# ACCESS UK LIMITED

# STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS

#### BACKGROUND

- 1. We are a provider of Access Products and You wish to be provided with Access Products.
- 2. You wish to be provided with Access Product, technical support, and the benefit of IT consulting services on request;
- 3. The parties have agreed that these Terms and Conditions and the relevant Statement of Work(s) will collectively make up the Framework Agreement (as more particularly defined below) and will apply to the supply of Access Products by Us to You.

#### THIS FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT COMPRISES OF

- 1. The Statement of Work(s); and
- 2. These Terms and Conditions, being:
  - 2.1 Background, Definitions and Interpretations
  - 2.2 **Core Terms** at Schedule 1: these govern the relationship between Us and You across any Access Product.
  - 2.3 **Product Specific Terms** at Schedule 2 : these apply only to the extent that We are to provide You with that Access Product.

#### DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION

In this Agreement (including the Statements of Work) the following expressions shall have the following meanings:

Acceptable Use Policy	means the following policy which is available here: <a href="https://www.theaccessgroup.com/media/22917/acceptable-use-hostingsaas-v3.pdf">https://www.theaccessgroup.com/media/22917/acceptable-use-hostingsaas-v3.pdf</a>	
Access Product	means SaaS, Software (including components or modules that are owned by Us and made available under this Agreem either on premise or in the cloud), FlightPath, Direct Debit, Hosting Infrastructure Services, Managed Services, Varia Consumed Services or other product or service provided by Us to You. Where multiple Access Products are purchas the definition shall apply to multiple Access Products.	
Access Success Plans	means any packaged Support service that is specified in the Statement of Work;	
Agreement	means the Framework Agreement, as described above;	
Annual Licence Fees	means the fee payable for the Licence in each 12 month period, as set out in clause 3;	
Authorised User	means any person that You have authorised to use an Access Product;	
Business Days	means Monday to Friday excluding bank holidays and public holidays in England;	
Business Hours	means the hours of 0900 to 1700 (BST or GMT as applicable) on Business Days;	
CaaS	Content as a Service means means the cloud based online Access Product as set out in a Statement of Work.	
CaaS Content Maintenance Statement	means the following statement which is available here: Content Maintenance Statement	
Confidential Information	means any information, however conveyed or presented that relates to the business, affairs, operations, customer processes, budgets, pricing policies, product information, strategies, developments, trade secrets, know-how, personn and suppliers of the disclosing party, together with all information derived by the receiving party from any such informatic and any other information clearly designated by the party as being confidential to it (whether or not it is marke "confidential information"), or which ought reasonably be considered to be confidential;	
Consulting Services	means the consultancy services specified in an applicable Statement of Work and may include, but not be limited to, Flightpath, training, implementation, configuration, integration and or general IT consultancy services;	
Customer System	means Your computer equipment, operating system, computer network infrastructure hardware and associated telecor links and networks;	
Customer Materials	means any material provided or made available by or on behalf of You to Us for the purposes of incorporation into the SaaS for You, including any registration data supplied by You but excluding Customer Data;	
Data Breach	means, in respect of any of Your data held by Us under this Agreement, any (i) unauthorised access to, modification or disclosure of; or (ii) any interference with, loss or misuse of; such data;	
Documentation	means documents or on-line help (provided in any media) relating to the Access Product which may be updated from tir to time. This definition includes the documents within the Schedules to this Agreement;	
Effective Date	has the meaning set out clause 1.5;	
Eligible Data Breach		
End User	means the person who uses the relevant Access Product;	
Event of Insolvency	means the situation in which a party becomes insolvent, has an insolvency practitioner appointed over the whole or a part of its assets, enters into any compound with creditors, or has an order made or resolution for it to be wound (otherwise than in the furtherance of a scheme for solvent amalgamation or reconstruction), or an analogous event occu in respect of a party in any jurisdiction to which that party is subject;	
Fees	means the Annual Licence Fee, Initial Licence Fee, Support Fees, SaaS Fee, and fees for Services or any of them an other fees, charges costs and expenses paid or payable under this Agreement by You; Attache, Australia, Property of A	

Further Term	means a further term of 12 months commencing at the conclusion of the Initial Term or any Further Term;			
Hosting Infrastructure Services	means the deployment set out in the relevant hosting Statement of Work;			
Initial Licence	means, if applicable, the permission granted to the Licensee to hold the Software only but not access or use the Access Software.			
Initial Term	means 36 months from the Effective Date;			
Initial Licence Fee	means the fee for the Initial Licence (if applicable) as set out in the relevant Statement of Work;			
Installation Date	means the sooner of go live or 90 days after the Effective Date;			
Intellectual Property Rights	means all intellectual and industrial property rights, including patents, trademarks, logos, brand, company names, rights databases, rights in designs, inventions, discoveries, know-how and copyrights (including rights in computer softwar (whether or not any of these is registered and including applications for registration of any such thing) and all rights forms of protection of a similar nature or having equivalent or similar effect to any of these which may subsist anywhe in the world;			
Licence	means the permission granted to the Licensee to Use (if applicable) the Access Product on the terms of this Agreement during the Term;			
Licence Fee	means the fee payable for the Licence as specified in the Statement of Work (as may be amended from time to time in accordance with clause 2);			
Licence Term	means the Initial Term plus any Further Term;			
Licensee	means You and/or the Permitted Users;			
Managed Server	means a hardware device that is hosted in a data centre by Us and provided to the Client for their use. We provid hardware support, rack space, power and network connectivity for such servers either directly or via an external hardwa support provider which may be the vendor or an accredited third party.			
Notice	means in accordance with clause 10.10;			
Payroll Services	means payroll services as set out in the applicable Statement of Work;			
Permitted Users	means the permitted entities of the Access Product which shall be You (excluding any Group Companies) or as set out in the Statement of Work;			
Personal Information	has the meaning given to it in the Privacy Act;			
Privacy Act	means the <i>Privacy Act 1988</i> (Cth);			
Privacy Laws	means the Privacy Act and all relevant State and Territory privacy legislation and health records legislation, and any ot applicable legislation, common law obligations and binding industry codes relating to privacy, by which a party is bound			
Services	means, as applicable, the Technical Support, Consulting Services, and Hardware Support to be provided by Us and as set out in Statements of Work;			
Software	means Access Software and Third-Party Software specified in an applicable Statement of Work but, for the avoidance of any doubt, not including SaaS;			
Specification	means (if any) each specification for the Access Product(s) as set out in the relevant Documentation and/or the Statemer of Work;			
Statement(s) of Work	means each statement of work specifying the Access Products to be supplied under this Agreement which incorporate these Terms and Conditions. For the avoidance of doubt, an order form signed by You will be a Statement of Work fo the purposes of this Agreement;			
Subscription	means the subscription purchased by You that authorises You to access and use the SaaS			
Subscription Term	mean the term for which access to the SaaS is granted, as set out in the Statement of Work			
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Subscription	means the subscription purchased by You that authorises You to access and use the SaaS			
Subscription Term	mean the term for which access to the SaaS is granted, as set out in the Statement of Work			
Support Fee	means either the fee for the Technical Support as set out in a relevant Statement of Work, or in the case of Access Succes Plans, the Access Success Plan Fee;			
Technical Support	means technical operating support in relation to the operation and/or use of the Access Product(s);			
Terms and Conditions	means these terms and conditions;			

