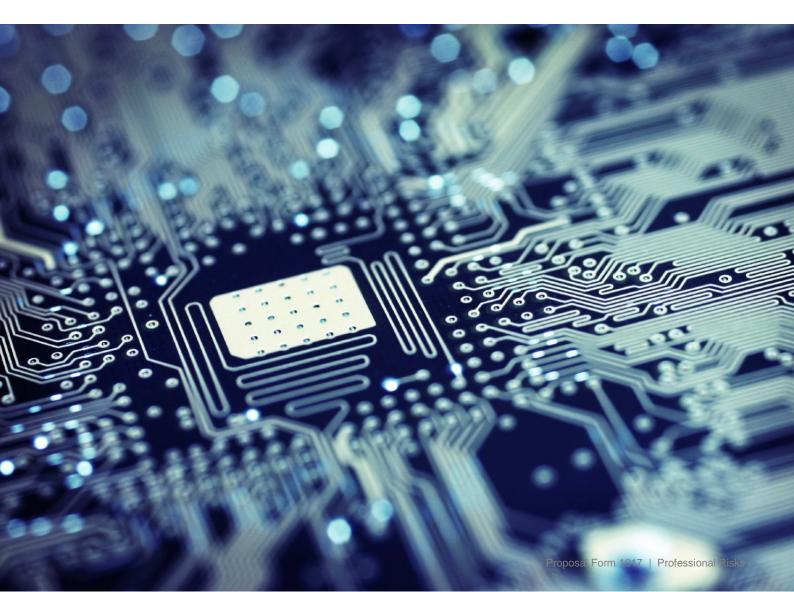


# **Professional Risks**

# Information Technology Proposal Form



# **Important Notice**

This proposal must be completed and signed by a Principal / Partner / Director of the Proposer/s. The person completing and signing the form should be authorised by the Proposer to do so and should make all reasonable enquiries to enable all the questions to be answered.

All questions must be answered to enable a quotation to be given.

Completing and signing this proposal does not bind the Proposers or Insurers to enter a contract of insurance.

# **General** information

#### 1. Please provide the following details (including all trading names and subsidiaries):

Name	Date of establishment
Website address	

#### 2. Address/es, including postcode/s for all subsidiaries:

#### 3. Please supply details of all principals, directors, partners:

Name	Qualifications	How long with the company

#### 4. Please state total numbers of:

Principals, directors, partners	Qualified staff	Administration	Others

# 5. Please state the name of any professional body or trade association of which you are a member:

#### Professional body

#### Trade association

#### 6. Do you currently have a professional indemnity policy in place?

lf Y	<b>'ES</b> , please provide:						
	me of current insurers						
Na	me of your broker						
Re	newal date						
Lin	nit of indemnity						
Pre	emium						
Ex	cess						
Re	troactive date						
7.	Do you or any of your financial interest in an			e any association with o nisation?	r	□ Yes	🗆 No
	<b>'ES</b> , please provide details siness and activities undert		association, toge	ther with the name of the			
8. If \	Do you use consultant ⁄ES:	s / sub-contractors	5?			□ Yes	□ No
а.	What percentage of your	turnover / fee incom	ie was paid to the	em in the last financial yea	ır?		%
b.	What was the nature of th	ne work undertaken?	?				
с.	Do you require cover for	them under this polic	cy?			□ Yes	□ No
d.	Do you require them to ca	arry professional ind	emnity insurance	to a similar limit?		□ Yes	□ No
lf <b>f</b>	<b>IO</b> to 8d, please provide de	etails as to why not:					
9.	Please complete the fo	bllowing:					
a.	Financial year end date	/	/ 20				
b.	Total turnover / fee incom	ne including fee inco	me	Last complete financial year	Current year	Estima coming	

□ No

□ Yes

	£	£	£	
c. Estimated percentage split of your turnover / fee income inclu	iding fee income for:	1	1	
Work carried out for UK clients	%	%		%
Work carried out for US / Canadian clients not subject to US / Canadian law	%	%		%
Work carried out for US / Canadian clients subject to US / Canadian law	%	%		%
Work carried out for clients anywhere else in the world	%	%		%
Operating profit	£	£	£	
d. Do you enter into contracts that are not subject to UK / EU la	N?		l Yes	🗆 No
If <b>YES</b> , please provide details of which countries and jurisdiction:				

# **Business activities**

10. Split of turnover including fees in the last complete financial year. If a new start-up, please anticipate your figures:

Hardware	
Sales of own brand	%
Distribution of other brands	%
Installation	%
Maintenance	%
Software product sales	
Own shrink wrapped / off the shelf software	%
Third party shrink wrapped / off the shelf software	%
Own customisable software	%
Third party customisable software	%
Software services	
Installation including configuration (no code changes)	%
Customisation (including code changes)	%
Developing bespoke applications	%
Maintenance	%
Software	
Consultancy	%
Data processing	%
Cabling	%
Project management	%
Provision of contract staff	%
Facilities management	%
Training	%
Web design	%
Internet / application service provision (excluding web hosting)	%
Web hosting (please provide contract terms and conditions)	%
Telecommunications	%
Other work – details below	
	%
	%
	%
	TOTAL 100%

# 11. If there are activities in question 10 where you have declared no income for the last financial year:

a. Have you undertaken any of these activities in the past?	□ Yes	□ No
b. Do you intend to undertake any of these activities in the future?	□ Yes	□ No
If <b>YES</b> to any of the above, please provide details including nature of activities and income:		

# 12. Please give details of your three largest contracts in the last five financial years (give details of current projects if new start-up):

