



# Code of Conduct

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## Foreword from the CEO



Mark Weil  
CEO

At TMF Group we pride ourselves on our commitment to the highest standards of conduct in everything we do and wherever in the world we do it. Our values are typical of those set by many professional service firms. What will set us apart is how far we choose to live them in the way that we behave every day to each other and to our clients.

I know that my behaviour and that of my leadership team sets the tone at TMF Group and that we carry a particular duty to live up to our values. That becomes most visible in times of crisis or when there is a trade-off between financial gain and our commitment to our values. You have my commitment that I will choose our values every time so that we build a company with a strong ethical foundation and of which we can be proud.

Our Code of Conduct embodies our values and demands a commitment to integrity in everything we do. Please take the time to familiarise yourself with it.

I want to thank each of you for the great work you do every day and for putting our values at the heart of TMF Group.

Mark Weil  
CEO



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# Code of Conduct Summary

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## Content

The Code of Conduct is our most important guide. It is by living to the principles stated here that we maintain the highest ethical standards in every aspect of our business.



## Diversity & Inclusion

TMF Group is committed to fostering diversity and providing an inclusive and positive workplace where all employees can thrive and feel that they belong.



## Bribery and Corruption

TMF Group does not tolerate bribery and corruption in any form. Please read this section also to understand the boundaries of accepting gifts.



## Our Values

We are guided and live by our values in all that we do. In this Code of Conduct you will be able to link them to the most important provisions of TMF Group.



## We care for our clients

We aim to give the best of ourselves in everything we do. We partner with our clients to understand their needs, make it easy for them to work with us, and respond quickly and effectively to their requests.



## We work as a team

We work with clients operating in multiple countries, working as a team to make client service and control seamless. Our job is to join the dots across different services and countries.



## We create insight

We seek to do more than just complete required tasks. We use our data, market insight and local expertise to keep on top of changing rules and regulations and to get ahead of the opportunities and threats to our clients.



## We act with integrity

We recognise the trust that our clients place in us. We act with integrity in that position of trust. We make sure that we control the risks we manage on our clients' behalf.



## We invest in talent

We are a people business. We seek to hire and develop diverse, talented people and to give them great careers. We invest in their technical, management and leadership skills to build high quality, highly motivated teams.





# Introduction



TMF Group and all its employees are bound to abide by this Code of Conduct. All employees must familiarise themselves with it. As far as the nature of each relationship permits, all principles and rules set out in this Code of Conduct shall apply to the relations TMF Group has with subcontractors, agents, consultants, contractors, interns and trainees.

Our culture and its underpinning values are at the core of everything we do; who we are, how we behave and how we relate to the outside world. They are establishing our identity and our brand:

- > We care for our clients
- > We work as a team
- > We create insight
- > We act with integrity
- > We invest in talent

As our commitment to and underpinning these values, this Code of Conduct sets out the most important principles and rules TMF Group (TMF Group B.V. and all its subsidiaries or entities directly or indirectly controlled by TMF Group B.V.) and its directors, officers, and employees (together the 'employees') are expected to adhere to and the behaviour that TMF Group expects its employees to adopt.

This Code of Conduct is intended to serve as a basis of ethical and responsible behaviour. It cannot address every situation and it is not a substitute for common sense and good judgment, taking into account the best interest of TMF Group. More stringent local laws may additionally apply and of course need to be adhered to.

Further detailed directives may be contained in current and future organisational policies, available on [TMF Group Policy Library](#) page.

This Code of Conduct is not static. Our operating environment, applicable laws and managerial best practices may change. This may lead to changes or additions to the Code of Conduct. These will be communicated in a timely and appropriate manner.

## Compliance with Code of Conduct and Incident Reporting

TMF Group and all its employees are bound to follow the standards as set out in this Code of Conduct. Agreement to comply with this Code of Conduct is a condition of employment within TMF Group. All employees must familiarise themselves with the content and are expected to sign an acknowledgement in our Learning Management System (LMS) to confirm that they have read,

understood, and will abide by this Code of Conduct. Designated e-learning should be also completed on LMS to support understanding of the Code.

Compliance with the Code of Conduct is the exclusive responsibility of every employee. Employees, once informed of the Code of Conduct, may not plead ignorance or obedience to higher ranking officials.

In case of a violation of Code of Conduct, this may lead to disciplinary sanctions or, in accordance with the seriousness of the violation and applicable laws, to dismissal and legal action being initiated even after dismissal. Certain violations can also lead to severe penalties under applicable law or even imprisonment.

In order to ensure that all risks (including reputational risks) are identified early on and, wherever possible pre-empted, any situations which are or may be in any way harmful to TMF Group are considered as compliance incidents. We expect employees to make any incident and all pertinent facts known to local management immediately. Local management immediately reports all relevant information regarding incidents to the Global Head Group Risk & Compliance. If an employee feels they are unable to go via their normal management escalation route, or the matter at hand relates to a serious violation of policies (i.e. adding up to an ethical concern) the employee should report it through the [Speak up channel](#) under [TMF Group Whistle-blower Policy](#).

Examples of incidents may be an unusual or unlawful transaction, a serious breach or violation of group or local policies/procedures, including this Code of Conduct, and breaches of laws or regulations, an unusual enquiry or investigation by authorities/supervisory bodies, an identification of a banned individual on a terrorist scan list, knowledge of the intention to trade or transact with a party in a country under embargo, knowledge or justifiable suspicion of tax evasion or its criminal facilitation, etc. Security or data protection incidents should be dealt with according to the relevant Data Privacy and Information Security policies and procedures.

