# **SPRIGGY INVEST PRIVACY POLICY**

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This privacy statement is made on behalf of Spriggy Invest Pty Ltd ABN 21 639 671 926 ("**Spriggy Invest**"). All references to "Spriggy Invest", "we", "us" or "our" in this policy are references to Spriggy Invest Pty Limited.

Spriggy Invest is committed to protecting your privacy and to compliance with the Australian Privacy Principles contained in the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth), and any other applicable regulation. If you have any questions relating to this privacy statement or your privacy rights, please contact us.

This Privacy Statement sets out the policy of Spriggy Invest for handling and protecting your personal information. We are committed to ensuring the privacy of your information and recognise that you, as a customer, are concerned about your privacy and about the confidentiality and security of information that Spriggy Invest may hold about you.

This Policy is designed to inform customers of:

- The Spriggy Invest Privacy Policy;
- What information we collect and the purposes for which we collect it;
- Use and disclosure of information collected;
- Security of your personal information;
- Gaining access to information we hold about you;
- What to do if you believe the information we hold about you is inaccurate;
- Complaints in relation to privacy; and
- How to contact us.

### **Personal Information**

Personal information is information or an opinion about an individual whose identity is apparent, or can reasonably be ascertained, from the information or opinion. Spriggy Invest will also collect any personal information necessary for the purposes of complying with the Anti-Money Laundering and Counter Terrorism Financing Act 2006.

# Open and transparent management of personal information

Spriggy Invest seeks to ensure that personal information we hold about an individual is managed in an open and transparent manner. We have implemented procedures to ensure compliance with the Australian Privacy Principles and any applicable codes, and to deal with any complaints relating to our compliance therewith.

Spriggy Invest has a clear and up-to-date privacy policy outlining our management of personal information, including details regarding the kind of personal information we collect and hold; how and why we collect and hold this information, and how an individual may access and seek correction of the information we hold about them. We further provide details regarding our complaints handling process, our policy on disclosure of information to overseas recipients (and if so, which countries).

# **Collection of personal information**

This policy details how Spriggy Invest adheres to the Australian Privacy Principles regarding the collection of solicited personal information. Spriggy Invest only collects personal information directly from individuals, which is reasonably necessary for the provision of our services, and only by lawful and fair means. Information is generally sought or collected through an account application form and when you make investments. Information may otherwise be collected from time to time through our website, apps, social media and other digital services. Information may also be collected from public sources and any party authorised to act on your behalf.

We may monitor and record your communications with us (including email and telephone) for security, dispute resolution and training purposes. We will always ensure you are apprised of our purpose in collecting information, and your right to gain access to such information. If you do not provide the information requested, we may be unable to provide you with our services.

Please note that generally we will only use the personal information we collect for the main purposes disclosed at the time of collection such as to provide our payment services. Where possible we will collect the information directly from you via our online application process.

We provide information and services through a range of digital and online services including websites (e.g. https://spriggyinvest.com.au, apps, email, online advertisements, IPTV and social media profiles. These services may be operated by us to provide a consistent experience, personalise your use of each of those services and provide targeted marketing. Spriggy Invest may use "cookies". A cookie is a piece of information that allows the server to identify and interact more effectively with your device. The cookie assists us in maintaining the continuity of your browsing session and remembering your details and preferences when you return. Other technologies that may be used with Spriggy Invest include web beacons (which may operate in conjunction with cookies), Flash local stored objects and JavaScript. You can configure your web browser to reject and delete cookies and block JavaScript but you may find some parts of Spriggy Invest services then have limited functionality. You can control your preferences regarding Flash local stored objects via this site.

Our systems record a variety of information in relation to interactions with our online services. This can include information about software versions used, device identifiers (like IP address), location data (where available and not disabled by the user), dates, times, file metadata, referring website, data entered and user activity such as links clicked. In some cases third parties may use cookies and other technologies such as those described above as part of the Spriggy Invest services. These technologies may be used in connection with activities like surveys, online behavioural advertising, website analytics and email campaign management.

The services we may use from time to time include Google Analytics, Google Display Network, Google AdSense, DoubleClick, Yahoo, Adobe Campaign Manager and Microsoft, HotJar, Segment, HubSpot and Intercom. You can find more details in the privacy policies for those services (e.g. Google's Ads Preferences Manager), including information on how to opt out of certain conduct. Bear in mind, you may need to opt-out separately from each service.

