

# **IT Security Policy**

## **1. Purpose**

The purpose of this IT Security Policy is to protect the organization's information assets from unauthorized access, disclosure, alteration, or destruction, ensuring confidentiality, integrity, and availability of data.

## **2. Scope**

This policy applies to all employees, contractors, and third-party vendors who access the company's IT systems, networks, and data.

## **3. Roles & Responsibilities**

- Employees: Must follow security procedures, report security incidents, and use company IT resources responsibly.
- IT Department: Responsible for implementing security controls, monitoring systems, and providing training.
- Management: Ensure compliance with IT security policies and support security initiatives.

## **4. Access Control**

- Access to systems and data is based on role-based permissions.
- Passwords must follow strong complexity rules and be updated regularly.
- Multi-factor authentication (MFA) is mandatory for critical systems.

## **5. Data Security**

- Confidential data must be stored securely and encrypted where necessary.
- Sensitive information must not be shared outside authorized personnel.
- Backup procedures must be followed to ensure data recovery.

## **6. Network Security**

- Firewalls and antivirus software must be active and updated.
- Remote access to the network requires secure VPN connections.
- Unauthorized devices are not allowed on the corporate network.

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## **7. Incident Management**

- All security incidents must be reported immediately to the IT department.
- IT will investigate incidents and take corrective actions.
- Employees must cooperate with investigations and follow instructions.

## **8. Training & Awareness**

- Employees will receive regular IT security training.
- Awareness programs will be conducted to ensure understanding of policies.

## **9. Compliance**

- Non-compliance with this policy may result in disciplinary action.
- This policy is aligned with legal and regulatory requirements applicable to the organization.

## **10. Review & Updates**

- The IT Security Policy will be reviewed annually or whenever significant changes occur in the IT environment.
- Updates will be communicated to all relevant personnel.

Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_