TMF Group monitors compliance with this Code of Conduct and internal practice reviews, audits and electronic monitoring may be conducted from time to time in this respect.

Waiver of any provision of this Code of Conduct must be approved by the Group Chief Human Resources Officer.

When in doubt regarding any business conduct within TMF Group, do not hesitate to seek advice from Group Legal or Group Risk & Compliance.

## Compliance with Policies, Directives, Guidelines and Handbooks

### **Employees must comply with all TMF Group policies, directives, guidelines and handbooks**

Employees are expected to comply with all current and future policies, directives, guidelines, handbooks and other internal regulations distributed by TMF Group. TMF Group will make all such policies, directives, guidelines, handbooks and other internal regulations available to employees either directly through local management or by publication on company sources such as TMF Group's intranet and [Group Policy Library](#) page.



# WE CARE FOR OUR CLIENTS

We aim to give the best of ourselves in everything we do. We partner with our clients to understand their needs, make it easy for them to work with us, and respond quickly and effectively to their requests.

## 1.1 Confidentiality

**Information should be protected from undue disclosure and may only be accessed by authorised employees**

All employees must observe the strictest confidentiality concerning all confidential information whether relating to TMF Group itself or to client relationships, which come to their attention during the course of their activities performed for TMF Group. TMF Group recognises various levels of confidentiality, including Public, Internal, Confidential and Restricted. These classifications are further described and defined in [TMF Group's Data Classification Policy](#).

Such confidential information includes all non-public information that is or may be harmful to TMF Group or its clients if disclosed, including business information that might benefit a competitor.

Similarly, TMF employees, especially those in management positions, should refrain from participating in surveys, research or questionnaires from companies or industry benchmarking where they might disclose insights or confidential information from our strategy. When in doubt on whether information is confidential, employees should consider information Restricted for internal information purposes and Confidential for client information purposes.

Even the mere fact that a client relationship with TMF Group exists should in principle be confidential, unless already public information or disclosure is permitted by the client.

Clean desks and clean screens are an important element in maintaining confidentiality. Employees must ensure that all confidential information is locked away when not in use. Computer access must be blocked when left unattended by shutting down or locking the computer.

Information must solely be used for the purpose of exercising the employee's responsibilities on behalf of TMF Group. When dealing with classified information, any specific rules that apply must be observed at all times. Information classified as Confidential or Restricted may only be passed on to other employees or taken off TMF Group premises with written permission of the information owner or managing director.

Furthermore, any special regulations governing the safekeeping, storage and destruction of documents and data must be observed.

The obligation to safeguard confidential information continues after termination of employment with TMF Group. When employees leave the service of TMF Group they must surrender all information



which came into their possession in the course of the employment relationship, and which are either the property of TMF Group or its clients.

## 1.2 Protection of and access to information

### **Employees shall adhere to all measures taken by TMF Group to protect its information**

Employees are given personal access credentials. Personal access credentials include at least a user-ID and password and may include additional credentials such as an access badge, token and smartcards. These credentials may not be shared with others, including colleagues, friends and family. Employees are assigned access rights based on requirements associated with their roles in the organisation. When an employment relationship with TMF Group is ending, employees are required to return their additional credentials, before or at their last working day.

All non-personal information must be accessible by a superior and anyone requiring access to the information in line with their job responsibilities. Employees are strongly encouraged to set a proxy access to their email box for their backup and their direct superior. When an employment relationship with TMF Group is ending, line managers are responsible for ensuring that as part of the handover of the employees' client responsibilities, email inbox delegation is arranged to allow a different team member to access historical emails as required for client servicing purposes. Employees leaving are in turn, responsible for ensuring that any personal information they consider to be of private and confidential nature is deleted from their email folders.

Automatic forwarding of business emails to a non-business email address is not allowed. Manual forwarding of emails to the employee's non-business email address is only allowed if approved by local management. Access to email on remote or mobile devices is only permitted if the device on which the email is to be received is configured by TMF Group IT in accordance with the security policies.

Internet may only be accessed through TMF Group approved secure configurations when accessing via TMF Group's network or on TMF Group IT assets. Employees are not permitted to circumvent these secure configurations, even if technically feasible.

All further standards applied by TMF Group in securing information assets are defined into [TMF Group's Information and Security Policy](#) and the supporting procedures, standards and guidance documents. Compliance with the Information Security Policy is mandatory for all employees and contractors of TMF Group.

## 1.3 Data privacy and protection

### **We respect privacy of our clients, employees and business partners and protect their personal identifiable information from abuse. Employees should adhere to all applicable data protection laws and TMF Group data protection policies**

Data protection laws serve to safeguard information on individuals. TMF Group and its employees are obliged to respect these laws.

In addition, all employees must follow TMF Group's policies on data protection. We adhere to the [Binding Corporate Rules \(BCRs\) for Controllers](#) and [Processors](#) in relation to International Data Transfers, and the Personal Data Protection Policy for processing of our client's data and the Privacy Policy.



All employees should ensure any personal data is safely stored and only used as allowed by applicable law. Please refer to the [Data Protection Library](#) for more details and the most up to date documents in this context.

## 1.4 Use and abuse of signatory power

### **Employees must adhere to the ‘four-eyes’ principle for processes that require dual control**

TMF Group maintains a strict ‘four-eyes’ principle (also known as the ‘two men’ rule). This means that any process that requires dual control or any material communication in writing must always be approved by two persons. Any material communication that has not been processed in accordance with this principle will be considered an abuse of signatory power.

