) 1 Year	Various Attendance Sheets (Mainly Fit for Kings)	1 Year
TimeGate Length of contract	TimeGate	Length of contract
Access Control (Gallagher) Name, Picture, K number, department details Length of contract		Length of contract
Key Log Register Length of contract	Key Log Register	Length of contract





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Escalation Sheets Name/email/telephone numbers	Length of contract
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Change History Record

Ref	Issue	Description of Change	Approval	Date of Issue
IMSM.016	2	Initial issue	Managing Director	18.05.18
IMSM.016	3	Review of Document	Managing Director	23.03.20
IMSM.016	4	Review of Document	Managing Director	15.03.21
IMSM.016	5	Review of Document	Managing Director	23.03.22
IMSM.016	6	GDPR to DPA 2018	Managing Director	24.08.22
IMSM.016	7	GDPR 2018	Managing Director	30.01.23
IMSM.016	8	Added retention period	Managing Director	13/12/23
IMSM.016	9	Review of Document	Managing Director	25/02/24
IMSM.016	10	Review of Document	Managing Director	25/03/24



