



**VEGETARIAN AND VEGAN COUNCIL**

## **PRIVACY STATEMENT**

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### **Privacy Statement**

This statement discloses Vegetarian and Vegan Council policies in relation to your personal information. These policies are in addition to Vegetarian and Vegan Council Terms and Conditions and should be read in conjunction with those Terms and Conditions use of Service.

#### **1. Information Collection and Use**

From time to time, you may be required to provide information to Vegetarian and Vegan Council in order to send an enquiry to us.

Vegetarian and Vegan Council may use your information to:

- (1) Respond to your enquiry and service your needs; and
- (2) provide you with product and service updates and similar notices in respect of the products and services provided by Vegetarian and Vegan Council.

Vegetarian and Vegan Council is the sole owner of the information collected on this Web Site. Vegetarian and Vegan Council will not sell or rent this information to third parties.

#### **2. Log Files**

Vegetarian and Vegan Council uses IP addresses (i.e. the electronic addresses of computers connected to the Internet) to analyze trends, track a user's movements, administer the Web Site and gather general information about usage of this Web Site for use within Vegetarian and Vegan Council. IP addresses are not linked to personally identifiable information.

#### **3. Disclosing your personal information**

Your acknowledgement and authorize that all information supplied by you will be retained by Vegetarian and Vegan Council and stored in one or more of our databases. Vegetarian and Vegan Council will maintain full control over and safeguard, according to strict standards of security and confidentiality all information in these database and will NOT release to third parties except to the following:

- (1) authorized employees within the Vegetarian and Vegan Council group of companies;
- (2) third party service providers in providing support services including but not limited to administrative, installation, telecommunications, computer, payment

gateway, insurance, financing, and other professional services. These providers are contractually required to comply with Vegetarian and Vegan Council privacy standards as set out herein;

(3) any person by whom Vegetarian and Vegan Council is required by applicable legal, governmental or regulatory requirements to make disclosure.

#### **4. Cookies**

Currently, Vegetarian and Vegan Council does not use cookies on this Web Site. However, some other sites operated by our parent, Vegetarian and Vegan Council Corporation or related affiliates that are linked to this Site may use cookies. Please check the privacy policies applicable to those web sites.

#### **5. Security and Retention**

Vegetarian and Vegan Council takes reasonable steps to preserve the security of your personal information and other information or data processed through this Web Site. Unfortunately, no data transmission over the Internet can be guaranteed as perfectly secure. As a result, although Vegetarian and Vegan Council strive to protect your personal information, Vegetarian and Vegan Council cannot guarantee the security of any information you transmit to us and you do so at your own risk.

5.2 Your personal information will be retained for a period necessary to attain the specified purpose.

#### **6. Links**

This privacy statement applies solely to information collected by this Web Site. This Web Site may contain links to other web sites. Vegetarian and Vegan Council makes no representations or warranties as to the privacy practices of any third-party web site, and Vegetarian and Vegan Council is not responsible for the privacy policies of other web sites. The policies described in this statement apply solely to this Web Site and may differ from the policies of other sites operated by Vegetarian and Vegan Council or related affiliates that you link to from this Web Site. We recommend that you read the privacy statement and terms and conditions of all web sites that you link to from this Web Site.

#### **7. Future Changes**

Vegetarian and Vegan Council reserves the right to change its privacy statement at any time and will notify you by posting an updated version of the statement on this Web Site, which we recommend that you review from time to time.