All employees must adhere to specific local processes and procedures in place which safeguard this principle and any other internal and quality control. Employees may be allotted specific signatory power for TMF Group and client related matters. When using the signatory power, they should at all times respect any signing restrictions or external or internal advice or approvals required.

## 1.5 Complaints

### **Complaints should be taken seriously and reported to local management**

Client complaints must always be taken seriously and dealt with immediately. They represent an opportunity to strengthen client relations and to remove the sources of client dissatisfaction. Complaints must be dealt with efficiently and in a friendly and accommodating manner.

Employees are required to report all complaints received from clients to local management immediately and handle in accordance with the [Complaints Handling Procedure](#). Local management should take such appropriate action as they deem necessary to avoid similar complaints in the future. Local management reports any standing complaints in their monthly reporting to the Executive Committee. Local TMF Group offices may be subject to more stringent local laws or complaint policies in place, adherence to which is of course required.



## WE WORK AS A TEAM

We work with clients operating in multiple countries, working as a team to make client service and control seamless. Our job is to join the dots across different services and countries.

### 1.6 Equal opportunity, diversity and inclusion

**TMF Group is committed to fostering diversity in our workforce and providing an inclusive and positive workplace where all employees can thrive and feel that they belong**

- > TMF Group is proud of our diverse workforce, with over 115 nationalities represented among our employees, bringing a wealth of perspectives with them.
- > TMF Group is committed to a standard whereby we promote equality of opportunity, provide an inclusive and positive workplace and eliminate any unfair or unlawful discrimination on the grounds of colour, race, physical features, nationality, ethnic or national origin, gender identity/expression, sexual preference/orientation, religion or belief, age, family or marital status, neurodiversity and/or physical disability.
- > TMF Group promotes a culture of development based on competency and potential and is committed to ensuring that learning and promotion opportunities are given to employees in line with the equal opportunity principles.
- > TMF Group has appointed a Diversity & Inclusion (D&I) Lead in each of our Markets, responsible for the creation and implementation of local D&I action plans. We encourage all our employees to get involved by defining topics and activities that matters to you locally and personally, and by participating in events and conversations in our offices and on our internal communications platform.
- > More details on how TMF fosters a D&I culture of awareness, facilitates the careers of woman and develops inclusive solutions to accommodate recruitment from a wider talent pool can be found in the [Human Resources Policy](#).

### 1.7 Working environment within TMF Group

**Employees must treat each other fairly and with respect**

TMF Group work environment should be experienced as professional, safe and equal, based on mutual respect. This means that:



- > employees must conduct themselves towards others with fairness, respect, honesty, integrity and professionalism,
- > unlawful discrimination is forbidden,
- > any ethnic, racial, religious, sexual or other type of harassment or abuse is not tolerated and will be sanctioned,
- > equal opportunity is provided for all existing and (future) employees, regarding recruiting, hiring, promoting, and training, and
- > personnel records and files are always treated with respect and confidentiality. Employee information will only be collected, used and disclosed on a need-to-know basis in accordance with applicable laws and regulations, [TMF Group's Privacy Policy](#) and [TMF Group's Controller Binding Corporate Rules \(BCRs\) for International Data Transfers](#).

## 1.8 Sexual harassment and hate speech

**TMF Group has a zero-tolerance policy in respect of:**

- <b>sexual harassment</b>	- <b>hate speech</b>
TMF Group is committed to providing a work and business environment that is free of sexual harassment. All unwelcome conduct of a sexual nature, be it verbal or non-verbal, which makes a person feel offended, humiliated, intimidated and/or unsafe is prohibited.	TMF Group is committed to providing a work and business environment that is free of expressions of racism and xenophobia. All conduct inciting to hatred or violence directed against a group of persons or a member of such a group defined by reference to race, colour, religion, descent or national or ethnic origin is prohibited.

TMF Group employees must comply with these principles in all aspects of their working life, also when representing the company on social media.

All complaints of sexual harassment or hate speech will be taken seriously and treated with respect and in confidence. No one will be victimised for making such a complaint.

Where the employee deems it impossible to report the complaint to the line manager, manager's manager or Human Resources, the employee should make use of the Speak Up channels in accordance with [TMF Group's Whistle-blower Policy](#).



## WE CREATE INSIGHT

Our purpose is to make a complex world simple. We believe in the power of global trade to create peace and prosperity. We are proud of our role in helping clients to drive investment, employment and economic growth. We do this by reducing the complexity for our clients of doing business across the globe.

### 1.9 Corporate Social Responsibility

#### **Using our position as experts on good governance to support social entrepreneurs**

At TMF Group we recognise our privileged position in this world and are committed to giving back to the communities around us.

By providing a simplified view of the complexities organisations are facing and helping companies navigate through this complexity, TMF Group facilitates investments and trade across the world, thereby enabling growth and prosperity in the countries in which we operate.

Our Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities, guided by the global CSR Committee, centres on three pillars;

- Enabling Social Enterprise, through our global CSR programme Beyond Boundaries in partnership with Bridge for Billions, where TMF employees mentors social entrepreneurs looking to incubate their businesses;
- Supporting our Global Communities, through our CSR Market Ambassador Network delivering locally run activities supporting a range of causes impacting communities where we are located; and
- Supporting our Colleagues, through the TMF Foundation, providing emergency relief for TMF Group employees and their families in times of need.

For more information, please refer to [TMF Group website / Our impact](#) and [TMF Group intranet / CSR](#).

### 1.10 Relations with the community

**Employees are welcome to be active in their communities, but certain activities require prior approval**



TMF Group supports employees to be active in their communities. Employees are free to participate in TMF Group's CSR Programme and/or to do private volunteering for charities, NGO's or social enterprises.