The website youronlinechoices.com.au also allows you to opt-out of some online behavioural advertising and provides further information about how online behavioural advertising works. You can contact us to request further details of the services we use. Many of these services operate without collecting or using any personal information. Some information we collect is not related to an individual. In many cases the information only relates to a device or is of an aggregated or statistical nature, and we will have no way of knowing the identity of the user. In other cases we may associate information about your use of Spriggy Invest services over time with your personal information, e.g. where on any occasion you have logged in, followed a link sent to you by email or we have otherwise been able to identify you.

We are constantly developing and enhancing our use of online technologies, and make reasonable efforts to ensure we keep this Privacy Policy and related documents up to date in this regard. Please check back when you return to use our online services to ensure you are familiar with our current practices.

The Spriggy Invest website may contain links to the websites of third parties. If you access those third-party websites they may collect information about you. Spriggy Invest does not collect information about you from the third parties. You will need to contact them to ascertain their privacy standards.

### **Unsolicited personal information**

Where we receive personal information about an individual which is unsolicited by us and not required for the provision of our services, we will destroy the information (provided it is lawful and reasonable for us to do so).

### Notification of the collection of personal information

When we obtain personal information about you, we ensure that you have our contact details and that you are aware of the collection of information and our purposes for doing so. As per above, we are unable to provide certain services if the requested information is not provided. We do not disclose your information to third parties, unless they are related entities or service providers, who have a comparable privacy policy in place.

### Use and disclosure of personal information

Spriggy Invest collects and holds personal information about an individual for the purpose of providing investment services. This includes processing your orders, managing promotions, providing refunds and discounts, verifying your identity, communicating with you, conducting product/market research, updating our records, responding to enquiries from you. We also utilise your personal information to tailor and personalise our products and services. We collect this information with your consent as per application form or other documentation, and your transaction history, for the primary purpose disclosed to you at the time of collection. In some cases we may ask you to expressly and additionally consent to any collection, use or disclosure of your personal information. Your consent will usually be required in writing but we may accept verbal consent in certain circumstances. We may also disclose your personal information where it is required or authorised by law.

We may use your personal information to:

- provide our services;
- respond to any specific requests you may make of us;
- notify you of any products that may be of interest to you;
- audit and monitor the services we provide to you including staff training;
- to consider or investigate any issues or complaints in relation to our products or services or to administer any legal action in which we are involved with you;
- update your personal files; and
- enable us to meet our legal obligations under law (e.g. AML/CTF, tax laws).

Spriggy Invest may disclose your personal information to our agents, contractors or third-party service providers to enable them to provide administrative and other support services to us. We may also use third party service providers to maintain some of our data systems and provide auxiliary services. We require any party that has access to personal information to maintain comparable privacy policies and procedures, and be subject to comparable privacy regulation in their jurisdiction, if located outside Australia.

We will also disclose your personal information where the disclosure is required by law, for example to government agencies and regulatory bodies as part of our statutory obligations, or for law enforcement purposes.

#### **Deletion of Personal Information**

We shall seek to delete or de-identify your personal information once it is no longer required or where you so request provided that we are not otherwise legally obliged to retain it. Certain laws, such as anti-money laundering/counter-terrorism financing laws, financial services licensing laws, accounting/tax laws and/or general company laws, mandate the retention of personal information about clients and transactions, for a period of 7 or more years. Where such laws apply to us, we are obligated to retain your information for those minimum periods regardless of any request for deletion. In such circumstances, we commit to not using your information for any purpose other than satisfying our record retention obligations for the applicable period.

### **Direct Marketing**

We may utilise your personal information to provide you with targeted marketing and advertising initiatives via telephone, email or other media, regarding products or services we think may be of interest to you. You may notify us that you do not wish to receive such communications at any time by clicking on the opt-out link provided.

Often the law requires us to advise you of certain changes to products/services or regulations. You will continue to receive this information from us even if you choose not to receive direct marketing information from us. We will only disclose your information to an outside party for the purpose of allowing them to directly market to you, where you have consented to such disclosure.

# Cross border disclosure. Sensitive information. Use of government identifiers. Anonymity & Pseudonymity.

Spriggy Invest transfers personal information overseas for the purpose of operating the services we provide to you including providing you with customer support and communications to jurisdictions with a comparable privacy regime in place. At the current time these overseas jurisdictions are primarily the United States, Europe and the United Kingdom. Spriggy Invest does not collect sensitive information, such as health information, sexual orientation or details about religious and political affiliations. Wherever lawful and practicable, individuals may deal anonymously with Spriggy Invest but given the nature of our services, this is not a viable option. Spriggy Invest does not use official identifiers (e.g. tax file numbers) to identify individuals. An individual's name or Australian Business Number is not an identifier for the purposes of the Privacy Act and hence may be used to identify individuals.

