

# DATA PRIVACY POLICY

of Domains.TM

## 1. Legal Framework

TM Domain Registry Limited, a company registered in England runs the .TM Registry (“NIC.TM and Domains.TM”), takes into account UK Data Protection Act of 1998, the European Union's General Data Protection Regulation (2016/679), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (SI 2003/2426) and the European Directive 95/46/EC.

Domains.TM is a UAE company which does not have formal data protection legislation but Domains.TM follows the principles of the UK laws.

## 2. Purpose

In the course of its Domain name Registration service Domains.TM needs to gather and process personal information (“the Data”) about the Registrant and/or Administrative Contact and/or Technical Contact and/or Billing Contact (“the Data Subject”):

- Name
- Organization Name (if applicable)
- Full Address
- Phone Number
- Fax Number
- e-Mail

The Data will be associated with the .TM Domain name to be Registered and can be used to supply information about the Domain Name(s) registered by the Data Subject following queries made using the [WHOIS](#) service.

## 3. Consent to the Processing of the Data

As part of the Domain name Registration Process, the Data Subject has the option to grant (or withhold) consent to Domains.TM to process and include the Data in the Registry Database. This consent may be expressed at the time of Registration by checking the “Terms and Conditions” box after having read the [Terms](#) page. In the event that the Data Subject withholds consent for Domains.TM to process and include the Data in the Registry Database, then the application will be terminated, no charges imposed, no service given and any collected information deleted. Where consent is given by the Data Subject to process and include the Data in the Registry Database, service will be provided and the Data Subject has a further option relating to whether or not the collected data may be made public. With regard to public disclosure of parts of the Data relating to the Data Subject's registration the default is NO disclosure however the Data Subject may select to disclose their Data as the result of a [WHOIS](#) query on the Data Subject's Registered Domain name.

## 4. Rights of Data Subject

Once the Data has been processed by Domains.tn and the Registry, the Data Subject has the possibility to verify, edit or delete the Data simply by using the appropriate page on the Domains.TM web site.

Using its Password and Email ID, the Data Subject can access the relevant

page to perform selected modifications on the Data, including withdrawing certain elements. Additionally the Registrant is granted the possibility to nominate another Administrative contact (while remaining the Billing contact).

#### c) Right to know what Data has been processed

At all times, the Data Subject has the right to check which Data is held or has been processed by Domains.TM.

The Data can be checked using the [WHOIS](#) service on one or more of its Registered .TM Domain(s).

### **5. Third Parties**

#### a) Registrars

If the Domain name Registration has been performed by Domains.TM, the Data has been automatically transferred to NIC.TM as part of the registration process.

#### b) Transfer from a Registrar to another

Registrar Transfers are free on the Domains.TM platform and can be performed simply by supplying a new Nic Handle as the Technical Contact for a selected Domain name on the [relevant page](#).

Since the Data is still kept and processed by the Registry, transfers should have no implication regarding Data Privacy. However, the Data Subject is advised to obtain in writing a copy of the Data Privacy policy established by the new Registrar before transferring a Domain.

#### c) Agents

As specified in the **Terms and conditions Domains.TM** shall be permitted by the Applicant's Agent (who shall expressly obtain the consent of individuals whose personal data is to be held on the Register of .TM Domain Names and if such consent is withheld or withdrawn then the Agent shall immediately terminate the registration) to allow other organisations and members of the public to access the data for the purpose of obtaining information about the registration of the Domain Name or any other related purpose.

Should the Registrant not be willing to have their personal information associated with a registered domain they are able to use an Agent for Service as their representative. This action in effect transfers all rights in the domain name to the Agent as the Registry shall only record the Agent's details as associated with the domain. It is therefore recommended, if a Registrant uses this third party service, that the relationship between actual user/holder of the domain and Agent for Service is clearly documented with a signed agreement of each others undertakings in the event of a dispute. The Agent will be deemed the Data Subject and benefit from the relevant rights established by this Policy.

### **6. Cookies**

What are cookies?

Cookies are small pieces of text sent by your web browser by a website you visit. A cookie file is stored in your web browser and allows the website or a

third-party to recognize you and make your next visit easier and the website more useful to you.

How do we use cookies?

When you use and access our website, we may place a number of cookies files in your web browser. We use cookies for the following purposes:

**Essential cookies:** These cookies are necessary for the website to function properly. They enable you to navigate our website and use its features.

**Performance and analytics cookies:** These cookies allow us to analyze how visitors use our website, to measure and improve its performance. For example, these cookies may track things such as how long you spend on the website or the pages you visit, which helps us to understand how we can improve the site for you.

**Functionality cookies:** These cookies enable us to provide enhanced functionality and personalization. They may be set by us or by third-party.

## **7. Data Protection Office**

TM Domain Registry Limited is a Registered Data Controller to the UK Data Protection office under the number Z722942X

Details can be accessed by following this link to the Data Protection Office