Privacy notice

Who we are	We are Porter Dodson LLP, a limited liability partnership incorporated in England & Wales. We are a 'data controller' under Data Protection law.
How you are protected	 Legal & regulatory protection You are protected by the law and by our professional duty of confidentiality. Our commitments We take seriously your privacy and the security of the information we hold about you. We will never sell or share your personal information outside Porter Dodson for marketing purposes.
Obtaining data about you	 What we obtain and from where We will obtain a variety of information about you, mostly directly from you but sometimes from others involved in the work. We ask only for what we need and use it in limited ways. Our reasons Most of the information we obtain is needed to be able to do work you have asked us to do (or quote for), or to fulfil our legal/regulatory obligations. We may process your personal information for our own purposes, such as for administrative reasons, or to promote our services to you (see 'Marketing' below). We will be happy to justify to you why we need any piece of information about you and what we are going to do with it.
Sharing your data with others	 Sharing only if we need to We only share information about you if we need to, or if the law requires it. Examples Our privacy policy contains examples of the types of organisations with whom we may need to share information about you. Marketing We will tell you about other services if it is in your best interests to do so. We may tell you about any of our services (or those provided by others) if we believe they may be relevant or of interest to you. We will never sell or share your personal information outside Porter Dodson for marketing purposes. You can tell us at any time if you do not want to receive marketing information from us.
Keeping your data	At least 7 years • We will keep information about you for at least 7 years (in electronic and paper form).
Other	 We have a Data Privacy Partner Victoria Walker, who can be contacted at Porter Dodson LLP, Telford House, The Park, Yeovil, BA20 1DY or emailed: dataprotection@porterdodson.co.uk Your right to complain You can complain to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO, www.ico.org.uk), but please contact us first, as we would like to try to resolve complaints ourselves. Other rights The law gives you other rights, so you can be in control of the information you provide. Further details are in our privacy policy (and are available from the ICO).

This notice is intended for clients and potential clients. We use the term 'data' to mean any information about you which we obtain (either directly from you or from other sources).

Need to know more?

Further details can be found in our privacy policy – see our website or ask us for a copy.

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