

Security Technical and Organizational Measures (TOM) Appendix for SITA Bag Message Airline service schedule

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APPENDIX 2 FOR ANNEX A OF DATA PROTECTION AGREEMENT

1. Purpose

The Security Measures Appendix's purpose is to list all the technical and organizational measures (TOM) implemented by SITA to secure any personal data processed as defined in the Data Processing Agreement (DPA) to which this appendix is attached.

The security measures defined in section 3 implement the requirements of Article 32 of the GDPR and its protection objectives in concrete terms.

The detailed measures apply to the Service.

Evidence of the measures implemented and maintained by SITA may be requested by the Customer.

Relevant references to the respective ISO 27002:2022 controls are attached to each of the measures.

2. Definitions and Explanations

2.1. Explanation of GDPR principles (Art. 5)

Lawfulness, fairness, and transparency: the organization must identify valid grounds to process data, handle it in ways that people would reasonably expect and to inform people about their personal data being processed.

Purpose limitation: the organization must be clear about personal data processing purpose and specify it in privacy information for individuals. Valid ground must be obtained (e.g., consent) in case of new purpose.

Data minimization: the organization must ensure the processed personal data is adequate, relevant and limited to only what is necessary.

Accuracy: the organization must ensure the held personal data is accurate and take responsible steps to correct or erase the data as soon as possible if an inconsistency or error is discovered.

Storage limitation: the organization must not keep personal data for longer than needed and must justify how long is personal data kept, with clear retention periods. Held personal data should be reviewed, erased, or anonymized when no longer needed.

Integrity and confidentiality (security): the organization must ensure to have appropriate security measures in place to protect the held personal data.

Accountability: the organization must take responsibility for what it does with personal data and how it complies with other principles. Measures and records should be available to demonstrate compliance.

2.2. Definitions specific to this Appendix:

AD: means Active Directory which is a Microsoft directory service used for the management of identities' permissions and network access.

AES: means Advanced Encryption Standard which is a U.S. Government-approved cryptographic algorithm that can be used to protect electronic data. The AES algorithm is a symmetric block cipher that can encrypt (encipher) and decrypt (decipher) information.

CAB: means Change Advisory Board which is the managerial instance supporting the assessment, prioritization, authorization, and scheduling of changes.

CCTV: means Closed-Circuit Television which is also known as video surveillance, is the use of video cameras to transmit a signal to a specific place, on a limited set of monitors.

CPU: means Central Processing Unit which is the component of a computer system that controls the interpretation and execution of instructions.

CWE: means Common Weakness Enumeration which is a community-developed list of software and hardware weakness types. It serves as a common language, a measuring stick for security tools, and as a baseline for weakness identification, mitigation, and prevention efforts.

DMZ: means Demilitarized Zone which is a perimeter network that protects and adds an extra layer of security to an internal local-area network from untrusted traffic.

DPA: means Data Processing Agreement which is a legally binding contract that states the rights and obligations of each party concerning the protection of personal data.

DRP: means Disaster Recovery Plan which is a formal document created by an organization containing detailed instructions on how to respond to unplanned incidents such as natural disasters, power outages, cyberattacks and any other disruptive events.

GDPR: means General Data Protection Regulation which is a regulation in EU law on data protection and privacy in the European Union (EU) and the European Economic Area (EEA).

HTTPS: means Hypertext Transfer Protocol Secure which is an internet communication protocol that protects the integrity and confidentiality of data between the user's computer and a website.

IDS: means Intrusion Detection System which is a device or software application that monitors a network or systems for malicious activity or policy violations.

IPS: means Intrusion Prevention System which is a system that can detect an intrusive activity and can also attempt to stop the activity, ideally before it reaches its targets.

ITSM: means IT Service Management tool which is a software solution that helps organisations manage the lifecycle of IT services: provision, tracking changes, managing incidents and requests.

Kerberos is a computer-network authentication protocol that works on the basis of tickets to allow nodes communicating over a non-secure network to prove their identity to one another in a secure manner.

LDAP: means Lightweight Directory Access Protocol which is an open and cross platform protocol used for directory services authentication. LDAP provides the communication language that applications use to communicate with other directory services servers.

MFA: means Multi-Factor Authentication which is an authentication method that requires the user to provide two or more verification factors to gain access to a resource.

OWASP Top 10: means Open Web Application Security Project Top 10, which is a regularly updated report outlining security concerns for web application security, focusing on the 10 most critical risks observed in the industry at the moment of release.

PII: means Personally Identifiable Information which is any information relating to a natural person identified or who can be identified, directly or indirectly, by reference to an identification number or to one or more elements specific to him/her.

RBAC: means Role Based Access Control model which is an approach to handling security and permissions in which roles and permissions are assigned within an organization's IT infrastructure and applications. Access permissions are assigned based on a defined role model. Defined user roles represent a set of work processes within the organization.