However, for accepting a formal appointment as an officer of a company or their legal entity (for example as a member of the board of directors, board of trustee, external auditors, etc.), the employee must obtain a written approval from the Management Board of TMF Group. If given, the approval is subject to the condition that the employee will not have to devote any significant time to exercising the appointment during normal business hours.

The above does not apply if an employee is accepting the appointment as an officer if so, required by TMF Group to provide company secretarial or management services to its clients or if requesting approval is in conflict with any local laws in respect of the right of free association.

Secondary occupations held by employees require prior written approval by TMF Group. Under no circumstances is an employee permitted to undertake professional duties for a competitor.

## 1.11 Relations with the environment

**TMF Group is committed to minimising the negative impact our business has on the environment. Everyone can contribute; together we can make a difference.**

At TMF Group we believe that environmentally sustainable practices should be embedded into our operations. We acknowledge that our purchase decisions directly affect the environmental impact of TMF Group, as do the behaviours and daily choices of each employee. We aim to be compliant with applicable environmental legislations and regulations in every country we operate.

On a local level, management teams are expected to consider the environmental impact of our operations and look for ways to reduce this. Our Environmental Guideline sets out good practices for sustainable office management and sustainable behaviours that can be adopted by employees regardless of whether they are working remotely or in a TMF Group office. The Guideline can be used as a starting point for our offices to introduce their own local environmental actions. We focus on:

- > Sustainable real estate and supply chain engagement.
- > Sustainable office management practices; seeking reductions in energy consumption and waste; promoting water conservation; reducing the amount of paper used; and recycling.
- > Reduction of travel related emissions, both from business travel and home to work commuting.
- > Fostering a culture of sustainable behaviour through employee education and engagement, all in accordance with our values.

Employees are expected to adhere to any environmental guidelines related to the work environment in our offices presented by local management teams. Furthermore, employees are encouraged to suggest alternatives to reduce the ecological footprint of TMF Group and to suggest opportunities for other green initiatives.

## 1.12 Political contributions

**Political contributions on behalf of TMF Group are prohibited**

Political contributions from TMF Group funds are prohibited, regardless of whether or not they may be



legal under certain circumstances.

Employees are not allowed to support any political party on behalf of TMF Group.

Any employee who has political ambitions and pursues a campaign to be elected to public office requires the prior written consent of the Executive Committee of TMF Group. In the event the elections are successfully concluded the employee will in principle be expected to resign as an employee.

## 1.13 Fair competition

### **Employees must adhere to all relevant anti-trust laws and protect free enterprise and fair competition**

Anti-trust laws protect free enterprise and fair competition. Supporting these principles is important for TMF Group. Employees are expected to play their part in this respect. TMF Group does not tolerate price-fixing, market sharing, bid-rigging, anti-competitive or monopoly practices. Employees should be vigilant not to enter into any kind of inappropriate conversation or agreements with competitors.

Employees that are part of industry meetings or other events, should leave if competitively sensitive issues arise and report this to the Global Head Group Risk & Compliance.

## 1.14 Communications

### **Employee communications are a reflection on TMF Group. Communication should be appropriate and accurate and, in some cases, needs prior approval**

Employees should always be aware that any statements made, whether in a formal or informal setting may have an impact on TMF Group and/or its clients and may create an incorrect perception harmful to our image. Employees should consider whether the statements made are necessary, appropriate and accurate.

TMF Group is not a political organisation, therefore, when representing our company, employees must refrain from expressing a political opinion.

All communications with the media and the broader public need prior approval of Group Marketing and Communications. This includes publications from employees in magazines, papers, etc.

Communication with local supervisory authorities and professional organisations is the responsibility of local management in consultation with Risk & Compliance Directors, Market Heads of Legal, or the Management Board of TMF Group. Any enquiries from such bodies should be notified immediately to the Risk & Compliance Directors and Market Heads of Legal.

Where business use of social media has been authorised, access to and use of these sites are limited to approved business use only, and must comply with any applicable guidelines, terms and conditions and policies governing the site including, in the case of an external site, any terms and conditions by the site owner or sponsor. TMF Group recognises that employees use social media (e.g., blogs, wikis, Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn) for personal use, therefore, any political expression therein is an expression of the employee's own beliefs. Use of such tools must be in compliance with applicable law, rules and regulations as well as TMF Group's policies, especially [Information Handling Policy](#) and [Social Media Policy](#).



## 1.15 Procurement

Procurement activities in TMF aims to ensure the best combination of cost, quality and sustainability for all goods/services procured is achieved, while respecting the principles of fair competition, fair-dealing, transparency and effectiveness and ensuring appropriate control over spent. TMF Group is committed to use suppliers which comply with the international and local standards for human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption. All key suppliers are abided by the [TMF Group Procurement Policy](#) and [TMF Group Supplier Code of Conduct](#) which defines standards on corporate and social responsibility, compliance, governance and environmental impact.



## WE ACT WITH INTEGRITY

We recognise the trust that our clients place in us. We act with integrity in that position of trust. We make sure that we control the risks we manage on our clients' behalf.

### 1.16 Managing our risks

**Risk management is a core component of TMF Group's wider governance and compliance regime, which provides the overarching structure to the achievement of our strategic objectives.**

Risks are identified, monitored and an appropriate governance is in place to ensure controls and mitigating actions are implemented and followed up. The reporting and escalation of risk information should be timely and accurate and cover all key risks to support management decision making at relevant levels of TMF Group.