Third Party Software	means software or SaaS that is owned by a party other than either You or Us which may be supplied under this Agreement as specified in a Statement of Work;	
Thresholds	means any thresholds for use of any Access Product set out in a Statement of Work;	
Variable Consumed Services	means services which are chargeable as consumed and offered in conjunction with Our Access Product(s) subject to an minimums payment as included in a Statement of Work	
Warranty Period	means the applicable warranty period for the Access Product(s) being 12 months from the start of the Initial Licence or SaaS provision, as the case may be, unless otherwise as set out in an applicable Statement of Work.	
We (Us, Our)	Our) means Access UK Limited or its subsidiary company as set out in the relevant Statement of Work.	

# SCHEDULE 1 CORE TERMS

# 1. TERM AND STATEMENT OF WORK

- 1.1. This Agreement is for the Initial Term and will continue for consecutive Further Terms unless terminated in accordance with clause 6.
- 1.2. This Agreement shall subsist for as long as at least one Statement of Work subsists. Termination of any one Statement of Work shall not affect any other Statement of Work (although if grounds to terminate apply to multiple Statements of Work, then each affected Statement of Work may be terminated simultaneously).
- 1.3. For the supply of further Access Products, the parties shall agree a new Statements of Work. Unless an express statement to the contrary is included in a new Statement of Work, all Statements of Work will be governed by the Terms and Conditions attaching to the Statement of Work which has most recently been entered into between the parties.
- 1.4. If there is any conflict or inconsistency between any provision of these Terms and Conditions and any Statement of Work, these Terms and Conditions shall prevail unless specifically stated in writing in a Statement of Work with reference to this clause.
- 1.5. Each Statement of Work will be effective on execution by authorised signatories from each party and the Effective Date shall be deemed to be the date on which You executed the Statement of Work or as such other date as set out on the Statement of Work.

#### 2. TIME AND MATERIALS

- 2.1. All Consulting Services to be carried out by Us will are on a time and materials basis or on the basis of a 'FlightPath' (as applicable)
- 2.2. Except as set out in this Agreement, all dates, timescales and Consulting Services are estimates only and the actual fees payable will be determined on a time and materials basis. Furthermore, due to projects often requiring a collaborative nature the parties agree that failure to meet a specified date will not be treated as a breach of contract by Us.

# 3. FEES AND PAYMENT

- 3.1. You agree to pay the Fees in accordance with the terms specified in each Statement of Work and without deduction or set off. To the extent permitted by law, the Fees are non-refundable.
- 3.2. All Fees and other charges are exclusive of any applicable taxes or duties which will be added at the appropriate rate.
- 3.3. We have the right to reasonably increase all Fees annually. For the avoidance of doubt, the Annual Licence Fees will not be reduced for the Licence Term.
- 3.4. We reserve the right to suspend the supply of and/or access to the Access Products to You where any undisputed amounts owed by You to Us are overdue and remain overdue 30 days after Us having provided you written notification (which may be by email) from Us of such default, until all such undisputed amounts have been paid in full (together with any accrued interest). Interest shall be payable on overdue amounts at a rate of 4% per annum above the base rate of HSBC Plc from time to time.
- 3.5. All Fees must be paid via the UK Direct Debit payment system and You agree to complete the Direct Debit mandate. You recognise and agree that by completing a Direct Debit Instruction We are authorised to debit the Fees from Your nominated account.