RTO: means Recovery Time Objective which is the maximum tolerable length of time that a computer, system, network or application can be down after a failure or disaster occurs.

RPO: means Recovery Point Objective which is the maximum acceptable amount of data loss after an unplanned data-loss incident, expressed as an amount of time.

SAST, DAST and/or SCA: means tools for a secure code review, being a specialized task involving manual and/or automated review of an application's source code to identify security-related vulnerabilities. Static Application Security Testing (SAST) aims at identifying common flaws before compiling a release. Dynamic Application Security Testing (DAST) aims at examining a running build and detect issues such as misconfiguration and error handling. Software Composition Analysis (SCA) is an automated process that identifies vulnerabilities in software libraries and open-source components licenses in a codebase. This analysis is performed to evaluate security, license compliance, and code quality.

Service: means SITA Bag Message Airport.

SIEM: means Security Information and Event Management which supports threat detection, compliance and security incident management through the collection and analysis (both near real time and historical) of logs, allowing to raise alerts based on security events.

SoD: means Segregation of Duties which is the concept of having more than one person required to complete a task. It is an administrative control used by organisations to prevent fraud, sabotage, theft, misuse of information, and other security compromises.

TLS: means Transport Layer Security which is a cryptographic protocol that provides end-to-end security of data sent between applications over a network.

TOMs: means Technical and Organizational Measures which is a Data Privacy annex listing security controls aimed at protecting personal data against accidental or unlawful destruction or accidental loss, alteration, unauthorized disclosure or access, in particular where the processing involves the transmission of data over a network, and against all other unlawful forms of processing.

VPN: means Virtual Private Network which provides a secure, often encrypted connection between two private networks over a public network. A site-to-site VPN is designed to securely connect two geographically distributed sites. A remote access VPN is designed to link remote users securely to a corporate network.

3. Security Technical and Organizational Measures (TOM)

3.1. Global SITA security measures

SITA has implemented security measures that apply to the organization as a whole, and hence to all of SITA's products and services.

Please refer to the following link to have access to these global security measures:

<https://www.sita.aero/globalassets/docs/other/Global-Security-TOMs.pdf>

This link may be updated periodically by SITA, but it shall not be amended in such a way that causes material decrease in security measures applied by SITA under this TOM.

3.2. SITA Bag Message Airline specific security measures

The below security measures are implemented at SITA Bag Message Airline level:

3.2.1. Network security

The below specific network security measures are implemented for the Service:

- Network segmentation: firewall segmentation is implemented and allows to protect from external traffic by segregating between Tier 1 (DMZ tier) and Tier 2 (trusted tier); there is also an internal segmentation implemented between the different subnets,
- Firewall: server-based firewalls are implemented both for internal traffic and external traffic; edge firewalls are also in place,
- Intrusion Prevention Systems (IPS) and Intrusion Detection Systems (IDS): IPS and IDS are implemented relying on edge firewalls capabilities,
- VPN: any remote access to the network devices or actual servers within the datacentre is performed through VPN and multi-factor authentication,
- Network devices hardening: hardening activities are performed and rely on both recommendations from the editors and SITA CISO recommendations,
- Network authentication: network authentication relies on protocols such as Kerberos and LDAP/Active Directory.

References	
Related ISO/IEC 27002:2022 controls	08.20. Networks security; 08.21. Security of network services; 08.22. Segregation of networks
Related GDPR principles	Integrity and confidentiality (security)

3.2.2. Operational security

The below specific operational security measures are implemented for the Service:

- Vulnerability management: a vulnerability management procedure is documented and implemented,
 - Network Vulnerability scans are run on a quarterly basis; penetration tests are performed every quarter; SITA security team includes, in addition to its vulnerability watch and scan results, vulnerabilities from vendors notifications in its vulnerability management process; all vulnerabilities are assessed and tracked using a ticketing tool for change implementation,
- Patch management: a patch management procedure is documented and implemented,
 - All patches are tested in non-production before being deployed in production,
- Change management: a change management procedure is documented and implemented,
 - An ITSM tool is used to track all changes; all changes go through the CAB process,

- Capacity management: a capacity management process is documented and implemented,
 - ▶ Monitoring tools are used to assess and alert on any capacity issues on network equipment and servers such as CPU, memory utilization and resource utilization,
- System operating procedures: system operating procedures are documented,
- Logging and monitoring: system and authentication events are logged,
 - ▶ A SIEM is implemented to analyse the logs and raise security alerts on system/infrastructure level,
 - ▶ Logs are stored segregated from the production environment
 - ▶ The log retention period is 30 days,
 - ▶ SITA shall delete all log without further notice to Customer within 10 days following the end of the configured log retention period,
 - ▶ Once the retention duration is reached, logs are automatically deleted.

