



## GDPR Privacy Notice for Candidates

### WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS DOCUMENT?

SPTS Technologies Limited (“SPTS”) and its subsidiary entity SPTS Technologies GmbH is committed to protecting the privacy and security of your personal information. SPTS is a wholly owned subsidiary of Orbotech Limited (“Orbotech”), which in turn is wholly owned by KLA Corporation (“KLA”). SPTS, Orbotech and KLA are collectively referred to in this document as “the Group”.

You are being sent a copy of this privacy notice because you are applying for work with us (whether as an employee, worker or contractor). It is to make you aware of how and why your personal data will be used, namely for the purposes of the recruitment exercise, and how long it will usually be retained for. It provides you with certain information that must be provided under the General Data Protection Regulation ((EU) 2016/679) (GDPR).

We may update this notice at any time and such updated notification will be made available to you.

After reading this notice, should you have any questions, please contact Kathryn Stadden in our HR team at:

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United Kingdom  
Tel: +44 1633 414000  
Or by email: [Kathryn.Stadden@Orbotech.com](mailto:Kathryn.Stadden@Orbotech.com)

### DATA PROTECTION PRINCIPLES

We will comply with data protection law and principles, which means that your data will be:

- Used lawfully, fairly and in a transparent way.
- Collected only for valid purposes that we have clearly explained to you and not used in any way that is incompatible with those purposes.
- Relevant to the purposes we have told you about and limited only to those purposes.
- Accurate and kept up to date.
- Kept only as long as necessary for the purposes we have told you about.
- Kept securely.

### THE KIND OF INFORMATION WE HOLD ABOUT YOU

In connection with your application for work with us, we will collect, store, and use the following categories of personal information about you, where we are legally permitted to do so:

- Employment preferences, willingness to relocate, desired salary and how you heard about us.

- The information you have provided to us in your curriculum vitae and covering letter.
- The information you have provided on our application form, including name, title, address, telephone number, personal email address, date of birth, gender, employment history and qualifications.
- Any information you provide to us during an interview.
- For certain roles the information relating to any tests which you have undertaken as part of the application process.

## **HOW IS YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION COLLECTED?**

We collect personal information about candidates from the following sources:

- You, the candidate.
- Recruitment agencies, from which we collect information obtained by them as data controller for the purpose for your application.
- Your named referees, from whom we collect information about your employment history.

## **HOW WE WILL USE INFORMATION ABOUT YOU**

We will use the personal information we collect about you to:

- Assess your skills, qualifications, and suitability for the work or role.
- Carry out background and reference checks, where applicable.
- Communicate with you about the recruitment process.
- Keep records related to our hiring processes.
- Comply with legal or regulatory requirements.

It is in our legitimate interests to collect this information order to decide whether to appoint you since it would be beneficial to our business to appoint someone to that role.

We also need to process your personal information to enter into a contract with you.

Having received your CV and covering letter and/or your application form, we will process that information to decide whether you meet the basic requirements to be shortlisted for the role. If you do, we will decide whether your application is strong enough to invite you for an interview.

If we decide to call you for an interview, we will use the information you provide to us at the interview to decide whether to make you an offer. If we decide to offer you a position, we will then take up references before confirming your appointment.

## **IF YOU FAIL TO PROVIDE PERSONAL INFORMATION**

If you fail to provide information when requested, which is necessary for us to consider your application (such as evidence of qualifications or work history), we will not be able to process your application successfully. For example, if we require references for this role and you fail to provide us with relevant details, we will not be able to take your application further.

## **INFORMATION ABOUT CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS**

We do not envisage that we will process information about criminal convictions. If that changes because you are applying for a particular position where this is required, we will give you another privacy notice to explain what information we need

to obtain, how we obtain it and what we use it for.

## **AUTOMATED DECISION-MAKING**

You will not be subject to decisions that will have a significant impact on you based solely on automated decision-making.

## **DATA SHARING**

We will only share your personal information when necessary for the purposes of processing your application. We will share your personal information with other entities in the Group as part of our regular reporting activities on company performance, in the context of a business reorganisation or Group restructuring exercise, for system maintenance support and hosting of data.

All our third-party service providers and other entities in the Group are required to take appropriate security measures to protect your personal information in line with our policies. We do not allow our third-party service providers to use your personal data for their own purposes. We only permit them to process your personal data for specified purposes and in accordance with our instructions.

## **DATA SECURITY**

We have put in place appropriate security measures to prevent your personal information from being accidentally lost, used or accessed in an unauthorised way, altered or disclosed. In addition, we limit access to your personal information to those employees, agents, contractors and other third parties who have a business need-to-know. They will only process your personal information on our instructions and they are subject to a duty of confidentiality. Details of these measures are available on request.

We have put in place procedures to deal with any suspected data security breach and will notify you and any applicable regulator of a suspected breach where we are legally required to do so.

## **DATA RETENTION**

We will retain your personal information for a period of 6 months after we have communicated to you our decision about whether to appoint you. We retain your personal information for that period so that we can show, in the event of a legal claim, that we have not discriminated against candidates on prohibited grounds and that we have conducted the recruitment exercise in a fair and transparent way. After this period, we will securely destroy your personal information in accordance with our data retention policy or applicable laws and regulations.

If we wish to retain your personal information on file, on the basis that a further opportunity may arise in future and we may wish to consider you for that, we will write to you separately, seeking your explicit consent to retain your personal information for a fixed period on that basis.

## **RIGHTS OF ACCESS, CORRECTION, ERASURE, AND RESTRICTION**

Under certain circumstances, by law you have the right to:

- **Request access to your personal information (commonly known as a “data subject access request”).** This enables you to receive a copy of the personal information we hold about you and to check that we are lawfully processing it.
- **Request correction of the personal information that we hold about you.** This enables you to have any incomplete or inaccurate information we hold about you corrected.
- **Request erasure of your personal information.** This enables you to ask us to delete or remove personal information where there is no good reason for us continuing to process it. You also have the right to ask us to delete or remove your personal information where you have exercised your right to object to processing (see below).
- **Object to processing of your personal information** where we are relying on a legitimate interest (or those of a third party) and there is something about your particular situation, which makes you want to object to processing on this

ground. You also have the right to object where we are processing your personal information for direct marketing purposes.

- **Request the restriction of processing of your personal information.** This enables you to ask us to suspend the processing of personal information about you, for example if you want us to establish its accuracy or the reason for processing it.
- **Request the transfer of your personal information to another party.**

If you want to review, verify, correct or request erasure of your personal information, object to the processing of your personal data, or request that we transfer a copy of your personal information to another party, please contact us.

## QUESTIONS/COMPLAINTS

If you have any questions about this privacy notice, please contact [Kathryn.Stadden@orbotech.com](mailto:Kathryn.Stadden@orbotech.com).

You have the right make a complaint at any time to the organisations named below, although we would ask you to raise any concerns with us in the first instance.

Die Bundesbeauftragte für den Datenschutz und die Informationsfreiheit  
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Website: <http://www.bfdi.bund.de/>

The competence for complaints is split among different data protection supervisory authorities in Germany. Competent authorities can be identified according to the list provided under [https://www.bfdi.bund.de/bfdi\\_wiki/index.php/Aufsichtsbeh%C3%B6rden\\_und\\_Landesdatenschutzbeauftragte](https://www.bfdi.bund.de/bfdi_wiki/index.php/Aufsichtsbeh%C3%B6rden_und_Landesdatenschutzbeauftragte).

## DATA PROTECTION OFFICER

SPTS Technologies GmbH has appointed a Data Protection Officer:

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