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WHATSAPP GROUP RULES, LIMITATION OF LIABILITY, AND DISCLAIMER

Intended Purpose

This WhatsApp group was established for the intended purpose specified in the Group Description.

Opt In and Opt Out

- By joining this group or continuing to be a participant of this group, you confirm that
 you have voluntarily provided your own personal information to this group (including
 but not limited to your mobile phone number, name, profile picture, and any other
 information that you make visible to this group) and that you agree and wish to be a
 participant who wants to achieve the intended purpose.
- You acknowledge that you are an authorised person who has the right to be a participant of this group.
- Furthermore, you confirm that you have read and agree with CAP's External Privacy Statement found on the CAP website: https://capcommunity.co.za/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/Website-Ts-Cs.pdf
- Lastly, you are aware that you may opt out of this group at any time by leaving the group.





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General Rules

- All participants of the group are considered to be Responsible Parties in terms of POPIA, and each participant must process information accordingly. Each participant is responsible for his/her own behaviour.
- Personal information and/or confidential information must not be processed on WhatsApp; the exceptions to this are as follows:
- The personal information that each user agrees to share about himself/herself in a chat or group (for example, the user's name, contact number, picture, and location information).
- Conversation not related to achieving the intended purpose is prohibited.

Administrator Rights

- Administrators reserve the right to remove participants who breach these rules or whose conduct is deemed inappropriate without prior notice.
- Administrators are not obligated to monitor all content but may intervene when necessary.

Prohibited Conduct

- Participants may not share unlawful, offensive, discriminatory, defamatory, or harmful content.
- Spam, advertising, chain messages, or unauthorised solicitation are strictly prohibited.



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- Misinformation, hoaxes, or unverified claims (including about AI, technology risks, or security) may not be shared without confirmation from reliable and verified sources.
- All participants must comply with POPIA, WhatsApp's Terms of Service, and the laws of South Africa.

Technology & Security Rules

- WhatsApp is owned and operated by Meta Platforms, Inc., and CAP does not control its technology, privacy features, or security systems.
- Participants are responsible for enabling and managing their own WhatsApp security and privacy settings, including features such as "Advanced Chat Privacy" (if available on their device).
- CAP and Administrators cannot guarantee the security of information shared on WhatsApp, as the platform is operated by a third party.
- Participants should remain vigilant against phishing, scams, or misleading warnings regarding WhatsApp and Al. Always verify claims before circulating.

No Endorsement

- All opinions and views expressed by participants are their own and do not represent those of CAP.
- CAP makes no warranty as to the accuracy, reliability, or completeness of any information shared within this group.



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Intellectual Property

• Participants must not share content that infringes on the copyright, trademark, or intellectual property rights of others.

Limitation of Liability

- CAP and any of the Administrators of this group will not be liable, whether in contract or in delict, for any reason whatsoever, in relation to this group.
- All participants hereby indemnify and agree to hold CAP and all Administrators harmless against any claim of whatsoever nature which may be brought against CAP and any Administrator by any party at any time in relation to this group.
- Under no circumstances shall CAP or any Administrator be liable whatsoever for any indirect or consequential loss or damage, or for loss of profits which a participant may sustain (whether or not such loss or damage was foreseen at the time of entry into this group).

Termination

• CAP and the Administrators reserve the right to suspend or terminate this group, in whole or in part, at any time without notice.

Disclaimer

All information in this group is private and confidential and is meant solely for the
intended participants. If you have been invited to the group in error and you are not
an intended recipient, please notify the sender and remove the invitation and all



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information that is in your possession immediately. Use of any information by an unintended recipient is strictly prohibited.

Governing Law

These rules are governed by the laws of the Republic of South Africa. Any disputes shall fall within the jurisdiction of South African courts.

WhatsApp Group Privacy & Security Advisory

Why this matters

Your privacy and safety are important to us. While this group is managed by CAP, it operates on WhatsApp, which is owned by Meta. CAP cannot control WhatsApp's technology, so it's important that you take steps to protect your own information.

What You Should Do

1. Check Your Privacy Settings

- Open the chat or group.
- Tap the name at the top.
- Scroll down and enable Advanced Chat Privacy (if available on your device).

2. Be Careful What You Share

- Only share information you are comfortable making visible to other members.
- Avoid posting personal documents, ID numbers, or financial details.



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3. Verify Before Sharing

- Do not forward unverified warnings, chain messages, or "Al alerts" without checking first.
- If in doubt, confirm through official CAP channels or trusted sources.

4. Stay Alert Against Scams

- Watch out for unknown links, fake giveaways, or suspicious requests for money.
- Report anything suspicious directly to the group administrators.

What's Not Allowed in This Group

- Hate speech, offensive, or harmful content
- Spam, advertising, or chain messages
- Unverified or misleading information (including about AI and privacy)
- Sharing of other people's personal information without consent

Important Reminder

- WhatsApp is a third-party platform. CAP cannot guarantee 100% privacy or security of information shared here.
- Protect yourself by using WhatsApp's security features and being mindful of what you post.