CRICKET SWITZERLAND

Privacy and Data Protection Policy

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1. Purpose and scope

Cricket Switzerland (“CS”, “we”, “our”, or “us”) is committed to protecting the privacy and personal data of its members, players, coaches, officials, volunteers, partners, and website users and other persons who interact with CS.

CS processes personal data in accordance with the Swiss Federal Act on Data Protection (FADP) and applicable international data protection regulations.

This Privacy and Data Protection Policy(“Policy”) explains how we collect, use, store, share, protect and otherwise process your personal information.

2. Information We Collect

We may collect and process the following types of personal data:

Personal Information

- Full name
- Date of birth
- Gender, where relevant
- Nationality, where relevant
- Contact details (email address, phone number, postal address)
- Emergency contact information
- photographs
- identification information where required for eligibility, travel, accreditation or regulatory purposes: and
- parent or guardian details where relevant.
- Medical details of Athletes

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Cricket-Related Information

- membership affiliation
- player registration and eligibility
- domestic and international cricket
- competitions, matches and tournaments
- coaching and development programmes
- umpiring and officiating
- safeguarding and welfare
- volunteer accreditation details
- disciplinary matters
- national and representative teams
- photography, video and other media
- sponsorship and commercial activities
- other activities undertaken in pursuit of CS's statutory objectives.

Technical Information

When using our website or online services, we may collect:

- IP address
- Browser type
- Device information
- Website usage data through cookies or analytics tools
- log information
- cookie identifiers

Financial and Transaction Information

Where applicable we may process:

- membership payments
- competitions fees
- invoices
- reimbursements
- bank or payment information
- transaction records

- financial records required for accounting, audit or legal purposes.

Payment information may be processed by third=party providers rather than stored directly by CS.

3. How we Collect Personal Data

CS may obtain personal data:

- directly from the individual;
- from a parent or guardian;
- from affiliated cricket clubs;
- through player or member registration systems;
- from coaches, team managers and match officials;
- from competition organisers;
- from regional, national or international cricket bodies;
- from safeguarding or disciplinary processes;
- through CS websites and digital platforms;
- through event registration;
- from service providers;
- from photographs, video or match coverage;
- from publicly available sources where appropriate; or
- from another lawful source connected with CS activities.

Where personal data is obtained from someone other than the individual concerned, CS will provide appropriate information about the processing where required by applicable law.

4. How and Why We Use Your Information

We may process personal data for the following purposes:

- Managing cricket competitions, registrations, and memberships
- Maintaining member and club records
- Organising events, training, and development programmes
- Communicating important updates and announcements
- Maintaining player eligibility and safeguarding standards

- Publishing fixtures, results, statistics, and media content
- Improving our website and digital services
- Meeting legal and regulatory obligations
- Newsletters and communications

5. Sharing of Information

We may disclose personal data where reasonably necessary to:

- Affiliated cricket clubs and regional associations
- Umpires, scorers, and other match officials
- Competition and event organisers
- Coaches and team managers
- Safeguarding personnel
- insurers
- auditors
- Government or regulatory authorities where required
- Service providers supporting our operations (e.g.website and other IT, payment, communications services)
- International cricket bodies where required
- Other parties where disclosure is authorised or required by law

We do not sell personal data to third parties.

6. Processing Grounds and Consent

Under the Swiss FADP, CS processes personal data in accordance with applicable processing principles and other legal requirements.

CS does not rely on consent for every processing activity.

Depending on the circumstances, processing may be undertaken because it:

- is necessary to fulfil CS's statutory or organisational purposes;
- is necessary for membership, registration or participation arrangements;
- is necessary for the performance of a contract;
- is required by law;
- is necessary to protect legitimate private or public interests;

- is necessary to protect the health or safety of an individual;
- is necessary for sporting administration or integrity; or
- is carried out with the individual's consent where consent is required or appropriate.

Where CS relies on consent, the individual will receive appropriate information about the relevant processing.

Where express consent is required for sensitive personal data or another processing activity, CS will seek such consent in an appropriate form.

7. Children and Young People

CS recognizes that children and young people require particular consideration in relation to privacy and personal data.

CS may process children's personal data for legitimate cricket purposes including:

- junior player registration;
- competition administration;
- eligibility verification;
- coaching and development;
- team selection;
- safeguarding;
- emergency contact arrangements;
- event participation;
- match statistics and results; and
- appropriate cricket communications.

CS will seek to collect only information reasonably necessary for these purposes.

Where consent is required, CS will take appropriate account of the child's age and capacity and will obtain consent from a parent or legal guardian where required or appropriate under applicable law.

8. Media, Video and Photography

Photos and videos may be taken during matches, events, training sessions, ceremonies, and development programmes for promotional, educational, and reporting purposes.

By participating in Cricket Switzerland activities, individuals acknowledge that such media may be used on:

- Official websites
- Official CS social media platforms
- Printed publications
- Promotional materials
- Historical and Archival purposes
- Other legitimate CS communications

CS will take reasonable steps to ensure that individuals are appropriately informed about planned photography and filming.

Where consent is required, CS will obtain appropriate consent. Particular care will be taken in relation to children and young people.

Parents or guardians may contact us regarding concerns related to media involving children and young people. CS will consider the request in accordance with applicable law, the circumstances in which the material was created, the purpose of its use and any other applicable rights or legitimate interests.

9. Relationship with the IP & Media Rights Policy

This Policy governs the personal-data and privacy aspect**s** of photographs, recordings and other media containing identifiable individuals.