### 1.17 Compliance with the law

**Employees must comply with applicable laws**

Every TMF Group company and its employees should comply in good faith with all applicable laws and external regulations, in every jurisdiction where TMF Group engages in any activity.

All employees have a duty to familiarise themselves with any applicable laws and external regulations that apply to their country and/or business. Due to the global nature of the business of TMF Group, inappropriate conduct in one country can have an effect and potentially lead to issues in other countries too. If employees feel that this might be the case, they can contact their local/market management or Group Risk & Compliance for guidance.

### 1.18 Financial integrity, accurate records and reporting

**All employees are responsible, in their respective functions, for financial integrity and accurate records and reporting**

Every TMF Group company and its employees should ensure to act with financial integrity in all circumstances, for example, when dealing with debts, taxes, expenses, etc.



Every TMF Group company and its employees should comply in good faith with all local and international accounting principles that apply to their business. These principles need to be taken into account when preparing financial statements whether for TMF Group itself or when providing financial administrative services to our clients. This requires full, fair, accurate, timely and understandable disclosure.

This also applies to any bookkeeping/accounting services provided to our clients.

All the books and records of companies within TMF Group should reflect transactions in conformity with all applicable local and international accounting principles. Misrepresentation, false statements, forgery, backdating or other deliberate acts resulting in inaccurate records or financials are not permitted and will not be tolerated.

## 1.19 Preventing the criminal facilitation of tax evasion

### **TMF Group will not tolerate tax evasion or its criminal facilitation**

Regardless of the jurisdiction in which they are operating, TMF Group's employees must conduct themselves at all times in a manner that complies with the letter and spirit of all applicable laws relating to tax evasion and its criminal facilitation. Violation of such laws can result in severe penalties for both the violating employee and TMF Group itself.

For further guidance on tax evasion, its criminal facilitation or TMF Group's policies and procedures in relation to the same, please refer to [TMF Group's Prevention of the Criminal Facilitation of Tax Evasion Compliance Policy](#) or contact, Market or Regional/Group Legal or Market/Regional Directors Group Risk & Compliance.

## 1.20 Insider trading

### **Insider trading and information tipping are strictly forbidden**

Insider information is defined as:

- > information regarding any publicly traded company obtained by employees in the course of their duties for TMF Group where,
- > such information may be considered to have material value to any 'sensible' investor in the decision to carry out securities transactions, and
- > such information is not (yet) available to the general public.

TMF Group expressly prohibits any form of exploitation of insider information.

More specifically, the employee should in any event avoid:

- > buying, selling or otherwise trading shares or other securities while being in possession of insider information,

- > disclosing insider information about a company to any other person, including family members, friends or colleagues, where that information may be used by the other person to trade in the company's securities,
- > recommending or suggesting that anyone else buys, sells, retains or otherwise trades in shares or other securities of any company while having insider information about the company, and/or
- > providing access to insider information when it does not meet the strict need-to-know requirement.

In order to prevent any perception of possible insider trading from arising, an employee should avoid investing, shareholding or partnering in the business of a client which the employee is in anyway involved with or has knowledge about through the employee's position within TMF Group, unless through a fiduciary account arrangement. The employee shall also refrain from giving any specific instructions or otherwise influencing any decision to be taken under this fiduciary account arrangement.

At first request of TMF Group, an employee shall provide TMF Group with all relevant information with regard to the employee's investments, when they may present a conflict of interest (where the employee may be deemed an insider under Market Abuse or equivalent regulations) or involve a TMF Group client, in order for TMF Group to monitor compliance with the obligations as set out above.

Note that employees of TMF Group in certain roles can be considered an insider in relation to information of a client and additional rules may apply in such situation (for example, additional rules of the client).

## 1.21 Bribery and corruption

### TMF Group will not tolerate bribery and corruption

#### 1.21.1 Giving bribes

TMF Group will not tolerate any form of offering, promising or giving of any financial or other advantage:

- > to another person or company, wherever they are situated and whether they are a public official or body or private person or company,
- > by any employee, agent or other person or body acting on TMF Group's behalf,
- > in order to induce or reward the other person or body for improperly performing a relevant function or activity.

#### 1.21.2 Receiving bribes

TMF Group will not tolerate any form of requesting, agreeing to or accepting of any financial or other advantage:

- > from another person or company, wherever they are located and whether they are a public official or body or private person or company,

- > by any employee, agent or other person or body acting on TMF Group's behalf,
- > in order to be induced or rewarded for improperly performing a relevant function, role or activity which is part of that person's function, role or activity at TMF Group.

### 1.21.3 Bribery of public officials

In addition to the above, TMF Group specifically will not tolerate direct or indirect bribery of public officials or bodies:

- > by any employee, agent or other person or body acting on TMF Group's behalf,
- > in order to gain influence for the purpose of obtaining or retaining business, or any other advantage in business for TMF Group and/or its clients.

This includes but is not limited to offering money to public officials in order to speed up service or gain improper advantage (facilitation payments or grease payments), regardless of whether such payments are considered ordinary practice and are not prohibited in some countries. If in doubt, contact Market Heads of Legal and/or Operational Risk & Compliance Market Heads, or Group Risk & Compliance.

### 1.21.4 Entertainment and gifts

Gifts and entertainment should never influence an employee's business decision or cause others to perceive an influence.

