

Data Protection Regulations

Declaration on data protection and data security

§ 1. Principle

ETTF supports the protection of the privacy of the users of this website. Personal data will only be used in accordance with the following declaration on data protection and data security (Privacy Policy).

Data processing is carried out by the website operator. His contact details can be found in the imprint of the website.

§ 2. Data protection

(1) In connection with the access of users, this server temporarily stores data for the purpose of data security, which may allow identification (e.g. IP address, date, time and accessed files). With the exception of statistical purposes in anonymised form, data is not evaluated. Insofar as cookies are used, these are only used to ensure rational and convenient operation of the offer and a general, non-personal statistical evaluation.

(2) ETTF collects personal data (such as name, address or e-mail address) only with the consent of the users. It is pointed out that in the case of entries in the forums and comparable areas, it must be expected that personal data with keywords of your contribution will be recorded in search engines and will be accessible worldwide even without a specific call to this website.

Other data is automatically collected by our IT systems during visits. These are mainly technical data (e.g. internet browser, operating system, time of day).

(3) Part of the data is collected to ensure that the website is provided without errors. Other data can be used to analyse user behaviour.

(4) Users have the right to request information free of charge about the personal data stored about them. In addition, they have the right to correct, block and delete this personal data in accordance with the statutory provisions.

(5) This is a commercial website on which a variety of business transactions are conducted. In connection with these transactions, data will be stored in accordance with the legal regulations to make these transactions traceable.

§ 3. Data security/compulsory information

(1) The operators of these pages take the protection of your personal data very seriously. We treat your personal data confidentially and in accordance with the legal data protection regulations and this data protection declaration.

When you use this website, various personal data is collected. Personal data is data with which you can be personally identified. This privacy policy explains what data we collect and what we use it for. It also explains how and for what purpose this is done.

We would like to point out that data transmission on the Internet (e.g. communication by e-mail) can have security gaps. A complete protection of data against access by third parties is not possible.

(2) The person responsible for data processing on this website is

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Responsible party is the natural or legal person who, alone or jointly with others, decides on the purposes and means of processing personal data (e.g. names, e-mail addresses, etc.).

You can reach our data protection officer at the above address or at e-mail address datenschutzbeauftragter@gdholz.de.

(3) Many data processing operations are only possible with your express consent. You can revoke any consent already given at any time. For this purpose, an informal notification by e-mail to us is sufficient. The legality of the data processing carried out up to the time of revocation remains unaffected by the revocation.

(4) For security reasons and to protect the transmission of confidential content, such as orders or inquiries that you send to us as the site operator, this site uses SSL or TLS encryption. You can recognize an encrypted connection by the fact that the address line of the browser changes from "http://" to "https://" and by the lock symbol in your browser line.

If the SSL or TLS encryption is activated, the data that you transmit to us cannot be read by third parties.

(5) Within the framework of the applicable statutory provisions, you have the right to obtain information free of charge at any time about your stored personal data, its origin and recipients and the purpose of the data processing and, if applicable, a right to correct, block or delete this data. For this purpose, as well as for further questions regarding personal data, you can contact us at any time at the address given in the imprint.

§ 4. Data collection on our website

(1) The Internet pages partly use so-called cookies. Cookies do not damage your computer and do not contain viruses. Cookies serve to make our offer more user-friendly, effective and safer. Cookies are small text files that are stored on your computer and saved by your browser.

Most of the cookies we use are so-called "session cookies". They are automatically deleted at the end of your visit. Other cookies remain stored on your terminal device until you delete them. These cookies enable us to recognize your browser the next time you visit us.

You can set your browser so that you are informed about the setting of cookies and allow cookies only in individual cases, exclude the acceptance of cookies for certain cases or generally, and activate the automatic deletion of cookies when closing the browser. If you deactivate cookies, the functionality of this website may be limited.

