

## **CREST COMMUNITY SUPPORTER DECLARATION**

## **Statement of Compliance**

On behalf of the organisation I, the undersigned, confirm that as a Community Supporter of CREST International, we will support the mission and values of CREST International which are to help build trust in the digital world through services that nurture, measure and enhance the performance of individuals and organisations. (What we do - CREST (crest-approved.org)

On behalf of the organisation, I also confirm that our company and its staff will uphold the principles contained in the CREST Code of Ethics applicable to companies which include credibility, integrity, responsibility, respect and professionalism. CREST Code of Ethics - CREST (crest-approved.org)

In addition, I confirm that our company will:

- Not portray or infer that the organisation, its subsidiaries or its staff have membership of CREST in any way; and
- Not make misleading or unauthorised statements regarding their relationship with CREST; and
- Not act in any way to bring CREST into disrepute; and
- Discontinue use of all claims to being a Community Supporter of CREST in the event of its suspension, withdrawal or expiry of its Community Supporter status; and
- Refer to CREST as either CREST or CREST (International) and not use or depict the name in any other way.

Further, the organisation understands that acceptance as a CREST Community Supporter does not entitle an organisation to claim the benefits of membership of CREST nor to vote at meetings of the Members.

Furthermore, I the undersigned understand and accept that CREST may suspend or exclude the company from participation in the Community Supporter Framework if the organisation is found, in the view of CREST and in its sole discretion, to be in breach of any of the terms in this Declaration. No refunds will be offered in the event of suspension, exclusion or under any other circumstances.

Community Support status will come into immediate effect on successful application or renewal as a CREST Community Supporter, following receipt of payment of fees due.

## **Data Protection**

Data will be held in accordance with the provisions of applicable data protection legislation and the Company accepts that by signing this application form they consent that the information contained therein may be processed and stored by CREST employees either in hard-copy format or electronically. The information will only be available to the CREST permanent staff and not to any of the CREST Councils or any other Supporter or member company unless there is an agreed requirement to do this following an investigation of a breach of the Company Code of Conduct or NDA. Even in these cases only relevant sections of an application form will be provided and additional specific NDAs will be obtained and signed by those receiving the information.

Organisations consent to the lawful processing of personal information by CREST and third-party service providers in connection with their Supporter status.

By submitting your application, you agree that.

- Information may be passed to CREST Regions as necessary
- Information may be passed to specific third parties for specific purposes in support of programmes that CREST administers on their behalf
- You accept receipt of correspondence and marketing information electronically and in hard copy from CREST
- You agree that CREST can use and display your corporate logo on our website and other related materials.

By submitting your application, the organisation agrees the details, as provided in this application, will be listed on the Community Supporter page of the CREST website and in various literature and presentations as CREST sees fit for the purposes of promoting the organisation's Supporter status.