# Monitoring by SecurityScorecard Badge Program Terms & Conditions

Monitoring by SecurityScorecard Badge Program ( "The Program") is an optional program that enterprises may opt into. The program is designed to enable enterprises to display their SecurityScorecard security ratings on their website or application. SecurityScorecard is a security ratings company leveraged by hundreds of enterprises worldwide to rate the security posture of their own IT infrastructure, third- and fourth-parties, as well as business partners.

**Program eligibility and acceptance**
SecurityScorecard will evaluate eligibility and acceptance of applicants based on the following criteria:

- The applicant is an active enterprise with a legitimate business purpose
- The applicant meets SecurityScorecard's business standards, which include but are not limited to being an ethical and non-malicious entity.
- The applicant has a sufficient and validated digital footprint to perform an assessment
- SecurityScorecard may add, change, or remove criteria at its sole discretion

Applicants do not have to be a customer of SecurityScorecard to utilize the badge. SecurityScorecard reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to permit, refuse, amend, or terminate any enterprise from the program without notice. We will approve applicants via email. Once applicants are approved they will become "Members" of the program. Such membership does not confer or imply any relationship (partnership, subsidiary, or any other legal corporate relationship) between Applicants/Members and SecurityScorecard.

**Use of company name in our directory**
As a condition of joining this program, you agree that SecurityScorecard may list your company, logo, related domains, and other non-confidential information in an online directory and represent that you are an authorized signatory party providing a non-exclusive license for use in the event that use of such information is protected by trademark, copyright, or other legal protections. This online directory is designed to enable consumers to verify that your company is, in fact, a member of The Program. The badge on your website or application will link directly to your company page in the directory located on SecurityScorecard.com.

**Use of the "Monitoring by SecurityScorecard Badge"**
Members of the program are permitted to use the "Monitoring by SecurityScorecard" badge specific to their grade-level attainment. SecurityScorecard rates companies based on an easy-to-understand A-F rating scale. At its sole discretion, SecurityScorecardmay work

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with Members to help them understand and improve their organization's score. In addition, we SecurityScorecard may monitor all members' score on an ongoing basis. Furthermore, SecurityScorecard will remove the Member's badge or downgrade their badge to the appropriate grade level if the issues identified are not appropriately and sufficiently resolved, as determined by SecurityScorecard, within 30 days of notification. SecurityScorecard will provide members with the code required to display their badge on their website or application.

## Access to the SecurityScorecard application

For non-paying customers, SecurityScorecard may at its sole discretion provide access to the application to demonstrate the capabilities of the system and better understand how security ratings work. For current SecurityScorecard customers, use of this badge does not affect the terms and conditions of their existing contracts with SecurityScorecard. In the event that provisions within these terms and conditions conflict or appear to conflict with any pre-existing contracts, the existing contract will preempt the terms presented here.

## No warranties or representations; Limitation of Liability

The Programs is provided on an "As Is", "As Available" basis without warranty or representations of any kind, whether express or implied. Applicants and Members of The Program acknowledge and agree that they are ultimately solely responsible for the security and protection of their own data as well as the data of their customers. By using this badge you acknowledge that The Program and SecurityScorecard's security ratings are not a guarantee against breach, data loss, or other harm. You also agreed to indemnify and hold SecrityScorecard harmless against any claims that may arise out of the use of the "Monitoring by SecurityScorecard Badge" or membership in the program. SECURITYSCORECARD SHALL NOT BE LIABLE TO THE OTHER FOR ANY SPECIAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, INCIDENTAL, PUNITIVE, OR INDIRECT DAMAGES ARISING FROM OR RELATING TO ANY BREACH OF THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY SECURITY EVENTS OR INCIDENTS SUFFERED BY THE MEMBER/APPLICANT, REGARDLESS OF ANY NOTICE OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES.

## Notice to consumers

While SecurityScorecard makes reasonable efforts to improve the accuracy of its platform at its sole discretion, computer security is a highly complex and evolving field where risk can be mitigated but not eliminated. Consumers should not infer that the use of this badge provides an absolute protection against theft or loss of their data while engaged with a Member company. Furthermore, SecurityScorecard makes no representations or warranties about the security of any product, service, or company utilizing this badge. By the nature of its ethically-sourced and publicly available data collection methods, the ratings provided by the platform only reflect a Member's company adherence to a limited set of cybersecurity best practices and procedures. As referenced in the provision above, Member companies are solely responsible for maintaining security controls, monitored and not monitored by the platform.

For questions on The Program or to make any additional inquiries please contact us at badge@securityscorecard.com.