# 4. USE OF ACCESS PRODUCTS

- 4.1. You acknowledge that any Access Products are provided on an "as is" basis and have not been prepared to meet Your individual requirements. It is Your responsibility to ensure the Access Products meet Your requirements.
- 4.2. The right to use (whether by Licence or otherwise) Access Products is granted to You, as identified by Your Companies House registration number, or other unique identifier, where applicable, and the right to use will transfer with You should Your ownership change, provided that the Company registration number does not change.
- 4.3. The Access Products may be used by the Permitted Users.
- 4.4. You acknowledge that the use of Access Products may be restricted by Thresholds. In the event of the excess usage above a Threshold, We will invoice You for the excess usage from the time the excess usage commenced in accordance with the prevailing rates.
- 4.5. You shall ensure the security and confidentiality of all log-on identifiers, including usernames, passwords or any other credentials, assigned to, or created by, You or any Authorised User in order to access or use any Access Product (an **ID**). You acknowledge and agree that You will be solely responsible for all activities that occur under such ID. You shall promptly notify Us upon becoming aware of any unauthorised access to or use of any Access Product and provide all reasonable assistance to Us to bring an end to such unauthorised access or use. Your ID is for Your internal use only and You may not sell, transfer or sublicense any ID to any other entity or person, except that you may disclose ID to Authorised Users in accordance with this Agreement.
- 4.6. You shall designate one contact and one alternate as the responsible party for communication with Us during any term of this Agreement (Your System Administrator). You may amend Your System Administrator by notice to Us from time to time.
- 4.7. You shall ensure that each Authorised User shall, as a condition of being granted access to an Access Product, be required by Your System Administrator to acknowledge the obligations on You under this Agreement respecting authorised use (and restrictions on use) of and agree to comply with the same. You shall immediately notify Us if You become aware of any breach of the terms of this Agreement or our Acceptable Use Policy by any Authorised User.
- 4.8. You will ensure that all Authorised Users comply with Your obligations under this Agreement, including our Acceptable Use Policy, and that the terms of any agreement entered into between You and an Authorised User for the use of the SaaS are consistent with this Agreement. If you become aware of any violation of your obligations under this Agreement by an Authorised User, you will immediately terminate such Authorised User's access to the SaaS.

- 4.9. Except to the extent such actions cannot be prevented, You, any Authorised User and any Permitted User, shall not (nor permit any third party to) disassemble, decompile, modify, adapt, reverse engineer, merge or make error corrections to any Access Product, in whole or in part, or in any way expose the source code, instruction sequences, internal logic, protocols, or algorithms of any Access Product. Nothing in this clause shall prevent You from configuring interfaces and other elements in an Access Product which are intended by the parties to be configured by You.
- 4.10. You acknowledge that You have no right to have any Access Product in source code form or in unlocked coding of any kind. You agree that You must not attempt to (nor permit any third party, or agree to use any systems, process or software) intended to in any way remove or circumvent any security devices present within an Access Product.
- 4.11. You have no right to perform penetration testing on any Access Product without our prior written consent which will be subject to a specific penetration test access agreement.
- 4.12. Where Third Party Software is provided under this Agreement, We shall provide such software to You under the software licence terms provided by the third-party licensor of such software. Upon notification from Us which We may do from time to time, You undertake to comply with the terms of any End User Licence Agreement for Third Party Software in relation to Third Party Software.

#### 5. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS AND OWNERSHIP

- 5.1. You acknowledge that all Intellectual Property Rights (including any new Intellectual Property Rights) arising out of or in connection with the Access Products and associated Documentation, belong at all times to Us or Our licensors.
- 5.2. Nothing in this Agreement shall transfer any Intellectual Property Rights in or arising from Access Products or Documentation to You but that these shall remain vested in Us or Our licensors. No rights to use any such Intellectual Property are granted, except as expressly stated in these Terms and Conditions or the relevant Statement of Work. If, notwithstanding this, any Intellectual Property Rights in or arising from the Access Product and/or Documentation are acquired by You (including any new Intellectual Property Rights), You hereby assign (and to the extent that any such Intellectual Property Rights are not capable of such assignment, agree to hold on trust) and agree to do all such things and sign all such documents as We may reasonably require in respect of the assignment of all such Intellectual Property Rights to Us or Our licensors as may be appropriate.
- 5.3. Subject to clauses 5.6 and 5.7, We will indemnify You against all direct costs, claims, demands, expenses (including reasonable legal costs) and liabilities of whatever nature incurred by or awarded against You arising out of or in connection with any claim that Your use of the Access Product(s) any Documentation, information, data, computer facilities or material that We supply, infringes a third party's Intellectual Property (Infringement Claim).
- 5.4. We warrant that We are not aware that the Access Product(s) any Documentation, information, data, computer facilities or material that We supply, or Your use of the same in accordance with the terms of this Agreement will infringe any third party's Intellectual Property Rights but We have not carried out any investigation into the same. We shall indemnify You against all direct costs, claims, demands, expenses (including reasonable legal costs) and liabilities of whatever nature incurred by or awarded against You arising out of or in connection with any breach of the warranty contained in this clause.
- 5.5. If an Infringement Claim is alleged or threatened against either You or Us, or if We believe that the Access Product or the Documentation or any part thereof may infringe any third party's copyright or UK registered patent (effective at the date of this Agreement), We may, at Our sole option, (i) procure such licence, authorisation or consent as is necessary to enable Your continued use of the Access Product and/or the Documentation; (ii) modify or replace the same as necessary to avoid infringement without any material adverse effect to the functionality of the Access Product; or (iii) terminate this Agreement and/or the affected Statement of Work and refund an amount equal to the unused portion of any Annual Licence Fees pre-paid in respect of such Software (as the case may be) to You.
- 5.6. You shall permit Us to have access upon reasonable Notice during the Licence Term to inspect during Business Hours the premises and the Customer System at or on which the Software is being kept or used, and any records kept pursuant to the Licence, for the purposes of ensuring that You are complying with the terms of this Agreement. In carrying our such an inspection we will comply with any reasonable restrictions you require, and we will only request such an inspection where we believe we have reasonable cause to do so. In the event that You have unauthorised copies of the Software, without prejudice to any other rights or remedies that We may have, You shall pay an additional fee to Us in respect of any such unauthorised copies calculated by reference to the standard list price prevailing at the date of invoice in respect of such Software.
- 5.7. We shall only be liable under the terms of this Agreement for an Infringement Claim or alleged Infringement Claim if (i) You promptly notify Us of any infringement or alleged infringement of which You have notice; (ii) You make no admission as to liability or agree any settlement of such claim without Our prior written consent; (iii) You allow Us (or a relevant third party supplier), at Our expense, to conduct and/or settle all negotiations and litigation arising from any claim or action relating to the alleged infringement; and (iv) You, at Our expense, give Us (or a relevant third party supplier) such reasonable assistance as may berequested in such settlement or negotiation.
- 5.8. We shall have no liability for any Infringement Claim or alleged Infringement Claim to the extent such claim (i) arises from possession, use, development, modification, or operation of the Access Product or part thereof by You other than in accordance with the terms of this Agreement or the relevant Statement of Work; (ii) failure by You to take any reasonable corrective action directed by Us (including using an alternative, non-infringing version of the Access Products); or (iii) is based upon any item provided by You and incorporated into the Access Product(s) at Your request.