Cookies, which are necessary for the electronic communication process or for the provision of certain functions you require (e.g. shopping basket function), are stored on the basis of Art. 6 Para. 1 lit. f DSGVO. The website operator has a legitimate interest in the storage of cookies for the technically error-free and optimised provision of his services. Insofar as other cookies

(e.g. cookies for analysing your surfing behaviour) are stored, these are treated separately in this data protection declaration.

(2) The provider of the pages automatically collects and stores information in so-called server log files, which your browser automatically transmits to us. These are:

Browser type and browser version
Operating system used
Referrer URL
Host name of the accessing computer
Time of the server request
IP address

This data is not merged with other data sources. The basis for data processing is Art. 6 para. 1 letter b DSGVO, which permits the processing of data for the fulfilment of a contract or pre-contractual measures.

(3) If you send us enquiries via the contact form, your details from the enquiry form, including the contact data you provide there, will be stored by us for the purpose of processing the enquiry and in the event of follow-up questions. We will not pass on this data without your consent.

The processing of the data entered in the contact form is thus exclusively based on your consent (Art. 6 para. 1 lit. a DSGVO). You can revoke this consent at any time. For this purpose, an informal notification by e-mail to us is sufficient. The legality of the data processing operations carried out up to the time of revocation remains unaffected by the revocation.

The data you enter in the contact form will remain with us until you request us to delete it, revoke your consent for storage or the purpose for which the data was stored no longer applies (e.g. after your request has been processed). Mandatory legal provisions - in particular retention periods - remain unaffected.

(4) You can register on our website to use additional features on the site. We will only use the data entered for this purpose for the purpose of using the respective offer or service for which you have registered. The mandatory data requested during registration must be provided in full. Otherwise we will refuse the registration.

For important changes, such as changes to the scope of the offer or technically necessary changes, we will use the e-mail address provided during registration to inform you in this way.

The processing of the data entered during registration is based on your consent (Art. 6 para. 1 lit. a DSGVO). You can revoke any consent you have given at any time. All you need to do is send us an informal notification by e-mail. The legality of the data processing already carried out remains unaffected by the revocation.

The data collected during registration is stored by us for as long as you are registered on our website and is then deleted. Legal retention periods remain unaffected.

(5) If you would like to receive the newsletter offered on the website, we need an e-mail address from you as well as information that allows us to verify that you are the owner of the

e-mail address provided and that you agree to receive the newsletter. Further data will not be collected or only on a voluntary basis. We use these data exclusively for sending the requested information and do not pass them on to third parties.

The data entered in the newsletter registration form will be processed exclusively on the basis of your consent (Art. 6 para. 1 lit. a DSGVO). You can revoke your consent to the storage of the data, the e-mail address as well as its use for sending the newsletter at any time, for example by using the "unsubscribe" link in the newsletter. The legality of the data processing operations already carried out remains unaffected by the revocation.

The data you provide us with for the purpose of subscribing to the newsletter will be stored by us until you unsubscribe from the newsletter and deleted after you cancel the newsletter. Data that has been stored by us for other purposes (e.g. e-mail addresses for the member area) remains unaffected by this.

§ 5. Plug-ins & Tools

(1) This website also uses Google Analytics, a web analysis service of Google Inc. ("Google"). Google Analytics uses "cookies", which are text files placed on your computer, to help the website analyze how users use the site. The information generated by the cookie about your use of this website is usually transferred to a Google server in the USA and stored there. However, in the event that IP anonymisation is activated on this website, your IP address will be shortened by Google within member states of the European Union or in other signatory states to the Agreement on the European Economic Area before this happens. Only in exceptional cases will the full IP address be transferred to a Google server in the USA and shortened there. On behalf of the operator of this website, Google will use this information to evaluate your use of the website, to compile reports on the website activities and to provide further services to the website operator in connection with the use of the website and the Internet. The IP address transmitted by your browser within the scope of Google Analytics is not combined with other data from Google. You may refuse the use of cookies by selecting the appropriate settings on your browser, however please note that if you do this you may not be able to use the full functionality of this website. You can also prevent the collection of the data generated by the cookie and related to your use of the website (including your IP address) to Google and the processing of this data by Google by downloading and installing the browser plug-in available at the following link (<http://tools.google.com/dlpage/gaoptout?hl=de>)

For more information on terms of use and data protection, please visit <http://www.google.com/analytics/terms/de.html> or <https://www.google.de/intl/de/policies/>. We would like to point out that on this website Google Analytics has been extended by the code "gat. anonymizeIp();" in order to guarantee an anonymized collection of IP addresses (so-called IP-Masking).

