THE INTEGRATED APPROACH

CB | Web Design **POPIA**: **Data Protection Policy**, **Procedures & Manual Effective Date**: 1 September 2025

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1. Introduction

The Integrated Approach, including its division CB | Web Design, ("the Company") is committed to ensuring compliance with the Protection of Personal Information Act (Act 4 of 2013) ("POPIA"). This policy outlines our commitment to protecting personal information in accordance with POPIA.

2. Definitions

Personal Information: Information relating to an identifiable, living, natural person, and juristic person.

Data Subject: The individual or company to whom personal information relates.

Responsible Party: The Company, which determines the purpose of processing personal information.

Operator: A person who processes information on behalf of the Responsible Party.

3. Purpose of Processing Personal Information

We process personal information to:

Provide, manage and improve services (including CB | Web Design services).

Contact our clients, suppliers, and service providers.

Marketing, transaction processing, and regulatory compliance.

4. Types of Personal Information Collected

May include:

Names, contact details (email, telephone, address).

Company details, VAT/registration numbers.

Demographic information, website analytics.

Project/job information, payment/transaction details.

Any other information necessary for providing services.

5. Legal Basis for Processing

We process personal information:

With the consent of the Data Subject.

To fulfil contractual obligations.

To comply with legal requirements.

When it is in our legitimate interests.

6. How Information Is Collected

Website forms (including theintegrated.co.za, celmabrummer.com)

Direct email/telephonic contact

Contracts/quotations/proposals

Invoices, payment gateways

Third-party referrals

7. How Information Is Stored

Secure cloud platforms (with password access)

Secure on-premises computers/devices

Password-protected internal databases or folders

Encrypted backup solutions

Physical and digital security measures are in place and reviewed annually.

8. Disclosure and Sharing of Information

Personal information is *never* sold. It is shared only to the extent necessary, e.g.:

To personnel and service providers, strictly for administrative/fulfillment purposes.

With consent, or as required by law.

9. Data Subject Rights

Data Subjects have the right to:

Access their personal information.

Request correction, deletion, or destruction of their data.

Object to processing.

Withdraw consent at any time.

Request Procedure: Requests can be submitted to <u>celma@theintegrated.co.za</u> or via the web forms. Requests are processed per PAIA guidelines, within indicated statutory timeframes.

10. Information Officer

Name: Celma Brummer Contact: celma@theintegrated.co.za | +27 72 612 6580

The Information Officer is responsible for:

Ensuring data protection and legal compliance.

Processing any requests regarding personal information.

Training staff and conducting audits.

11. Information Security Measures

Staff training on POPIA

Password-protected files/folders

Regular password updates

Internal access controls and permissions

Use of reputable security software/firewalls

Backups and recovery protocols

12. Data Retention

Data is retained as required by law, tax, or contractual need.

When no longer required, information is securely deleted or destroyed.

13. Data Breach Procedure

Any suspected data breach will be:

Reported immediately to the Information Officer.

Investigated and contained.

Data subjects and, if required, the Information Regulator will be notified.

Records of the breach and remedial actions will be kept.

14. Direct Marketing

Personal information is used for direct marketing only with consent. Data subjects can opt out at any time by emailing celma@theintegrated.co.za or clicking unsubscribe links where available.

15. Updating of Policy

This policy is reviewed annually and updated as required.

16. Complaints

Complaints regarding the processing of personal information can be submitted to:

Information Officer: celma@theintegrated.co.za

Or, if unsatisfied, the South African Information

Regulator: Email: POPIAComplaints@inforegulator.org.za

17. POPIA Manual Management

This document is the current manual and is available for perusal on request, or via our websites.

18. Approval and Version Control

Versio n	Date	Responsible	Comments
1.0	1 September 2025	Celma Brummer	Initial Publication

Attachments

PAIA Manual (already available, reviewed for alignment with this policy)
Staff Declaration (sample): I have read and understood the POPIA Manua
and will comply with its provisions.

Name:	Signature:	Date:
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