#### 6. TERMINATION AND SUSPENSION

6.1. If a party is in material breach of its obligations under this Agreement the other party must provide Notice to the other party providing the other party 30 days to remedy the material breach. If the material breach is not remedied the party may, without prejudice to its other rights and remedies and at its option, terminate the Agreement or any affected element of the Access Product by a further Notice to the other party.

- 6.2. If a party is in material breach of its obligations under a Statement of Work, the other party must provide Notice to the other party providing the other party 30 days to remedy the material breach. If the material breach is not remedied the party may, without prejudice to its other rights and remedies and at its option, terminate the Agreement or any affected element of the Access Product by a further Notice to the other party.
- 6.3. To the extent permitted by law, either party may terminate this Agreement with immediate effect on Notice if the other party is subject to an Event of Insolvency.
- 6.4. Either party may terminate a Statement of Work (and, if applicable, this Agreement) at the end of the Initial Term or Further Term (as applicable) by giving not less than 90 days' prior Notice to the other. If You are terminating the Agreement, Your notice must also be copied to renewals.team@theaccessgroup.com.
- 6.5. We may suspend and/or terminate the Technical Support immediately if You do not pay the Support Fees by the due dates.
- 6.6. The termination of this Agreement or any Statement of Work in whole or in part for whatever reason shall not affect any provision of this Agreement which is expressed, or by its nature, implied to continue, survive or come into force in the event of such termination.
- 6.7. Upon termination of this Agreement or any Statement of Work in whole or in part for any reason:
- 6.8. the parties shall (without prejudice to any other rights and remedies) promptly pay to each other all sums which are due or outstanding in respect of part of the Agreement or Statement of Work that has been terminated; and
- 6.9. You shall cease all access and use of the Access Product(s) and shall, at Our request, return or destroy as soon as reasonably practicable any copies of the Access Product(s) subject to such termination; and
- 6.10. unless necessary in order for Us to continue to perform Our obligations, We shall cease all access to the Customer Systems and shall promptly return all information, materials, documents and data in Our possession at the date of termination to You.

# 7. CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

- 7.1. Each party may be given access to Confidential Information from the other party either in pre-contractual discussions or in order to perform its obligations or receive delivery under this Agreement. Confidential Information will not be deemed to include information that:
  - 7.1.1. is or becomes publicly known other than through any act or omission of the receiving party;
  - 7.1.2. was in the other party's lawful possession before the disclosure;
  - 7.1.3. is lawfully disclosed to the receiving party by a third party without restriction on disclosure; or
  - 7.1.4. is independently developed by the receiving party, which independent development can be shown by written evidence;
- 7.2. Subject to clause 7.4 each party will hold the Confidential Information in confidence and not make the Confidential Information available to any third party or use the other's Confidential Information for any purpose other than as contemplated by this Agreement.
- 7.3. Each party may disclose the other party's Confidential Information to its employees, agents and sub-contractors only as reasonably required to perform its obligations under this Agreement and shall procure that any employees, agents or sub-contractors to whom such information is disclosed enter into written confidentiality obligations in respect of such Confidential Information that are at least as stringent as those in this clause 7.
- 7.4. A party may disclose Confidential Information to the extent such Confidential Information is required to be disclosed by law, by any governmental or other regulatory authority or by a court or other authority of competent jurisdiction, provided that, to the extent it is legally permitted to do so, it gives the other party as much notice of such disclosure as possible and, where notice of disclosure is not prohibited and is given in accordance with this clause, it takes into account the reasonable requests of the other party in relation to the content of such disclosure.
- 7.5. Neither party will be responsible for any loss, destruction, alteration or disclosure of Confidential Information caused by any third party;
- 7.6. The provisions of this clause 7 will continue notwithstanding the termination of any Statement of Work and/or these Terms and Conditions for any reason.

#### 8. DATA AND PRIVACY

- 8.1. We must comply with the Privacy Laws in respect of all Personal Information disclosed to it by the You.
- 8.2. You must comply with the Privacy Laws in respect of all Personal Information which is disclosed to Us, or collected by the You in relation to your use of the Access Products.
- 8.3. Where You disclose or input any Personal Information in connection with the Access Products, You warrant that You have the express written consent of the relevant individuals to disclose or input that Personal Information.
- 8.4. Any Personal Information We collect or hold in providing the Access Products will be handled in accordance with Our privacy policy. You agree that You consent to the collection, use and disclosure of Personal Information by Us in accordance with Our privacy policy.

#### 9. MANAGEMENT OF DATA BREACHES

- 9.1. In the event of a Data Breach, We will:
  - 9.1.1. promptly notify the You in writing;
  - 9.1.2. promptly take all reasonable steps to remediate the Data Breach and mitigate the risk of harm (if any) to any individuals affected by the Data Breach; and
  - 9.1.3. co-operate with You in investigating what has occurred and the circumstances of the Data Breach, including by providing all information reasonably requested by You for the purpose of determining the likelihood that the Data Breach will result in serious harm to any individual affected by the Data Breach.
- 9.2. If either the You or Us determine or has reasonable grounds to believe that a Data Breach is an Eligible Data Breach, the parties will work together to coordinate any notifications required under applicable Privacy Laws. You must not make any required notification unless You have first obtained Our prior written consent (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld).

9.3. Nothing in this clause 9 requires a party to take any action, or refrain from taking any action, that would result in that party breaching its obligations under any applicable Privacy Law.