References	
Related ISO/IEC 27002:2022 controls	05.37. Documented operating procedures; 08.06. Capacity management; 08.07. Protection against malware; 08.08. Management of technical vulnerabilities; 08.15. Logging; 08.16. Monitoring activities; 08.32. Change management
Related GDPR principles	Integrity and confidentiality (security)

3.2.3. Information protection

The below specific information protection security measures are implemented for the Service:

- Data classification: all the Customer's data processed and stored in the Service are classified as GDPR confidential data,
- Secured information exchange / data in transit encryption: data are transmitted encrypted; HTTPS TLS 1.3 is enabled,
- Information deletion: a data retention policy is documented and implemented:
 - ▶ The data retention period is set to 30 days,
 - ▶ SITA shall delete all data without further notice to Customer within 10 days following the end of the 30-day data retention period,
 - ▶ Note: PII is not stored except for message sending failure. In the case of message sending failure, PII is retained and deleted as set out above.

References	
Related ISO/IEC 27002:2022 controls	05.12. Classification of information; 05.14. Information transfer; 08.10. Information deletion; 08.12. Data leakage prevention; 08.24. Use of cryptography
Related GDPR principles	Data minimization; Accuracy; Storage limitation; Integrity and confidentiality (security)

3.2.4. Access control and authentication

The below specific access control and authentication security measures are implemented for the Service:

- Authentication: password policy and complexity rules are documented and implemented,
 - ▶ The application has a configuration for number of failed logins attempts after which the account would be locked; the password expiration time is set to 30 days; a RBAC model is implemented with 3 user levels,
- Multi-factor authentication: an MFA is implemented for VPN authentication,
- Protection of authentication information: passwords are stored securely, and user and password maintenance are only accessible to authorized SITA admins,

- ▶ Passwords are stored encrypted (AES-256),
- Restricted access to source code: access to source code is restricted using the implemented RBAC model,
- Segregation of duties (SoD): segregation of duties is implemented,
 - ▶ SoD is enforced with the defined three user levels; only administrator users have access rights to create and modify configuration data; access approver is the system owner and access implementer is the system administrator.

References	
Related ISO/IEC 27002:2022 controls	05.15. Access control; 05.17. Authentication information; 05.18. Access rights; 08.02. Privileged access rights; 08.03. Information access restriction; 08.04. Access to source code; 08.05. Secure authentication
Related GDPR principles	Integrity and confidentiality (security)

3.2.5. Application security

The below specific application security measures are implemented for the Service:

- Secure coding: a secure coding policy is documented and implemented,
 - ▶ A secure coding checklist is used including scans and contractual requirements with third parties; peer code reviews are performed; at each new release, SAST, DAST and/or SCA tools are used to check against vulnerabilities in the code (OWASP Top 10, CWE Top 25),
- Vulnerability scanning: vulnerability scans are performed before each release.

References	
Related ISO/IEC 27002:2022 controls	08.26. Application security requirements; 08.27. Secure system architecture and engineering principles
Related GDPR principles	Purpose limitation; Data minimization; Storage limitation

3.2.6. Service resilience

The below specific service resilience security measures are implemented for the Service:

- Data backup: a backup policy and a backup process are implemented,
 - ▶ Configuration backups are performed daily,
 - ▶ Data backup retention period is set to 30 days,
 - ▶ SITA shall delete all backup data without further notice to Customer within 10 days following the end of the 30-day data retention period,
 - ▶ Data purging is automatically performed through a dedicated script as soon as the backup data retention period is reached,
 - ▶ A monitoring process is in place to ensure the purging process is properly triggered,
- Data backup protection: backups are segregated from the production environment,
- Systems redundancy: active / passive redundancy is in place for infrastructure to ensure high availability,
- Disaster recovery plan (DRP): a backup and restore plan is implemented,
 - ▶ Staging environment is used for disaster recovery, a second datacentre is implemented and ready for disaster recovery purpose,
- Crisis management: crisis management and major incidents processes are documented and implemented, with dedicated communication paths and escalation process.

References	
Related ISO/IEC 27002:2022 controls	08.13. Information backup; 08.14. Redundancy of information processing facilities
Related GDPR principles	Storage limitation; Integrity and confidentiality (security)

3.2.7. Cloud security

The below specific cloud security measures are implemented for the Service:

- Datacentre access restriction: a cloud security policy is in place with strict restrictions implemented,
 - 24/7 support; remote camera monitoring backed by digital recordings, with retention that meets industry standards; CCTV integrated with access controls to provide event-driven capability; smart-card readers with biometric access authentication technology; secured cabinets and cages; compliance and auditing programs; visitor identity and authorization
- Cloud infrastructure redundancy: all the devices (including switches, firewalls and load balancers) hosted in the datacentre have Active/Passive failover,
- Cloud backup recovery testing: cloud backups recovery tests are performed once a year; Recovery Time Objective (RTO) is set to 24 hours; Recovery Point Objective (RPO) is set to 15 minutes.

References	
Related ISO/IEC 27002:2022 controls	05.23 Information security for use of cloud services; 08.14 Redundancy of information processing activities
Related GDPR principles	Integrity and confidentiality (security)

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