CS's separate Intellectual Property & Media Rights Policy governs matters including:

- copyright;
- ownership and licensing of photographs and footage;
- broadcast and streaming rights;
- media accreditation;
- commercial media rights;
- Federation marks and branding; and
- authorised exploitation of CS-controlled content.

Ownership of copyright or media rights does not remove any applicable privacy or data-protection obligations concerning identifiable individuals.

10. International Data Transfers

Some Cricket Switzerland activities may involve transferring or making personal data available outside Switzerland, including in connection with international competitions, national teams, player and official accreditation, the International Cricket Council (ICC), international cricket organisations, and international service providers.

These service providers may include, where applicable, website and hosting providers, social media and digital communication platforms, data analytics and technology providers, competition and registration platforms, payment and other administrative service providers, as well as equipment and apparel manufacturers or other commercial partners that process personal data in connection with their services to Cricket Switzerland.

Before transferring personal data abroad, Cricket Switzerland will assess whether the destination provides an adequate level of data protection or whether appropriate safeguards or another lawful basis for the transfer are required.

Where applicable, individuals will be informed of the relevant destination country and the safeguards used for the transfer.

Cricket Switzerland will seek to ensure that international recipients only receive personal data that is necessary for the relevant purpose and that appropriate contractual, organisational and technical safeguards are applied where required.

11. Data Retention

Cricket Switzerland will retain personal data only for as long as reasonably necessary for the purpose for which it was collected or where retention is required or permitted by law.

Retention periods may vary depending on the nature of the information and the purpose for which it is held.

Cricket Switzerland will establish appropriate internal retention periods for key categories of information, including membership, financial, competition, safeguarding, disciplinary, medical and personnel records.

When personal data is no longer required, it will be deleted, destroyed or anonymised where appropriate.

12. Data Security

We implement appropriate technical and organisational measures to protect personal data against unauthorised access, loss, misuse, alteration, destruction and unauthorised disclosure. We regularly review and update these measures, where necessary, to maintain an appropriate level of security and protect personal data throughout its lifecycle.

13. Personal Data Breaches

CS will assess suspected personal data breaches and take appropriate measures to contain, investigate and mitigate them.
Where a personal data breach is likely to result in a high risk to the personality or fundamental rights of affected individuals, CS will notify the Federal Data Protection and Information Commissioner where required by the FADP.
CS will also inform affected individuals where required by applicable law or where notification is necessary for their protection.

Where a breach is likely to result in a high risk to the personality or fundamental rights of affected individuals, Cricket Switzerland will notify the Federal Data Protection and Information Commissioner (FDPIC) as soon as possible, as required by the FADP.

Affected individuals will be informed where necessary for their protection or where otherwise required by law.

14. Your Data Protection Rights

Under applicable data protection laws, individuals may have the right to:

- Request access to their personal data
- Request correction of inaccurate information
- Request deletion of personal data where legally applicable
- Withdraw consent for certain processing activities where processing is based on consent
- Object to specific uses of personal data.

These rights are not absolute. CS may be entitled or required to refuse, restrict or defer a request in circumstances permitted by law.

Where consent is withdrawn, the withdrawal does not necessarily affect processing that was lawful before withdrawal and does not prevent CS from continuing processing where another lawful justification applies.

CS may take reasonable steps to verify the identity of the person making a request before disclosing or altering personal data.

Requests can be made using the contact details below.

15. Cookies, Analytics and Website Usage

Our website and digital services may use cookies and analytics tools to:

- improve user experience
- monitor website performance
- essential website functionality
- security
- audience measurement
- analytics

Users may manage their ookie preferences through their browser settings.

16. Contact Information

For questions regarding this Privacy Policy or data protection matters, please contact:

Cricket Switzerland

Email: dataprotection@cricketswitzerland.ch

Website: Cricket Switzerland

CS encourages individuals to contact it first so that questions or concerns can be investigated and addressed.

17. Relationship with CS Members

CS members may collect and process personal data independently from CS.

Where a member determines the purposes and means of its own processing, the member is responsible for complying with applicable data protection requirements in relation to that processing.

The transfer of information between a member and CS should be limited to information reasonably required for legitimate cricket, membership, competition, safeguarding, regulatory or administrative purposes.

Members should maintain appropriate privacy information for processing undertaken in their own capacity.

Nothing in this Policy automatically makes CS responsible for all personal data processing carried out independently by a Member.

18. Relationship with international Cricket Bodies

CS may be required to provide personal data to international or regional cricket organisations in connection with:

- international competitions;
- player eligibility;
- national-team participation;
- accreditation;
- disciplinary or integrity matters;
- safeguarding;
- development programmes; and
- other legitimate international cricket activities.

Where another cricket body determines independently how and why it processes that information, its own privacy policy and applicable data protection obligations may also apply.

CS will seek to ensure that any disclosure is appropriate, proportionate and compliant with applicable law.

19. Relationship with Other CS Policies

This Policy should be read, where relevant, together with other CS policies and regulations, including:

- the CS Intellectual Property & Media Rights Policy;
- Safeguarding Policy;
- Disciplinary Regulations;
- Competition Regulations;
- Social Media Guidelines;
- other applicable CS policies and procedures.

If there is an inconsistency concerning the processing of personal data, applicable data protection law and this Policy shall govern the privacy and data-protection issue unless a more specific lawful privacy notice applies to the particular processing activity.

20. Changes to this Policy

Cricket Switzerland may update this Privacy Policy from time to time. Any updates will be published on our official website.