#### **10. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY**

- 10.1. Except as set out in this Agreement, all warranties, conditions and other terms whether express or implied by statute or common law are, to the fullest extent permitted by law, excluded from this Agreement.
- 10.2. Subject to clause 8.4, the total liability of either party in contract, tort (including negligence or breach of statutory duty), misrepresentation, restitution or otherwise arising in connection with this Agreement or any Statement of Work shall be limited to an amount equal to the Fees paid or payable to Us in the preceding 12 month period under the relevant Statement of Work.
- 10.3. Subject to clause 8.4, neither party shall be liable for any misrepresentation (other than fraudulent misrepresentation), loss of profits, loss of business, goods or contract, depletion of goodwill or loss of use (in each case whether direct or indirect) nor for any indirect or consequential loss or damage suffered by the other in connection with this Agreement.
- 10.4. Nothing in this Agreement shall limit or exclude either party's liability for death or personal injury resulting from negligence; fraud; or any other liability which may not be properly limited or excluded under applicable law nor in respect of the indemnities given in clauses 5.3 or 5.4 nor (for the avoidance of doubt) Your obligation or liability to pay all and any of the Fees under this Agreement.

#### 11. DISPUTES

- 11.1. This clause 9 shall not apply to unpaid undisputed Fees which, for the avoidance of any doubt, shall deemed to be a material breach and shall be dealt with under clause 6.1 or 6.2 as applicable.
- 11.2. Where discussions take place between parties to explore and /or resolve dissatisfaction such discussions shall take place on a without prejudice basis save for where otherwise expressed to be made on an open basis.
- 11.3. In the event of any other dispute, or where the parties agree, any dispute over Fees, the parties agree the following Dispute Resolution procedure:
  - 11.3.1. If a dispute arises between You and Us in relation to any other matter the representatives for each Party in relation to the applicable Statement of Work shall, in the first instance attempt to agree a resolution for such dispute. If after 30 days (or such other time as agreed) such representatives are unable to resolve the dispute each of You and We shall arrange for a senior representative to attend one or more meeting solely in order to resolve the matter in dispute. Such meetings shall be conducted in such manner and at such venue (including a meeting conducted over the telephone) as to promote a consensual resolution of the dispute in question.
  - 11.3.2. If the senior representatives are unable to resolve the matter in question within 30 days (or such other time as agreed) then we will attempt to settle it by mediation in accordance with the Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution (CEDR) Model Mediation Procedure (or any other model mediation procedure as agreed). To initiate a mediation either Party may give Notice (a Mediation Notice) to the other requesting mediation of the dispute and shall send a copy thereof to CEDR or agreed equivalent mediation organisation asking them to nominate a mediator. The mediation shall commence within 28 days of the Mediation Notice being served. Neither Party will commence legal proceedings against the other until 30 days after such mediation of the dispute in question has failed to resolve the dispute. Each Party will co-operate with any person appointed as mediator providing him with such information and other assistance as he shall require and will pay his costs, as he shall determine or, in the absence of such determination, such costs will be shared equally.
  - 11.3.3. The Parties accept that in mediating prior to court proceedings commencing, the issues in dispute may not be fully articulated.
  - 11.3.4. If a Dispute is not resolved in accordance with the Dispute Procedure, then such Dispute can be submitted by either Party to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts.
  - 11.3.5. Nothing contained in this clause 11 shall restrict either Party's freedom to commence summary proceedings to procure or ensure performance of obligations and/or any required action to prevent further damages, preserve any legal right or remedy or to prevent the misuse of any of its Confidential Information.

#### 12. GENERAL

- 12.1. No variation of these Terms and Conditions shall be effective unless it is in writing and signed by the parties (or their authorised representatives). For the avoidance of doubt, an email exchange will not constitute effective variation.
- 12.2. Each provision of this Agreement shall be construed separately and notwithstanding that the whole or any part of any such provision may be held by any body of competent jurisdiction to be illegal invalid or unenforceable the other provisions of this Agreement and the remainder of the provision in question shall continue in full force and effect. Each of us hereby agree to attempt to substitute for any invalid or unenforceable provision a valid or enforceable provision which achieves to the greatest extent possible the economic legal and commercial objectives of the invalid or unenforceable provision.
- 12.3. We each confirm our intent not to confer any rights on any third parties by virtue of this Agreement and accordingly the application of the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 shall not apply to this Agreement or a Statement of Work.
- 12.4. The construction, validity, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of England and Wales and the parties submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts. As both parties benefit from the certainty of setting out all relevant rights and liabilities, this Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement and supersedes any prior agreements, whether written or oral, made between us, save that the foregoing shall not exclude any fraud or fraudulent concealment. In entering into this Agreement, You acknowledge and accept that You have not relied on any pre-contractual statement.
- 12.5. We may refer to You as a client and as a user of Access Products in Our marketing and public relations materials.
- 12.6. If due performance of this Agreement by either party is affected in whole or in part by any reason or any event, delay or failure beyond the reasonable control of such party, such party shall give prompt Notice to the other party and shall be under no liability for any loss, damage, injury, or expense of whatever kind, howsoever caused, suffered by the other party due to the affected performance. Such party shall use reasonable efforts to avoid or overcome the causes affecting performance as soon as it becomes practical to do so.
- 12.7. Neither Party shall assign, transfer, charge, hold on trust for another or deal in any other manner with any of its rights or obligations under

this Agreement, or purport to do so, or sub-contract any or all of its obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the other party, such consent not to be unreasonably delayed or withheld provided that We may transfer or assign this Agreement to any current subsidiary or parent company, or successor in interest in the event of a sale or merger, such transfer or assignment to be effective upon Notice to You.

- 12.8. Any failure to exercise or delay by either of us in exercising a right or remedy arising in connection with this Agreement shall not constitute a waiver of such right or remedy or of any other rights or remedies.
- 12.9. In performing its obligations under the agreement, both parties shall comply with all applicable laws, statutes, regulations.
- 12.10. Any Notice, claim or demand to be given by either party to the other in connection with this Agreement shall be sufficiently given served or made by (i) written communication; (ii) in English; (iii) provided by email or letter, where letter sent by pre-paid first class; (iv) expressed as a Notice under or with reference to these Terms and Conditions; (v) addressed to the attention of the appropriate person within that party. Nothing in the provision shall do away with the service provisions under the Civil ProcedureRules.

