ONLINE PRIVACY POLICY AGREEMENT

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Torn.Space values its users' privacy. This Privacy Policy will help you understand how we collect and use information from those who visit our website or make use of our online resources, and what we will or will not do with our collected information. This Policy has been designed to ensure those affiliated with Torn.Space of our commitment to meet existing privacy standards.

We reserve the right to make changed to our Privacy Policy at any given time. All changes will be noted promptly on our website, and if there are any major changes in how we collect or use information, our user base will be immediately notified upon entering our website.

This Policy applies to the Torn.Space website and all data collection and usage by us. By continuing to use Torn.Space you are consenting to our data guidelines established in this Policy.

Please note that this Policy does not cover the data collection and usage of companies that Torn.Space does not control, nor by employees or individuals not managed by us. All websites linked to by Torn.Space have separate privacy policies that users can review before providing with information.

This Policy will cover the following:

1. What personally identifiable information is collected from you throughout this website;
2. Why we collect personal information, and the legal basis for such collection;
3. How we use the information, and with whom it will be shared;
4. What choices are available to you regarding data usage; and
5. Security procedures in affect to protect your information.

Information We Collect

Whether or not any data is presented or logged is entirely up to the user, but certain parts of the website will be unavailable to users if they chose not to provide certain information. This website collects three forms of information unrelated to website content:

- Player usernames will be taken and stored upon account creation. This will remain logged as long as the user is actively using the website.
- Player account passwords are created upon account creation and will be used to access user accounts, so this will of course be logged. This will remain logged as long as the user is actively using the website.
- Players' IP addresses will be used upon connecting to the game server (playing as a guest), but will not be logged until the user creates an account. This will remain logged as long as the user is actively using the website.
- Player's game progress will be stored with their account. This is not personal information, but players should note that any progress achieved in the game will be logged for future sessions.

Why We Collect Personal Information

We collect data for various reasons:

- To save user progress in the game, allowing users to build on their character and playing experience.
- To allow users to have customized appearances to other players.
- To prevent users from spamming requests or account usage by checking IP inconsistency or spam across multiple sessions.

The data we collect from users will be stored no longer than is necessary to allow players to keep their progress in the game. The length of time we will collect data depends on player activity, for as long as the player continues to visit the website and spend time in the game, their personal information will continue to be stored so as to maintain their account and progress. If a player is inactive for an extended period of time, one such that we believe to be long enough for the player to have lost interest in the game, we will no longer store the user's personal information or game progress.

How We Collect Personal Information, and With Whom it Will Be Shared

Player's will not have any personal information permanently logged until they choose to create an account on the website. This can be done after joining the game as a guest, and playing a short tutorial. Upon returning to a specific location in the game, the user will have the option of creating an account, where they will be prompted to enter their username and password. Upon submitting these details, the player's username, password, and IP address will be logged for future use as long as they remain active on the website.

The information stored will not be used for anything but website features in Torn.Space. No third parties will have access to this information, and no individuals will be given access beyond those developing the website.

Information Disclosure

Torn.Space may not use or disclose any information provided by its users except under the following conditions:

- Torn.Space website and game functions, allowing users to save game progress and personal identifiers.,
- in other ways highlighted in this policy or by ways with which the user has consented,
- in aggregate with other information such that user identities and information cannot reasonably be determined,
- as required by law, or in response to a subpoena or search warrant,
- to outside parties in association with Torn.Space who have agreed to keep the information confidential,
- as necessary to enforce the Terms of Service,
- and as necessary to maintain and preserve all rights of Torn.Space and its developers.

Non Marketing Purposes

Torn.Space reserves the rights to contact its users for non-marketing purposes, such as for bug alerts or account issues. This may be done through our website or through other public means to post notice.

Children Under the Age of 13

Torn.Space's Website is nor directed to, and does not knowingly collect personally identifiable info from, children under the age of 13. If it is determined that information has been inadvertently collected on anyone under the age of 13, we shall immediately take the necessary steps to ensure such information is removed from our system's database or that parental consent is obtained for the use and storage or such information. Anyone under the age of 13 must seek parental guidance to continue using our website.

Links and Affiliations to Other Websites

Our website does contain links to other websites, and has content on our website affiliated with features from other websites. We at Torn.Space do not claim any responsibility for any privacy policies, practices, or procedures of any linked or related website, therefore, we encourage users to read the privacy statements of other related websites before use. This Privacy Policy only covers content directly hosted on our website.

Notice to European Users

Torn.Space's operations are located primarily in the United States. As established in the EU-US Privacy Shield, if you provide information to us, said information will be transferred out of the European Union and to the United States. By providing personal information to us you are consenting to the storage and usage as described by this policy.

Security Measures

Torn.Space does take security precautions to protect user information. Sensitive information given to us is protected both online and offline, encrypted and transmitted in a secure manner. This can be verified by the secure connection icon on most browsers.

While we do have measures to protect sensitive information sent online, when offline, developers on the Torn.Space team do not have access to user information unless needed, and have agreed to keep such information secure. The computers used to store such information are also kept in a secure environment. This is done to prevent the misuse, unauthorized access, or modification of the user's personal information stored.

Cookies

Third party vendors, including Google, use cookies to serve ads based on a user's prior visits to your website or other websites.

Google's use of advertising cookies enables it and its partners to serve ads to your users based on their visit to your sites and/or other sites on the Internet.

Users may opt out of personalized advertising by visiting Ads Settings. Alternatively, users can opt out of a third-party vendor's use of cookies for personalized advertising by visiting www.aboutads.info.

Acceptance of Terms

By using this website and registering your information on a Torn.Space account, you are hereby accepting the terms highlighted in this Privacy Policy, and if you are not in agreement with all policies highlighted here, you should refrain from further use of our website. Additionally, the continued use of the website after a change to our privacy policy does mean that you consent to any changes made.

Contact Information

If you have any questions or concerns regarding our Privacy Policy, feel free to contact us on our Discord server. There, one of our developers will be able to directly respond to any concerns.