Offering and receiving gifts can be lawful and considered legitimate to strengthen client relationships. However, within TMF Group, employees are not allowed to provide or receive gifts or corporate hospitality, internally or externally:



- in the form of cash or cash equivalents,
- which would embarrass TMF Group or result in material adverse action against TMF Group when disclosed, or
- in the case of gifts, with a value over €150 (or the equivalent in any other currency, when not excessive) or if a total value of smaller gifts received from/given to the same person in a six-month period exceeds €150 (or the equivalent in any other currency, when not excessive), unless with prior approval of the Global Head Group Risk & Compliance (via the 'Ask a question' section in the Speak Up Channel page).

The exchange of normal and bona fide social amenities such as business lunches, dinners, infrequent social, sport or entertainment events, when reasonably related to a clear business purpose and within the bounds of good taste and what is customary, does not require prior approval, provided that the host is present and the costs do not exceed €500 (or the equivalent in any other currency, when not excessive) per person.

Employees are prohibited from permitting themselves to be named as a client's heir or as beneficiary of the client's insurance policies or trusts.

Employees are prohibited to accept a loan or remuneration in any form (including commissions, refunds or gratuities) which arises out of the rendering of services by third parties to TMF Group or arises out of the rendering of services by TMF Group to its clients.

Local TMF Group offices may be subject to more stringent local laws or policies in place, adherence to which is of course required.

## 1.22 Fighting corrupt practices

### **Employees shall not engage in money laundering or other corrupt practices and must report unusual transactions**

The term ‘money laundering’ refers to the process whereby individuals or entities try to conceal funds raised from illegal activity or make these funds look legitimate. TMF Group will not tolerate, facilitate or in any way support money laundering activities.

Every employee must adhere to the following principles:

- > all clients of TMF Group must undergo a thorough Client Due Diligence (CDD) check through Group Risk & Compliance. No client may be contracted or served without explicit consent of Group Risk & Compliance in accordance with the relevant TMF Group internal compliance policies,
- > TMF Group is obliged to establish its client’s identity, the client’s beneficial ownership and/or to determine the origin of clients’ funds. If, at some subsequent stage in the relationship with the client, changes occur or doubts arise as to the correctness of the facts as initially stated by the client, the appropriate inquiries must be repeated and reported to local management. If necessary local management can inform Group Risk & Compliance and/or Group Legal,
- > transactions which are unusual for a given client or in which the underlying economic circumstances are unclear must be examined in order to ascertain whether they should be characterised as unusual or even unlawful transactions which are to be reported to local management, local Money Laundering Reporting Officer (“MLRO”) or Local Risk & Compliance Officer. If necessary, local management can inform Group Risk & Compliance and/or Group Legal and/or notify the relevant authority (suspicious activity reporting),
- > employees should be aware of the trade embargos that may be imposed on specific countries, either by the United Nations (“UN”), the European Union (“EU”), the United States of America (“US”), United Kingdom (“UK”) or other countries. If a trade embargo applies, it means that it is either prohibited or restricted to trade with the country to which the trade embargo applies. In all cases where a trade embargo is imposed, it is prohibited to assist clients to conduct trade or to transact, either directly or indirectly, with the country under embargo. Any attempt to trade or transact with a country under embargo should be denied and notified to Group Risk & Compliance,
- > employees should be aware of sanction regulations, and act in accordance with it. Any attempt not to comply with any sanction regulations should be denied and notified to Group Risk & Compliance,



- > employees may not participate or assist in any transfers which violate or aim at avoiding exchange control restrictions,
- > employees may not participate or provide any assistance to clients or otherwise to deceive any authorities, for example, by giving incomplete or misleading statements, and
- > the presence of employees at discussions between clients and third parties or the holding of discussions on TMF Group premises could be (mis)construed as an indication that TMF Group is in agreement with or even supports the actions of a certain party. Employees should distance themselves clearly and at an early stage, if they suspect or become aware that the matters discussed may give rise to corrupt practices, and report this to local management as an incident.

## 1.23 Avoidance of conflicts of interest

**TMF Group is committed to protecting the interests of its clients and stakeholders. Employees shall avoid situations which may give rise to actual or perceived conflicts of interest.**

An employee faces a conflict of interest when the employee's personal relationships, interest in another venture or participation in external activities influences or could be perceived to influence the employee's decisions. A conflict of interest may arise in situation when the employee role and duties to TMF may be in conflict with their commitment to client servicing, or when employee's act with respect to a client may damage another client or third party.

Employees must assess any situations which give rise or may give rise to a conflict of interest in relation to their duties to TMF Group and a client/third party and avoid any situations where they may have a personal/ economic interest within a given relationship. In addition, the mere perception of a conflict of interest must be avoided.

TMF Group values the avoidance of a real conflict of interest as much as the avoidance of the mere perception of conflicts of interest. Perception can be just as damaging to TMF Group's reputation and that of the employee as any real conflict.

Examples of a conflict of interest include, but are not limited to the following:

- > Employee holding a personal, professional, or other in/formal relationship which may influence, or appear to influence, their role and duties to TMF Group or give rise to an ethical concern, i.e.:
  - holding an outside employment or another type of engagement with a 3<sup>rd</sup> party; or
  - having familial or close personal relationship with other employees at TMF Group; or
  - having familial or close personal relationship with employees of TMF clients', stakeholders or government officials.
- > Having a personal interest in the outcome of the services provided to clients or in the decision to purchase goods/ services from 3<sup>rd</sup> parties.

- > Having a personal incentive, for financial or other reasons, to favour the interest of one client or group of clients over the interests of another client.
- > Using non-publicly disclosed information related to TMF or its clients/ stakeholders for personal benefit or in a way which may be damaging to the owner of the information.
- > Accepting gifts, hospitality or any other incentive that may be considered at compromising employee's integrity.