# SCHEDULE 2 PRODUCT SPECIFIC TERMS

# 1. SAAS

- 1.1. In consideration of and conditional upon the payment of the full payment of the SaaS Fee to Us (on the terms set out in the relevant Statement of Work) We grant You a non-exclusive, revocable, non-transferable right, without the right to grant sub-licences, to use the SaaS. Such right shall commence on the provision of the SaaS and shall continue for the Subscription Term.
- 1.2. We warrant that during the Warranty Period the SaaS, when used in accordance with the Documentation, will operate in all material respects in accordance with the Documentation and Specification (where applicable). We will obtain and at all times during the term of the Agreement maintain all necessary licences and consents and comply with all applicable laws and regulations relating to the SaaS. This warranty is further dependent on all Fees being paid up to date and You using current virus scanning software from time to time. This warranty does not cover minor errors that do not materially affect the functionality of the Software and, for the avoidance of doubt, We do not warrant that the operation of the SaaS will be uninterrupted or error free.
- 1.3. If agreed, We shall configure the SaaS (including any agreed incorporation of any Customer Materials and any agreed integration with Your systems). You will ensure that the Customer Materials are accurate, up-to-date, and complete AND COMPLIANT WITH ALL APPLICABLE laws, including Privacy Laws.
- 1.4. We reserve the right to add, delete, and amend features of the SaaS without notice. In relation to any APIs relating to the SaaS that we have changed or discontinued, we will use commercially reasonable efforts to continue supporting the previous version of any API so changed or discontinued, or for 12 months after the change or discontinuation (except if doing so (a) would pose a security or intellectual property issue, (b) is economically or technically burdensome, or (c) is needed to comply with the law or requests of governmental entities).
- 1.5. You understand that the SaaS may include security components that permit digital materials to be protected, and that use of these materials is subject to usage rules set by Us and/or content providers who provide content to the SaaS. You may not attempt to override or circumvent any of the usage rules embedded into the SaaS. Any unauthorised reproduction, publication, further distribution or public exhibition of Our Content, in whole or in part, is strictly prohibited.
- 1.6. You acknowledge and agree that We may derive or create anonymous data and information about the use of the SaaS by You and its Users (Use Data) and We may use and disclose Use Data to its third-party service providers in order to improve the SaaS.
- 1.7. You hereby grant to Us a non-exclusive, fully paid, world-wide and irrevocable license to use Customer Data as required to provide the SaaS, and to copy, anonymize, de-identify, aggregate, process, and display Customer Data, to derive anonymous statistical and usage data related to the Service (Anonymous Data) to compile, combine or incorporate such Anonymous Data with or into other similar data and information available, derived or obtained from other clients, customers, licensees or users of Ours, or otherwise (collectively, Anonymous Data and such compiled, combined or incorporated data and information shall be referred to as Aggregate Data). Your grant of licence to Us to copy, anonymize, aggregate, process, use, and display Customer Data and Use Data shall survive the expiry or termination for this Agreement.
- 1.8. While We do not currently do so, We reserve the right to use the Aggregate Data to provide additional services to Our customers, including the copying, publication, distribution, display, licensing or sale of Aggregate Data and related or similar other statistics or data to third parties pursuant to a separate licensing or services arrangement or agreement. We will be the owner of all right, title and interest in and to Anonymous Data and Aggregate Data.
- 1.9. We will supply the SaaS in accordance with the SaaS SLA.

#### 2. CAAS

- 2.1. In consideration of and conditional upon the payment of the full payment of the CaaS Fee to Us (on the terms set out in the relevant Statement of Work) We grant You a non-exclusive, revocable, non-transferable right, without the right to grant sub-licences, to use the CaaS. Such right shall commence on the provision of the CaaS and shall continue for the SubscriptionTerm.
- 2.2. We will supply the CaaS in accordance with the CaaS Content Maintenance Statement.

#### 3. SOFTWARE

- 3.1. In consideration of and conditional upon the payment of the Initial Licence Fee to Us, if applicable, and the continued payment of the Annual Licence Fee to Us (on the terms set out in the relevant Statement of Work), We grant the Licensee a non-exclusive, revocable, non-transferable Licence which shall commence on the date of this Agreement and shall continue for the Licence Term. The Software may not be used unless the Annual Licence Fee is paid in full.
- 3.2. You are permitted to make such copies of the Software as are reasonably required for the purposes of bona fide operational purposes, security and backup only and shall ensure that such copies are marked as proprietary to, copyright of, and licensed by, Us. No other copies may be made. You may not make any copies of the Documentation, manuals, or other documentation (including electronic documentation) other than for use by Permitted Users without Our written permission.
- 3.3. The Licensee can Use the Software to create and service up to five (5) databases (including any databases used exclusively for training, testing or disaster recovery). The Licence can be extended to service additional databases if You purchase additional Licence components from Us as agreed in a Statement of Work.
- 3.4. Unless explicitly stated otherwise in an applicable Statement of Work, the Licence covers the Use of the Software where the database(s) reside on a single SQL server instance only. Use of the Software is limited to the processing of Your/Licensee's own data. For the avoidance of any doubt, You are not permitted to provide services to third parties using the Software.
- 3.5. The Software will be deemed as accepted by You unless You notify Us otherwise within sixty (60) days of installation or supply of the initial

activation keys.

