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You may not probe, scan or test the vulnerability of the Site or any network connected to the Site, nor breach the security or authentication measures on the Site or any network connected to the Site. You may not reverse look-up, trace or seek to trace any information on any other user of or visitor to the Site, or any other customer of SuretyPRO, including any SuretyPRO account not owned by you, to its source, or exploit the Site or any service or information made available or offered by or through the Site, in any way where the purpose is to reveal any information, including but not limited to personal identification or information, other than your own information, as provided for by the Site.

You agree that you will not take any action that imposes an unreasonable or disproportionately large load on the infrastructure of the Site or SuretyPRO's systems or networks, or any systems or networks connected to the Site or to SuretyPRO.

You agree not to use any device, software or routine to interfere or attempt to interfere with the proper working of the Site or any transaction being conducted on the Site, or with any other person's use of the Site.

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You may not use the Site or any Content for any purpose that is unlawful or prohibited by these Terms of Use, or to solicit the performance of any illegal activity or other activity which infringes the rights of SuretyPRO or others.

3. Purchases; Other Terms and Conditions

Additional terms and conditions may apply to purchase of the SuretyPROTM System and to specific portions or features of the Site, all of which terms are made a part of these Terms of Use by this reference. You agree to abide by such other terms and conditions, including where applicable representing that you are of sufficient legal age to use or participate in such service or feature. If there is a conflict between these Terms of Use and the terms of use for the SuretyPROTM System offered on or through the Site, the latter terms shall control with respect to your use of the SuretyPROTM System.

SuretyPRO's obligations, if any, with regard to its products and services are governed solely by the agreements pursuant to which they are provided, and nothing on this Site should be construed to alter such agreements.

SuretyPRO may make changes to any products or services offered on the Site, or to the applicable prices for any such products or services, at any time, without notice. The materials on the Site with respect to products and services may be out of date, and SuretyPRO makes no commitment to update the materials on the Site with respect to such products and services.

The following terms also govern and apply to your use of the Site, and they are incorporated herein by this reference:

Guidelines for Using SuretyPRO Trademarks & Copyrights

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4. <u>Accounts, Passwords and Security</u>

Certain features or services offered on or through the Site may require you to open an account (including setting up an SuretyPRO ID and password). You are entirely responsible for maintaining the confidentiality of the information you hold for your account, including your password, and for any and all activity that occurs under your account as a result of your failing to keep this information secure and confidential. You agree to notify SuretyPRO immediately of any unauthorized use of your account or password, or any other breach of security. You may be held liable for losses incurred by SuretyPRO or any other user of or visitor to the Site due to someone else using your SuretyPRO ID, password or account as a result of your failing to keep your account information secure and confidential.

You may not use anyone else's SuretyPRO ID, password or account at any time without the express permission and consent of SuretyPRO. SuretyPRO cannot and will not be liable for any loss or damage arising from your failure to comply with these obligations.

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Except where prohibited by law, in no event will SuretyPRO be liable to you for any indirect, consequential, exemplary, incidental or punitive damages, including lost profits, even if SuretyPRO has been advised of the possibility of such damages.

If, notwithstanding the other provisions of these Terms of Use, SuretyPRO is found to be liable to you for any damage or loss which arises out of or is in any way connected with your use of the Site or any Content, SuretyPRO's liability shall in no event exceed the greater of (i) the total of any subscription or similar fees with respect to any service or feature of or on the Site paid in the six (6) months prior to the date of the initial claim made against SuretyPRO, or (ii) US \$100.00. Some jurisdictions do not allow limitations of liability, so the foregoing limitation may not apply to you.

9. Indemnity

You agree to indemnify and hold SuretyPRO, its officers, directors, shareholders, predecessors, successors in interest, employees, agents, subsidiaries and affiliates, harmless from any demands, loss, liability, claims or expenses (including attorneys' fees), made against SuretyPRO by any third party due to or arising out of or in connection with your use of the Site.

10. Violation of These Terms of Use

SuretyPRO may disclose any information we have about you (including your identity) if we determine that such disclosure is necessary in connection with any investigation or complaint regarding your use of the Site, or to identify, contact or bring legal action against someone who may be causing injury to or interference with (either intentionally or unintentionally) SuretyPRO's rights or property, or the rights or property of visitors to or users of the Site, including SuretyPRO's customers. SuretyPRO reserves the right at all times to disclose any information that SuretyPRO deems necessary to comply with any applicable law, regulation, legal process or governmental request. SuretyPRO also may disclose your information when SuretyPRO determines that applicable law requires or permits such disclosure, including

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You acknowledge and agree that SuretyPRO may preserve any transmittal or communication by you with SuretyPRO through the Site or any service offered on or through the Site, and may also disclose such data if required to do so by law or SuretyPRO determines that such preservation or disclosure is reasonably necessary to (i) comply with legal process, (ii) enforce these Terms of Use, (iii) respond to claims that any such data violates the rights of others, or (vi) protect the rights, property or personal safety of SuretyPRO, its employees, users of or visitors to the Site, and the public.

You agree that SuretyPRO may, in its sole discretion and without prior notice, terminate your access to the Site and/or block your future access to the Site if we determine that you have violated these Terms of Use or other agreements or guidelines which may be associated with your use of the Site. You also agree that any violation by you of these Terms of Use will constitute an unlawful and unfair business practice, and will cause irreparable harm to SuretyPRO, for which monetary damages would be inadequate, and you consent to SuretyPRO obtaining any injunctive or equitable relief that SuretyPRO deems necessary or appropriate in such circumstances. These remedies are in addition to any other remedies SuretyPRO may have at law or in equity.

You agree that SuretyPRO may, in its sole discretion and without prior notice, terminate your access to the Site, for cause, which includes (but is not limited to) (i) requests by law enforcement or other government agencies, (ii) a request by you (self-initiated account deletions), (iii) discontinuance or material modification of the Site or any service offered on or through the Site, or (iv) unexpected technical issues or problems.

If SuretyPRO does take any legal action against you as a result of your violation of these Terms of Use, SuretyPRO will be entitled to recover from you, and you agree to pay, all reasonable attorneys' fees and costs of such action, in addition to any other relief granted to SuretyPRO. You agree that SuretyPRO will not be liable to you or to any third party for termination of your access to the Site as a result of any violation of these Terms of Use.

11. Governing Law; Dispute Resolution

You agree that all matters relating to your access to or use of the Site, including all disputes, will be governed by the laws of the United States and by the laws of the State of California without regard to its conflicts of laws provisions. You agree to the personal jurisdiction by and venue in the state and federal courts in San Diego County, California, and waive any objection to such jurisdiction or venue. Any claim under these Terms of Use must be brought within one (1) year after the cause of action arises, or such claim or cause of action is barred. Claims made under the separate terms and conditions of purchase for goods and services are not subject to this limitation. No recovery may be sought or received for damages other than out-of-pocket expenses, except that the prevailing party will be entitled to costs and attorneys' fees. In the event of any controversy or dispute between SuretyPRO and you arising out of or in connection with your use of the Site, the parties shall attempt, promptly and in good faith, to resolve any such dispute. If we are unable to resolve any such dispute within a reasonable time (not to exceed thirty (30) days), then either party may submit such controversy or dispute to mediation. If the dispute cannot be resolved through mediation, then the parties shall be free to pursue any right or remedy available to them under applicable law.

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