TMF shall protect and manage fairly the interests of its clients and shall implement appropriate mitigations (e.g. Chinese walls, segregation of duties, 4-eyes review) to prevent an actual or perceived conflict of interest arise during the course of service provisioning.

Employees should be aware that conflicts of interest could arise when acting as a director or in another fiduciary role for one or multiple clients. In these cases, employees should take due care to assess the situation and consider the safeguards that could be put in place.

Employees are required to report to local HR any situations, activities and/ or relationships which may give rise to a conflict of interest. In case of doubts related to conflict of interest employees may refer to 'Ask a question' section in the [Speak Up Channel](#) page. An assessment of each case shall be performed in consultation with the respective risk & compliance officer and escalated to Group Risk & Compliance in case the existing safeguards may not be deemed sufficient to mitigate the conflict. An outcome of the assessment will be reported to local management.

Where any perceived or actual conflicts have been identified and after consideration of the above, it is deemed that where there are no other means of managing, mitigating or eliminating (as the case may be) those conflicts or where such measures in place do not sufficiently protect the interests of TMF Group, its clients and/or other third parties, the specific conflict shall be disclosed to the relevant party.

## 1.24 Family relations

### **Employees must follow certain guidelines when a family member/partner also works within TMF Group**

The following guidelines must be adhered to when working with or recruiting family/partners within TMF Group:

- > no involvement in interviewing or appointment,
- > no direct day to day reporting line,
- > no involvement in decisions on pay and promotions, and
- > no signing off on expenses or joint signatory rights.

In circumstances where a relationship between colleagues may lead to a breach of confidentiality or controls, TMF Group reserves the right to review the situation and offer alternative employment to one party.

In some circumstances it may be necessary for one or both parties' employment to be terminated. In order to be completely transparent, the Chief Human Resources Officer should sign off on all



appointments/promotions of related employees.

## 1.25 Misuse or abuse of TMF Group assets

### **TMF Group assets must be used with care and responsibly**

TMF Group assets can be physical or intangible. It may include buildings, equipment, software, data, know how, designs, logo, trade names and trade secrets.

All TMF Group's assets should be protected from misuse, theft, loss, damage or infringement. Any use of these assets other than for TMF Group's business (e.g., personal use, community or charitable endeavours) should be avoided and requires the express authorisation by local management.

The use of TMF Group's assets for personal gain or illegal purposes is prohibited.

Employees must always use the correct headed paper, forms, brochures, etc. Headed paper and forms, bearing the logo of TMF Group or one of its subsidiaries, are to be used solely for business purposes and may not be handed out blank to clients or third parties.

Events and presentations in the name of TMF Group and the use of its logo are permitted only for business purposes. Group Marketing and Communications should be involved in the use of the logo or other marketing material.

Employees must only use TMF Group owned or controlled IT assets and may not modify the assets (e.g., by installing software) without consent or assistance of TMF Group Technology. Copying or distribution of licenses owned or assigned to TMF Group is only allowed with written consent of TMF Group Technology. When an employment relationship with TMF Group is ending, employees are required to return any TMF Group IT hardware assets allocated to them, such as laptops, docking stations, headsets and mobile phones, before or at their last working day.

Any information that is unclassified or classified other than Public and needs to be stored on an IT asset must be secured according to security specifications described in [TMF Group's Information Security Policy](#). Theft or loss (including prolonged misplacements) of devices that potentially contain TMF Group owned, or managed information must be reported promptly to TMF Group Technology.

## 1.26 Intellectual property

### **Intellectual property rights developed in the working environment of TMF Group belongs to TMF Group. Third-party intellectual property rights should not be knowingly infringed**

All intellectual property rights developed at any time during working hours, in the normal course of their duties or with TMF Group's materials and/or facilities which relate to the business of TMF Group belong to TMF Group. TMF Group does not owe the employee any compensation in that respect.



Third-party intellectual property rights should not be knowingly infringed.

## 1.27 Substance abuse, betting and gambling

**TMF Group has a zero-tolerance policy in respect of:**

- misuse of alcohol, illegal drugs or controlled substances
- betting and gambling

TMF Group is committed to providing a work and business environment that is free of alcohol abuse and substance abuse. The possession, purchase, sale, transfer, use or presence on TMF Group premises of any illegal drugs or controlled substances (except drugs medically prescribed) is prohibited.

The placing of bets or the activity of gambling from TMF Group's premises is not permitted.

Any employee experiencing personal problems with substance abuse, betting or gambling is encouraged to reach out to Human Resources for help.

## 1.28 Human rights and fundamental labour rights

**We respect human rights and fundamental labour rights**

Slavery and human trafficking remain a hidden blight on our global society. We all have a responsibility to be alert to the risks in our businesses and in the wider supply chain. TMF Group rejects any form of labour exploitation and/or suppression of human rights in commitment to the United Nations Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights and the International Labour Organization's Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work.

TMF Group has processes in place to encourage the reporting of concerns of exploitations, and the protection of whistle-blowers. Management are expected to act upon and escalate concerns of exploitations appropriately. Please refer to TMF Group's [Whistle-blower Policy](#) and [Fraud Investigation Procedure](#) Guideline for more information.

TMF Group's policies and procedures enable our business to combat and prevent human trafficking and modern slavery in our supply chains, also in regard to contractor and agency staff working in our own offices.



## WE INVEST IN TALENT

We are a people business. We seek to hire and develop diverse, talented people and to give them great careers. We invest in their technical, management and leadership skills to build high quality, highly motivated teams.