- 3.6. We shall provide You with upgrades relating to the Software for which you are validly licensed for free of charge and within a reasonable period of time following such upgrades becoming available. Services relating to the installation of such upgrades are normally subject to charge. Subject to payment of the relevant Support Fee, We shall provide Technical Support in respect of the version of the Software used by You from time to time in accordance with the terms set out of this Agreement.
- 3.7. We shall use reasonable endeavours in accordance with good industry practice to prevent the introduction of known computer viruses or other program code which is likely to damage the Software or the Customer System and will check each release of the Software with the same diligence as would be expected from an organisation similar to Us using up-to-date virus scanning software from time to time.
- 3.8. You shall use reasonable endeavours in accordance with good industry practice to prevent the introduction of any known computer viruses into the Customer System and will check each release of the Software with the same diligence as would be expected from an organisation similar to You using current virus scanning software from time to time.

### 4. SERVICES

#### CONSULTING SERVICES

- 4.1. We will perform the Consulting Services specified in the applicable Statement of Work.
- 4.2. In the event that You cancel or postpone the provision of any Consulting Service within five Business Days of the agreed start date then 100% of the Fees will be payable as a cancellation charge. If You cancel or postpone between six and nine Business Days of the agreed start date, then 50% of the Fees will be payable as a cancellation charge. Notwithstanding the foregoing, You shall reimburse us in full for all costs and expenses that We suffer or incur if You cancel or postpone any Services prior to the agreed start date.
- 4.3. This is a time and materials Agreement and where our obligations are extended by Your act or omission (which includes employees, agents, contractors or subcontractors (including the provision by any such person of any incorrect or inadequate data, information or instructions) which causes a delay or impediment to delivery which obliges us to spend additional time or incur additional expense in the performance of any of Our obligations under this Agreement then, notwithstanding anything else contained in this Agreement or Statement of Work, You will pay Us, at our current standard rates, for the additional time spent and reasonably incurred expenses in carrying out such obligations.
- 4.4. Unless expressly stated to the contrary, all Consulting Services detailed in a Statement of Work are estimates only and exclude actual travel and accommodation expenses which will be charged as incurred in line with our external expenses policy, a copy of which is available here: <a href="http://www.theaccessgroup.com/privacy-and-legal/">http://www.theaccessgroup.com/privacy-and-legal/</a>. These terms may be updated from time to time.

#### **TECHNICAL SUPPORT**

- 4.5. Technical Support shall be provided from the Effective Date and continue during the Licence Term. For customers with an Access Success Plan, Technical Support will be delivered based on the level of Access Success Plan purchased. Where an Access Success Plan is not expressly specified within a Statement of Work, You will receive an Essential Success Plan. We will provide support services and service levels as specified in the Access Success Plan datasheet in effect at the start of the Effective Date. We reserve the rights to amend the Services specified within the Access Success Plan, provided that any such changes would only come into effect at the beginning of each renewal.
- 4.6. The Access Success Plan datasheet is available at <u>https://theaccessgroup.com/success-support-brochure</u>.
- 4.7. Technical Support is available via Our online service, subject to You enabling the required connections (in each case We shall determine the most effective medium for efficient support);
- 4.8. If You use third party consultants not approved by Us to configure the Access Product(s), We will have the right to charge You for Our Consulting Services to fix any configuration issues caused by those third parties and/or terminate Technical Support.
- 4.9. Where You purchase additional licences, sites or modules or otherwise expand upon any existing Statement of Work, any additional purchase shall have the same level of Success Plan and associated Fees, applied to that purchase.
- 4.10. Our obligation to provide the Technical Support shall not extend to:
  - 4.10.1. rectification of lost or corrupted data arising by reason other than Our (or Our suppliers') negligence;
  - 4.10.2. any supported Access Product(s) which has been changed, altered, added to, modified or varied by anyoneother than Us;
  - 4.10.3. attendance to faults caused by Your failure to use the supported Access Product in accordance with the requirements of the Documentation and/or documentation or manuals supplied with the supported Access Product(s), or caused by operator error or omission;
  - 4.10.4. attendance to faults attributable to faults in the Customer System or its use or interaction with other software with which the Access Product(s) is not compatible or its use or interaction with Access Product or on equipment that We have not approved in writing.

# HOSTING INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES

- 4.11. We shall provide such Hosting Infrastructure Services requested by You which are agreed in a Statement of Work. If Your Hosting Infrastructure Services usage exceeds the number of Permitted Users, CPUs, storage or RAM (each as set out in the relevant Statement of Work), we will invoice You for the excess usage from the time the excess usage commenced in accordance with Our then current price book.
- 4.12. We shall ensure that Our provision of Our Hosting Infrastructure Services and You shall ensure that Your use of the Software Hosting Infrastructure Services complies in all respects with all applicable laws.

