

# GDPR Policy – SRL Traffic Systems

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## About Us

We hire, sell, install, and maintain **temporary traffic systems**, including portable signals, CCTV, monitoring equipment, and associated traffic management technology.

We take privacy seriously and handle personal data in line with the **UK GDPR and EU GDPR** requirements.

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## What Personal Data We Collect

### From Customers and Suppliers

- Name and contact details (email, phone, job title)
- Company and site address
- Purchase orders, delivery/collection information
- Payment and invoicing details

### From Site Operations

Depending on the equipment hired, we may also collect:

- Site contact information
- Images/videos captured by mobile CCTV or monitoring equipment
- Equipment usage logs and telemetry (battery, connectivity, system uptime)

**Important:** We only collect operational data where necessary to support safety, security, or agreed monitoring functions.

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## Roles and responsibilities for Data Handling

To ensure personal and sensitive data is handled appropriately throughout the organisation, SRL assigns the following responsibilities:

### All Employees

- Handle personal and sensitive data only when required for their role.
- Follow documented procedures for accessing, storing, transmitting, and deleting data.
- Report any suspected data breach immediately to their line manager and the Data Protection Lead.
- Ensure all physical materials (paper records, printed site sheets, USB drives) are kept secure when not in use.

## Managers & Supervisors

- Ensure team members follow GDPR, company policies, and data-handling procedures.
- Authorise access to systems based on job role and need-to-know.
- Escalate data incidents in line with our incident-response process.

## Data Protection Lead (DPL)

- Oversee compliance with UK GDPR and internal policies.
- Maintain the Record of Processing Activities (ROPA).
- Coordinate Data Protection Impact Assessments where required.
- Act as liaison point for customers, suppliers, and the ICO.

## IT Department

- Implement and maintain technical security controls, including firewalls, endpoint protection, access management, and secure backup.
- Ensure secure configuration of company devices and systems.
- Monitor systems for potential threats and vulnerabilities.

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## Why We Use Your Data

We process personal data for the following purposes:

- **To deliver our services**  
(Equipment hire, installation, removal, maintenance, support)
- **To manage orders and contracts**  
(Quotes, invoices, delivery notes, asset tracking)
- **To ensure site safety and security**  
(Monitoring solutions such as CCTV)
- **To comply with legal requirements**  
(Finance records, insurance, health & safety, incident logs)
- **To improve system reliability and performance**  
(Remote diagnostics and equipment telemetry)
- **To communicate with you**  
(Service updates, scheduled visits, fault notifications)

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## Our Legal Bases

We process data because:

- **It is necessary to deliver our contract with you**
  - **We have a legal obligation** to keep certain records
  - **We have a legitimate interest** in ensuring system safety, security, and business operations
  - **You have given consent**, where required (e.g., marketing emails)
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## CCTV and Monitoring Equipment

If you hire mobile CCTV, REMOS, or similar systems from us:

- You are the **Data Controller** for footage collected at your site
- We act as your **Data Processor** where we provide storage, remote monitoring, or maintenance
- We follow your instructions and provide a Data Processing Agreement (DPA) if required

We do **not** use surveillance data for any purpose other than agreed operational monitoring and safety.

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## Sharing Your Data

We only share personal data with:

- Trusted service providers (IT, hosting, remote monitoring, telematics)
- Payment processors and finance systems
- Delivery partners or subcontractors involved in site work
- Authorities or insurers if legally required (e.g., incident investigations)

We do **not** sell your data.

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## International Transfers

If any of our technology suppliers store data outside the UK/EU, we ensure they use approved safeguards such as:

- UK/EU Standard Contractual Clauses
  - Adequacy decisions
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## Data Retention

We keep data only for as long as necessary:

- Customer & contract records: typically, **6–7 years** (legal/finance requirement)
- Equipment logs/telemetry: usually **3–12 months**
- CCTV footage: normally **7–30 days**, unless required for an investigation

Exact retention can vary depending on safety, insurance, or legal requirements.

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## Security

To protect personal and operational data, we use a layered security approach that includes:

### Network & Infrastructure Protection

- Enterprise-grade **firewalls** with active intrusion prevention.
- Enforced **VPN** for remote administrative access.
- Network segmentation to restrict access to critical systems.

### Device Security

- **All laptops and mobile devices are encrypted** using industry-standard encryption.
- All devices are **password-protected** with minimum-strength requirements and automatic lockouts.
- **Multi-factor authentication (MFA)** is used for key systems and cloud applications.
- **Antivirus/anti-malware** protection is deployed across all endpoints with automatic updates.

### System & Data Access Controls

- Role-based access (RBAC) ensures staff can only access data needed for their job.
- Access rights are reviewed **quarterly** and revoked immediately when staff leave.
- Audit logs are maintained for system and data-access activities.

### Data Storage & Transfer

- Data is encrypted in transit (TLS) and at rest.
- Secure file-transfer methods are used (SFTP, encrypted email, or approved portals).
- Customer data is stored only in approved systems hosted in the UK/EU unless otherwise agreed.

### Business Continuity

- Regular backups of critical systems with secure off-site retention.
  - Disaster recovery procedures tested annually.
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## Your Rights

You can request to:

- Access your data
- Correct inaccurate information
- Delete data (in certain circumstances)
- Restrict or object to processing

To do this, contact: [gdpr@srl.co.uk](mailto:gdpr@srl.co.uk)

You also have the right to contact the **Information Commissioner's Office (ICO)** if you're not satisfied with our response.

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## Cookies & Website Use

Our website may use basic cookies for functionality and analytics. You can manage your cookie preferences in your browser settings.

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## Staff Training and Awareness

All staff receive ongoing data-protection training to ensure compliance with UK GDPR and organisational requirements:

- **Mandatory induction training** for all new employees covering data protection, confidentiality, and secure working practices.
  - **Annual refresher training** for all staff, including updates on new regulations or internal policy changes.
  - **Role-specific training** for employees handling sensitive or high-risk data (e.g., CCTV operators, IT administrators, remote monitoring staff).
  - Periodic **phishing awareness and cybersecurity training** to reinforce secure behaviour.
  - Training records are maintained by HR and reviewed during internal audits.
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## Changes to this Policy

We may update this policy from time to time. Significant changes will be shared on our website or communicated directly where appropriate.

## Revision History

Date	Revision No	Summary
January 2026	1.0	Original draft
March 2026	2.0	Sections added (Roles and responsibilities, IT Security measures, Staff Training and awareness)