(2) This website uses social plugins ("plugins") of the social network facebook.com, which is operated by Facebook Inc, 1601 S. California Ave, Palo Alto, CA 94304, USA ("Facebook"). The plugins can be recognized by one of the Facebook logos (white "f" on blue tile or a "thumbs up" sign) or are marked with the addition "Facebook Social Plugin".

The list and appearance of the Facebook Social Plugins can be viewed here: <http://developers.facebook.com/plugins>.

If you call up a website of our Internet presence that contains such a plugin, your browser establishes a direct connection with the Facebook servers. The content of the plugin is transmitted by Facebook directly to your browser, which integrates it into the website. We therefore have no influence on the extent of the data that Facebook collects with the help of this plugin and therefore inform you according to our state of knowledge:

By integrating the plugins, Facebook receives the information that you have called up the corresponding page of our website. If you are logged in to Facebook, Facebook can assign the visit to your Facebook account. If you interact with the plugins, for example by clicking the Like button or making a comment, the corresponding information is transmitted directly from your browser to Facebook and stored there. If you are not a member of Facebook, it is still possible for Facebook to find out and save your IP address.

For the purpose and scope of data collection and the further processing and use of the data by Facebook, as well as your rights and setting options for protecting your privacy, please refer to Facebook's privacy policy: <http://www.facebook.com/policy.php>.

If you are a Facebook member and do not want Facebook to collect data about you via our website and link it with your membership data stored on Facebook, you must log out of Facebook before visiting our website.

It is also possible to block Facebook social plugins with add-ons for your browser, for example with the "Facebook Blocker".

(3) This offer uses the buttons of the Twitter service. These buttons are provided by Twitter Inc, 795 Folsom St., Suite 600, San Francisco, CA 94107, USA. They are recognizable by terms such as "Twitter" or "follow", associated with a stylized blue bird. With the help of the buttons it is possible to share a post or page of this offer on Twitter or follow the provider on Twitter.

When a user calls up a web page of this website that contains such a button, his browser establishes a direct connection with the servers of Twitter. The content of the Twitter button is transmitted by Twitter directly to the user's browser. The provider therefore has no influence on the extent of the data that Twitter collects with the help of this plugin and informs the users according to its state of knowledge. According to this, only the IP address of the user the URL of the respective website is transmitted when the button is obtained, but not used for any other purpose than the display of the button. Further information on this can be found in the Twitter privacy policy at <http://twitter.com/privacy>.

(4) Our website uses the "+1" button of the social network Google Plus, which is operated by Google Inc, 1600 Amphitheatre Parkway, Mountain View, CA 94043, United States ("Google"). The button can be recognized by the sign "+1" on a white background.

If you call up a website of our Internet presence that contains such a button, your browser establishes a direct connection with the servers of Google. The content of the "+1" button is transmitted by Google directly to your browser and integrated by it into the website. We therefore have no influence on the extent of the data that Google collects with the button, but we assume that your IP address is also recorded.

The purpose and scope of data collection and the further processing and use of data by Google as well as your rights in this regard and setting options to protect your privacy can be found in

Google's data protection information on the "+1" button:
<http://www.google.com/intl/de/+/policy/+1button.html>.

If you are a Google Plus member and do not want Google to collect information about you through our website and link it to your membership information held by Google, you must log out of Google Plus before visiting our website.

§ 6. Contact

(1) If a user is of the opinion that ETTF has violated this declaration on data protection and data security or if there are any other questions, he can contact the ETTF (goebel@ettf.info).