### 1.29 Learning and development

**TMF Group is committed to giving all employees access to continuous learning, development and training opportunities.**

Employees are encouraged to take part in the global and local learning offering of the TMF Business Academy. Employees are expected to take own responsibility for their career development; soliciting feedback from their managers and peers, seeking out learning opportunities, pursuing formal education, building their internal and external networks, expressing interests in new areas of work and behaving in accordance with our TMF Group values. TMF Group facilitates these processes by responding to employee needs identified through regular employee engagement surveys. In addition, the company is encouraging feedback and development through its performance management approach.

### 1.30 Performance management and career development

**TMF Group is committed to:**

- > equipping line managers with suitable performance management skills to ensure effective objective setting, career conversations, feedback techniques, and performance review capabilities;
- > supporting a culture of regular performance and development communication;
- > having educational support for dealing with underperformance, which does not detract from local laws, but ensures global consistency to promote fairness;
- > having a clearly defined career framework within TMF Group;
- > having a learning function which is closely aligned with TMF Group's core strategy, and enhancing a colleague's ability to succeed in their current role and preparing them for their next role; and
- > offering training which ensures compliance for all employees, in addition to technical and soft skills learning toward specific employee groups.

## 1.31 Remote and flexible working arrangements

### **TMF Group offers employees flexibility to balance their personal and work responsibilities, where working from home is a possibility, not a requirement**

Our 10 principles of remote and flexible working are:

1. Working arrangements, whether office- or home-based, will be done in line with business/client needs, ensuring a seamless service delivery and always compliant with local legislation and TMF Group policies and procedures.
2. In principle, all employees are eligible to work remotely, regardless of tenure, age, role, seniority or contract type (e.g., full- vs. part-time, permanent or temporary contract), provided there is a TMF entity in their country of residence and the nature of the work does not require their physical presence. The line manager is responsible for approving or denying the request for remote working in a fair and timely manner.
3. Offices will define 'core business hours' during which the employees are expected to do their work. However, the line manager can approve flexible working outside these core hours, irrespective of work location.
4. As a general guideline we recommend for employees to work between 3-4 days per week in the office. Deviations from this guideline may be agreed at the Market leaders' discretion, taking into account employee preferences, office space, work planning, employee connections and company culture.
5. Working remotely is a possibility, not a requirement. No employee will be forced to work remotely, if (s)he doesn't wish to do so, unless a Business Continuity Plan is activated.
6. Employees who work remotely for more than 50% of their contractual time (i.e., 3 days/week for full-time workers) may be considered for (capped) funding for home office furnishings and improved broadband. Full-time home workers are entitled to additional home office equipment.
7. TMF Group will endeavour to always ensure workers are aware of the risks and obligations of working remotely. Employees are responsible for ensuring adequate working conditions when working remotely, that are conducive to productivity and personal wellbeing, and are in accordance with ISO standards. Employees with smaller children are also expected to organise childcare, so that they can work productively without interruptions.
8. An addendum will be made to the employee agreement, including a self-certification of the above (7.), and a declaration establishing absence of liability for TMF Group in case of accident. Employees who work remotely more than 50% of the time also need to complete a Health & Safety checklist.
9. The line manager is responsible for managing their reports remotely, focusing on outputs, deliverables and team connections.
10. Revoking remote and/or flexible working arrangements will be done at the discretion of the line manager, after providing due notice, if unavoidable business demands and/or the employee's performance requires it. Any provisions from the company will also be revoked at this point.

The practical deployment of these principles, including timing and any local deviations, will be determined by the Market Leaders.



## 1.32 Working hours

### **TMF Group is compliant with national labour laws and market standards**

Employees at TMF Group shall not work more than the regular and overtime hours allowed by the law of the country where they are employed. Any part-time working arrangements shall be captured in the employment agreement.

Overtime shall be limited, consensual and voluntarily accepted. TMF Group shall not request overtime on a regular basis and shall compensate all overtime in accordance with jurisdictional regulations.

Employees are encouraged to take up their holiday allowance and to take appropriate down time from working hours, in accordance with their contractual arrangements and local laws.

## 1.33 Compensation

### **TMF Group is committed to pay fair wages aligned to the market standards**

All employees shall be provided with a written and comprehensible employment agreement (contract) outlining their wage conditions and method of payments before entering employment. Each employee shall be rewarded in a correct and fair manner in accordance with his or her individual performance and the performance management criteria of TMF Group.

Deductions from wages as a disciplinary measure shall not be permitted.

Decisions to outsource labour, engage external contractors, apprenticeships, interns or trainees shall not be undertaken to evade TMF Group's obligations as an employer under applicable labour laws; such as social security legislation and regulations. Nor shall TMF Group offer employees consecutive fixed term employment agreements, beyond what is allowed by the law of the country where the employee is employed.

## 1.34 Freedom of association

### **TMF Group recognises and respects the right of employees for freedom of association and collective bargaining**

All TMF Group employees have the right of free association. TMF Group respects the right of all unionised employees to bargain collectively.

TMF Group follows local laws and regulations and gives the labour unions access to union members in line with local regulations in all countries where we operate.

TMF Group is committed to a fair and open dialogue with unions, worker's councils' and other appointed worker's representatives in our offices. Workers' representatives shall not be discriminated against and shall have access to carry out their representative functions in the workplace.



# Reference to Associated Documents

Current organisational policies are available on TMF Group Policy Library page. This document is also available in the following languages:

Translations	
Politica 001 GL ESP	Politica 001 GL ESP
Política 001 GL POR	Política 001 GL POR
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