



## **BRIDGEVOICE ONLINE PLATFORM ACCEPTABLE USE POLICY**

It is the policy of BridgeVoice to maintain an environment that promotes ethical and responsible conduct in all online network activities by its Members. It shall be a violation of this policy for any Member or other individual to engage in any activity that does not conform to the established purpose and general rules and policies of the BridgeVoice Online Platform.

The following is the BridgeVoice Acceptable Use Policy:

This Acceptable Use Policy applies to all Members and users of, and visitors to, our site. Your use of our site means that you accept, and agree to abide by, all the terms in this policy, which supplement the terms of the BridgeVoice Membership Agreement, applicable to our Members.

### **PROHIBITED USES**

You may use our site only for lawful purposes. You may not use our site:

- a. in any way that breaches any applicable local, national or international law or regulation;
- b. in any way that is unlawful or fraudulent, or has any unlawful or fraudulent purpose or effect;
- c. for the purpose of harming or attempting to harm minors in any way;
- d. to send, knowingly receive, upload, download, use or re-use any material which does not comply with our policies;
- e. to transmit, or procure the sending of, any unsolicited or unauthorized advertising or promotional material or any other form of similar solicitation (spam); or
- f. to knowingly transmit any data, send or upload any material that contains viruses, Trojan horses, worms, logic bombs, time-bombs, keystroke loggers, spyware, adware or any other harmful programs or similar computer code designed to adversely affect the operation of any computer software or hardware;
- g. store, send or distribute any content or material which is restricted, prohibited or otherwise unlawful under any applicable law, or which is likely to be offensive or obscene to a reasonable person;

- h. store, send or distribute confidential information, copyright material or other content which is subject to third party intellectual property rights, unless you have a lawful right to do so;
- i. do anything, including store, send or distribute material which defames, harasses, threatens, abuses, menaces, offends, violates the privacy of, or incites violence or hatred against, any person or class of persons, or which could give rise to civil or criminal proceedings;
- j. do any other act or thing which in breach of any code, standard or content requirement of any other competent authority;
- k. do anything, including store, send or distribute material, which interferes with other users or restricts or hinders any person from accessing, using or enjoying the internet, our Services, Network or systems;
- l. forge header information, email source address or other user information;
- m. access, monitor or use any data, systems or networks, including another person's private information, without authority or attempt to probe, scan or test the vulnerability of any data, system or network;
- n. compromise the security or integrity of any network or system including our Network;
- o. access, download, store, send or distribute any viruses or other harmful programs or material(s);
- p. send or distribute unsolicited advertising, bulk electronic messages or otherwise breach your spam obligations, or overload any network or system including our Network and systems;
- q. use another person's name, username or password or otherwise attempt to gain access to the account of any other Member;
- r. authorize, aid, abet, encourage or incite any other person to do or attempt to do any of the above acts.

## **SUSPENSION AND TERMINATION**

BridgeVoice will determine, in our sole discretion, whether there has been a breach of this policy through your use of our site. When a breach of this policy has occurred, BridgeVoice may take such action as BridgeVoice deem appropriate. Failure to comply with this policy constitutes a material breach of the terms of use upon which you are permitted to use our site, and may result in our taking all or any of the following actions:

- a. immediate, temporary or permanent withdrawal of your right to use our site;
- b. immediate, temporary or permanent removal of any posting or material uploaded by you to our site;
- c. issue of a warning to you;
- d. legal proceedings against you for reimbursement of all costs on an indemnity basis (including, but not limited to, reasonable administrative and legal costs) resulting from the breach;
- e. further legal action against you; and/or
- f. disclosure of such information to law enforcement authorities as BridgeVoice reasonably feel is necessary.

**BRIDGEVOICE DISCLAIMS ANY LIABILITY FOR ACTIONS TAKEN IN RESPONSE TO BREACHES OF THIS POLICY.**

The responses described in this policy are not limited, and BridgeVoice may take any other action BridgeVoice reasonably deems appropriate.