# **Quality of personal information**

Spriggy Invest takes all reasonable steps to ensure the personal information held about individuals is accurate, up-to-date and complete. We verify personal information at the point of collection. Spriggy Invest encourage you to help us by telling us immediately if you change your contact details (such as your phone number, street address or email address) or if any of your details need to be corrected or updated. A person wishing to update their personal information may contact our Customer Service team or the Privacy Officer on the contact details shown within this document.

# Access to personal information

Where a person requests access to their personal information, our policy is, subject to certain conditions (as outlined below) to permit access. Spriggy Invest will correct personal information where that information is found to be inaccurate, incomplete or out of date. We will not charge you a fee for your access request but may charge you the reasonable cost of processing your request.

If a person wishes to access their personal information or correct it, they should contact the Privacy Officer, and we will seek to provide such information within a reasonable period of time, and in the manner so requested (where reasonable to do so).

Spriggy Invest may not always be able to give you access to all the personal information we hold about you. If this is the case, we will provide a written explanation of the reasons for our refusal, together with details of our complaints process for if you wish to challenge the decision.

We may not be able to give you access to information in the following circumstances:

• Where we reasonably believe this may pose a serious threat to the life, health of safety of any individual or to public health/safety;

- Which would unreasonably impact the privacy of another individual;
- Where such request is reasonably considered to be frivolous or vexatious;
- Which relates to existing or anticipated legal proceedings which would otherwise not be accessible in the discovery process relating to such proceedings;
- Which would reveal our intentions and thereby prejudice our negotiations with you;
- Which would be unlawful;
- Which is prohibited by law or a court/tribunal order;
- Which relates to suspected unlawful activity or serious misconduct, where access would likely prejudice the taking of appropriate action in relation thereto;
- Where enforcement activities conducted by or on behalf of an enforcement body may be prejudiced; or
- Where access would reveal details regarding a commercially sensitive decision-making process.

# **Correction of personal information**

Where we believe that the information we hold about an individual is inaccurate, out-of-date, incomplete, irrelevant or misleading, OR an individual requests us to correct information held about them, Spriggy Invest will take all reasonable steps to correct such information in a reasonable time frame. No fees are payable for such requests. If you request us to similarly advise a relevant third party of such correction, we will facilitate that notification unless impracticable or unlawful for us to do so.

If Spriggy Invest intends to refuse to comply with your correction request, we will notify you in writing of our reasons for such refusal, and the complaints process you may avail if you wish to challenge that decision. You may also request that we associate the personal information we hold with a statement regarding your view of its inaccuracy.

# Security of personal information

We take reasonable steps and precautions to keep personal information secure from loss, misuse, and interference, and from unauthorised access, modification or disclosure. Only authorised personnel have access to personal information as required to perform their roles. If you use the Internet to communicate with us, you should be aware that there are inherent risks in transmitting information over the Internet. While Spriggy Invest utilises SSL security protocols we do not have control over information while in transit over the Internet and we cannot guarantee its security. Where information is no longer required to be held or retained by Spriggy Invest for any purpose or legal obligation, we will take all reasonable steps to destroy or de-identify the information accordingly.

# Notifiable Data Breaches Scheme

We will report 'eligible data breaches' to the affected individual(s) and the Australian Information Commissioner in relation to the (including suspected) unauthorised access or disclosure of personal information held, which is likely to result in serious harm to the relevant individual(s), and where we have been unable to prevent the likely risk of serious harm with remedial action. We will formulate a data breach response plan, to limit any negative consequences of such a breach. An effective response involves a process to contain, assess, notify and review.

### Your Consent and Changes to the Privacy Policy

Upon using this web site and our services, you consent to our use and collating of your information as it appears within this policy. Although this is not our immediate intention, periodically, we may utilise this customer information for any unforeseen uses that have not been disclosed within this current privacy notice. If at any time our information practices change in the future, we will amend our policy on this Web site. Should you have any immediate concerns about how your information is used, you should check our Website periodically to ensure you are up to date with our current policy.

### **Privacy Complaints**

If you have a complaint relating to our compliance with privacy laws or our treatment of your personal information, please contact our Privacy/Data Protection Officer via email to <u>hello@spriggyinvest.com.au</u> We will investigate your complaint and endeavour to resolve the issue to your satisfaction. If you are not satisfied with the outcome of your complaint, you have the right to lodge a complaint with the Office of the Australian Information Commissioner by telephoning 1300 363 992 or visiting their website at www.oaic.gov.au