# PERSONAL DATA PROTECTION POLICY

#### 1. Introduction

Lysaght Galvanized Steel Bhd ("Company") is committed to protecting the personal data of employees, customers, vendors, and business associates in compliance with the **Personal Data Protection Act 2010 (PDPA)** and its latest amendments. This policy outlines how the Company collects, processes, stores, discloses, and protects personal data while ensuring compliance with regulatory obligations.

#### 2. Scope

This policy applies to:

- Employees (current, past, and prospective)
- Customers, clients, and business partners
- · Vendors, suppliers, and contractors
- Website visitors and online users
- Any other individuals whose personal data is processed by the Company

This policy applies to all personal data collected, processed, stored, and transmitted, whether electronically, manually, or via third-party platforms.

#### 3. Definition of Personal Data

Personal data refers to any information that identifies or can be used to identify an individual, directly or indirectly. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Basic personal information: Name, identification card (IC) number, passport number, date of birth, nationality, gender
- Contact details: Address, phone number, email address
- Employment information: Job title, salary, work history, bank account details
- Online identifiers: IP address, device ID, login credentials
- Sensitive personal data: Health information, biometric data, religious beliefs, and criminal records (processed with additional security measures)

#### 4. Personal Data Collection & Purpose

The Company collects personal data for **legitimate business and operational purposes**, including but not limited to:

- 1. **Employment & HR Administration** Payroll processing, benefits management, performance evaluation
- 2. Customer & Client Services Order processing, customer support, contract fulfilment
- 3. **Marketing & Promotions** Sending updates, newsletters, and promotional materials (with consent)
- 4. Regulatory & Legal Compliance Compliance with tax, labour, and data protection laws
- 5. **Security & Fraud Prevention** Preventing unauthorised access, cybersecurity measures

## **Data Minimisation Principle:**

We only collect necessary and relevant data to fulfil the intended purpose.

#### 5. Consent & Notification

- Explicit consent is obtained before collecting or processing personal data.
- Privacy Notices are provided to individuals when data is collected.
- Individuals have the right to withdraw consent at any time.
- The Company does not collect personal data from minors (under 18) without parental consent.

## 6. Rights of Data Subjects

Individuals have the following rights under the PDPA:

- 1. Right to Access Request a copy of their personal data.
- 2. **Right to Correction** Request corrections to inaccurate or outdated information.
- 3. Right to Withdraw Consent Stop the processing of their data.
- 4. Right to Restriction Request a limitation on data processing under certain conditions.
- 5. **Right to Data Portability** Request transfer of data to another service provider (if applicable).

6. Right to Object - Object to direct marketing or automated decision-making.

#### **How to Exercise Rights:**

Individuals can submit a request by contacting our **HR Department** at **hr@lysaghtmarketing.com.my**. Requests will be processed within **21 working days**.

## 7. Data Retention & Disposal

- Personal data will be retained only as long as necessary for legal and business purposes.
- HR & Employee data Retained for 7 years post-employment.
- Customer & client data Retained for 5 years after contract expiration.
- Data will be securely disposed of through encryption, anonymisation, or physical destruction.

# 8. Data Security Measures

The Company implements **robust security measures** to protect personal data from unauthorised access, disclosure, or loss.

## **8.1 Technical Security Controls**

- Encryption & Data Masking Encrypting sensitive data in transit and at rest.
- Access Controls & Authentication Multi-factor authentication (MFA) for critical systems.
- Intrusion Detection & Firewall Protection Preventing unauthorised access.

## **8.2 Organisational Security Controls**

- Confidentiality Agreements Signed by employees and third-party processors.
- Data Breach Response Plan A structured approach to responding to data breaches.
- Regular Cybersecurity Audits Ensuring compliance with security policies.

#### 9. Data Sharing & Third-Party Processors

We do not sell, rent, or trade personal data to third parties. However, data may be shared with:

Regulatory authorities (Bank Negara Malaysia, LHDN, MCMC)

- Third-party service providers (Cloud storage, HR systems, payment processors)
- Law enforcement (Upon official request)

**Third-party agreements** are in place to ensure compliance with PDPA security and confidentiality requirements.

#### 10. Cross-Border Data Transfers

- Personal data may be transferred outside Malaysia only if the receiving country has adequate data protection laws.
- Transfers will be **legally justified** through:
  - Data Processing Agreements (DPAs)
  - Standard Contractual Clauses (SCCs)
  - Explicit Consent from the data subject

## 11. Breach Notification & Incident Response

- Data breaches must be reported within 72 hours to the Human Resource Department (HRD) and affected individuals if there is a risk of harm.
- The Company follows a four-step response plan:
  - 1. **Detection & Containment** Immediate mitigation of the breach.
  - 2. **Assessment & Reporting** Internal investigation & HRD notification.
  - Remediation Implementing corrective actions.
  - 4. **Communication** Informing affected individuals & stakeholders.

## 12. Employee Responsibilities & Training

All employees must:

- Comply with this PDPA policy and attend data protection training (if applicable).
- Report suspected data breaches or unauthorised data use to the HR Department.
- Handle personal data securely as part of their job roles.

Non-compliance may result in disciplinary action, including termination.

# 13. Compliance with Malaysia PDPA 2010 & Amendments

This policy complies with:

- 1. Personal Data Protection Act 2010 (PDPA)
- 2. Personal Data Protection (Compounding of Offences) Regulations 2016
- 3. Malaysia Cyber Security Strategy (MCSS) 2020-2024

The Company actively monitors changes in **PDPA laws and regulations** and will update this policy accordingly.

#### 14. Review & Amendments

- This policy will be reviewed annually or when regulatory changes occur.
- Updates will be communicated via internal memos and company training.

#### 15. Contact Information

For any inquiries, complaints, or data subject requests, please contact:

## **HR Department**

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