Privacy Policy for The Merica Association

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The Merica Association ("we," "our," "us") respects your privacy and is committed to protecting the personal information you share with us. This Privacy Policy explains how we collect, use, and safeguard your information when you visit our website, https://unicfoxx.github.io/Website-Hub/HTML/merica.html (the "Site").

1. Information We Collect

We may collect the following types of information:

- **Personal Information**: When you sign up for newsletters, contact us, or use certain services, we may collect information such as your name, email address, and other contact details.
- **Usage Data**: We may collect information about your interactions with our website, such as your IP address, browser type, operating system, pages visited, and time spent on the Site.
- Cookies and Tracking Technologies: Our Site uses cookies to enhance your experience. Cookies are small files stored on your device that help us understand your usage patterns and preferences.

2. How We Use Your Information

We may use the information we collect in the following ways:

- To improve and personalize your experience on the Site.
- To respond to your inquiries and provide customer support.
- To send newsletters, updates, and promotional materials (if you have opted in to receive them).
- To monitor and analyze usage trends and improve our Site.
- To ensure the security of our Site.

3. Sharing Your Information

We do not sell or rent your personal information to third parties. However, we may share your information:

- With Service Providers: We may share information with third-party vendors who help us operate the Site or provide services on our behalf.
- **Legal Requirements**: We may disclose your information if required by law or in response to legal processes.

4. Security

We use commercially reasonable measures to protect your information from unauthorized access, use, or disclosure. However, no internet transmission or electronic storage is 100% secure, and we cannot guarantee the absolute security of your data.

5. Your Rights

Depending on your location, you may have the following rights regarding your personal data:

- To access, update, or delete the information we hold about you.
- To withdraw consent where we rely on your consent for processing.
- To object to or restrict certain types of processing.

6. Third-Party Links

Our Site may contain links to third-party websites. We are not responsible for the privacy practices of these sites and encourage you to review their privacy policies.

7. Changes to This Privacy Policy

We may update this Privacy Policy from time to time. Any changes will be posted on this page, and the "Effective Date" will be updated accordingly.

8. Contact Us

If you have any questions about this Privacy Policy, please contact us at themericaassociation@gmail.com