- 4.13. Our Hosting Infrastructure Services (as applicable) include:
  - 4.13.1. dedicated, high availability firewalls to protect the private cloud;
  - 4.13.2. managed backups within a multi-tenancy data vault with secure encrypted retention, disaster recovery is available;
  - 4.13.3. 24/7/365 automated monitoring, reporting and alerting; and
  - 4.13.4. 24/7/365 engineer availability.
- 4.14. All servers used to provide the Software Hosting Infrastructure Services are subject to Our current back-up and recovery procedures. Sufficient hardware is available to ensure continuity of service in event of total server failure with a target recovery time of 12 hours for any given server.
- 4.15. Service Level Targets: We will use all reasonable efforts to ensure that the Hosting Infrastructure Services are available for 99.70% of each calendar month. The Service will be deemed unavailable if it cannot be reached from a functioning Internet Connection. Any instances of unavailability shall have to be ratified by Our monitoring system.
- 4.16. The Hosting Infrastructure Services shall not be deemed unavailable (without limitation) in the event of any of the following:
  - 4.16.1. Periods of scheduled maintenance;
    - 4.16.2. Failure by You or End User connection to the Network (e.g. via the public internet or your own network, or any 3rd party telecommunications tail circuits);
    - 4.16.3. Malfunction of yours or End User's own computing systems;
    - 4.16.4. Initial setup period, that is from date of signing this Agreement until commencement of Hosting Infrastructure Services or installation of the CaaS;
  - 4.16.5. Any period of service suspension caused by Your failure to comply with provisions of this Agreement.
- 4.17. After termination of this Agreement or an applicable Statement of Work We will:
  - 4.17.1. maintain Your historic data for a mutually agreed time;
  - 4.17.2. assist and cooperate with You in a timely fashion to provide a data export in an acceptable format, however a reasonable charge may be applicable (as agreed in advance with You) if the data format is non-standard or time consuming; and
  - 4.17.3. assist You and/or Your nominated alternative provider in migrating the Customer Data at the relevant time in the format and on the media reasonably specified, however a reasonable charge may be applicable (as agreed in advance with You) if the data format is non-standard or time consuming.
- 4.18. If You have requested Hosting Infrastructure Services in a Statement of Work, the Service Level Provisions in 3.15 apply in addition to the following additional service level provisions:
  - 4.18.1. Recovery Point Objective RPO is the maximum time period in which data might be lost, for SQL Server this is 12 hours, for a Single Virtual Machine this is 12 hours, for a Complete Primary Datacentre Outage this is also 12 hours.
  - 4.18.2. Recovery Time Objective RTO is the duration of working time within which Service should be restored after a disaster. This time starts from when a support call is logged with Us, for SQL Server this is 6 hours, for a Single Virtual Machine is 6 hours, for a Complete Datacentre Outage it is 12 hours.
- 4.19. Service Level Credits For Hosting Infrastructure Services
  - 4.19.1. If We fail to achieve the Service Level Target for Hosting Infrastructure Services only, and if You request, We do so within twenty (30) Business Days after the target is not met, We will issue You service credits against future periods of service as detailed in the adjacent table.
  - 4.19.2. The MRC\* (monthly recurring charges) used to calculate the Service credits will be the total monthly recurring charges relating to the affected Service.
  - 4.19.3. Service credits issued shall not survive termination of the relevant Statement of Work and are not applicable against other Fees.
  - 4.19.4. Performance against Service Level Targets will be reviewed and agreed on a quarterly basis by Our account management.

Service	Service Level Target for Hosting Infrastructure Services	Incident	Service Credit
Managed Server	6 Hour Hardware Replacement **	Hardware not replaced within 6 hours **	1-day subscription per hour of downtime (after 6 hours)*
Cloud Hosting	99.70% Uptime	Cloud Instance 'unavailable' during calendar month	1-hour subscription per hour of downtime*
Co-location	99.70% Uptime	Service 'unavailable' during calendar month	1-hour subscription per hour of downtime*
We Network	100% Uptime	The Network 'unavailable' during calendar month	1-hour subscription per hour of downtime*
Telephone Support Response	Engineer working on the problem	Within 30 minutes of notification of logging a critical issue.	1-hour subscription per hour of delay*

\*Hour of downtime = hour or part thereof. MRC is the Monthly Recurring Charge for the Hosting Infrastructure Service, as detailed on the Order Form. 1-day subscription is calculated as the MRC divided by the number of days in the calendar month in which the incident occurs. The maximum Service Credit available in any calendar month is 100% of the MRC.

\*\* Some hardware supplied may be subject to an extended replacement time from the vendor. In such cases the amended Service Level Target for that hardware will be specifically

referenced in the Confirmation of Requirements. In such a case the Service Level Target in the Confirmation of Requirements will take precedence over the Service Level Target specified in the table above.

### SERVICES - GENERAL

- 4.20. We will perform all Services in accordance with good industry practices and will use appropriately skilled and qualified personnel.
- 4.21. You agree that We will be relying upon the accuracy of all representations, statements, information, materials and documents (**Data**) supplied by You in connection with the Services and that We shall be under no obligation to test, check or confirm the accuracy of any Data prior to performing the Services unless set out in the Statement of Work. We accept no responsibility or liability whatsoever for or resulting from any Data prepared and/or supplied by You or a third party on Your behalf.
- 4.22. You shall:
  - 4.22.1. provide, where applicable, reasonable access to the areas in which the Services are to be performed at the Service Location, including authorised access to the Customer Systems or systems licensed to You to enable Our staff and associates to perform the Services and so that We can ensure that You are complying with the terms of this Agreement;
  - 4.22.2. provide, free of charge, appropriately qualified and experienced personnel familiar with the Customer Systems, equipment, programmes and operations who shall reasonably co-operate with Our personnel to allow Us to fulfil Our obligations under this Agreement and each Statement of Work if We request this from You;
  - 4.22.3. make available, free of charge, such documentation, information, data and computer facilities (including but not limited to data preparation facilities, storage and computer consumables) as We may reasonably require in the fulfilment of Our obligations under this Agreement and each Statement of Work;
  - 4.22.4. appoint a representative with responsibility for all matters relating to this Agreement and each Statement of Work; this representative will be identified in the Statement of Work;
  - 4.22.5. ensure that the Customer Systems comply with the agreed specification as set out in the relevant Statement of Work;
  - 4.22.6. remain responsible for all actions and inactions of any third-party provider directly in Your control or with whom You have a contractual relationship and with whom We will be or are reliant upon to fulfil Our obligations under this Agreement or a relevant Statement of Work;
- 4.23. Our ability to deliver the Services depends on Your full and timely cooperation and collaboration, as well as the accuracy and completeness of any information that You provide. You accept that the nature of implementation may require disruption to Your staff and business processes in order to accommodate the implementation.
- 4.24. We will remain responsible for all actions and inactions of any third-party provider directly in Our control or with whom We have a contractual relationship.

# 5. APS (ACCESS PAYROLL SERVICES)

5.1. Where We provide Payroll Services to You, we will use reasonable endeavours to comply with the relevant service levels set out at <a href="https://www.theaccessgroup.com/media/15609/combined-sla.pdf">https://www.theaccessgroup.com/media/15609/combined-sla.pdf</a>. While these service levels may be subject to change from time to time, any material changes will be notified to You.