Largest contract:	
Start and end dates	
Nature of contract	
Name and business of client	
Total contract value	
Income to you	
Second largest contract:	
Start and end dates	
Nature of contract	
Name and business of client	
Total contract value	
Income to you	
Third largest contract:	
Start and end dates	
Nature of contract	
Name and business of client	
Total contract value	
Income to you	

# 13. Is the failure of any of your products or services liable to result in any of the following outcomes:

a.	Loss of life or injury to a person?	□ Yes	□ No
b.	Destruction or damage to physical property?	□ Yes	□ No
C.	Immediate and large financial loss?	□ Yes	□ No
d.	Significant cumulative financial loss?	□ Yes	□ No
e.	Insignificant financial loss (more of a nuisance)?	□ Yes	□ No

If **YES** to a. - d. above, please provide details:

14. Please give details of what you regard as your specialty within the industry, including your main areas of expertise and the essential purpose of any proprietary software licenced and supplied. If you are a new firm, please provide details of your anticipated specialisation:

## 15. Outsourcing services (application hosting, software as a service, online data storage, facilities management and web hosting):

a.	Where you are responsible for hosting and storing third party data, do you comply with the 1998 Data Protection Act?	□ Yes	□ No
b.	Do you have a business continuity plan to eliminate a single point of failure for outsourcing services?	□ Yes	□ No
c.	Do you have a disaster recovery plan?	□ Yes	□ No
lf N	IO to any of the above, please provide details:		

#### 16. Are any of your products or services:

a.	Intended for use in aircraft, watercraft, railway, military or process control equipment?	□ Yes	□ No
b.	Intended for use in nuclear, chemical oil, gas, petrochemical installation?	□ Yes	□ No
c.	Prototypes, experimental or single product items?	□ Yes	□ No
d.	Intended for use in surgical, medical applications?	□ Yes	□ No
e.	Trading systems, eg: financial, gaming?	□ Yes	□ No

# Risk management

17.	Are satisfactory written references obtained from former employers for at least three years prior to the engagement of any employee responsible for money, accounts or goods?	□ Yes	🗆 No
18.	Above what amount do payments require at least a two-stage sign-off?	£	
19.	Do you hold client funds, or do you have client authority to agree and/or effect transfers or payments on their behalf from client funds or accounts?	□ Yes	□ No
lf Y	ES:		
a.	Do you ever act solely on e-mail instructions to transfer funds or make payments from client accounts without taking steps to independently verify the authenticity of the instructions and integrity of any bank account details provided prior to execution?	□ Yes	□ No
b.	Do you undertake to immediately implement procedures to ensure that there is such an independent verification process in place for all future transactions?	□ Yes	□ No
c.	What steps have you taken to ensure that the transaction has been completed successfully?		
20.	When entering into contracts please confirm:		
a.	You carry out work only under your standard contract, signed by every client?	□ Yes	□ No
b.	All contracts are vetted by a legally qualified person before being agreed?	□ Yes	□ No
lf N	<b>O</b> to any of the above, please explain why not:		
21.	When entering into contracts do you always:		

a.	Exclude liability for consequential, special or indirect damages, loss of profits and liquidated	□ Yes	🗆 No
	damages?		

b.	Cap your overall liability at a reasonable level?	□ Yes	□ No
c.	Work to a written specification with your clients outlining the scope of each job?	□ Yes	□ No
d.	Ensure that changes to the scope of work are reflected in a written variation of the contract?	□ Yes	🗆 No
lf N	<b>O</b> to any of the above, please explain why not:		
22.	Do you commit clients to contracts with third parties?	□ Yes	□ No
lf <b>Y</b> the	<b>ES</b> , do you always obtain clients written acceptance of the terms of contracts before committing m?	□ Yes	□ No
lf N	<b>O</b> , please explain why not:		
23.	Has any person for whom insurance is now sought ever been the subject of a disciplinary proceeding taken by any regulatory body, professional organisation or trade association?	□ Yes	□ No
lf Y	ES, please provide details:		
24.	Has any proposal for similar insurance made on your behalf, any predecessor or any past or present principals, directors, partners ever been declined, cancelled, refused or had special terms applied?	□ Yes	□ No
lf Y	ES, please provide details:		
25.	Is there any other information that you consider material to the insurance required?	□ Yes	□ No
	ES, please provide details:		
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### 26. For what limits of indemnity are quotations required?

□ £250,000	□ £500,000	□ £1,000,000
□ £2,000,000	□ £5,000,000	□ £10,000,000

□ Other £\_\_\_\_\_

# **Claims**

## 27. In respect of any of the risks to which this proposal relates:

a.	Has any claim been made (whether successful or not) against you, any predecessor, any past or present principals, directors, partners?	□ Yes	□ No
b.	Has any loss been suffered by you or any predecessor as a result of the dishonesty or malice of any past or present principals, directors, partners, employees or self-employed person?	□ Yes	□ No
lf Y	<b>ES</b> to any of the above, please provide details:		

Date of claim / loss	Brief details of each claim / loss	Total cost of claim / loss paid	Estimated total cost of claim / loss
c. What steps have	been taken to prevent a recurrence?	1	

#### What steps have been taken to prevent a recurrence? c.

### 28. Are you, after full enquiry:

a.		f any circumstance which is likely give rise to a claim or loss against you, any ssor or any past or present principals, directors, partners?	□ Yes	□ No
b.		f any shortcoming in your work for a client which is likely to give rise to a claim against nis includes:	□ Yes	□ No
	i.	A shortcoming known to you, but not your client, which you cannot reasonably put right?		
	ii.	A complaint from your client about your work or anything you have supplied which cannot be immediately resolved?		
	iii.	An escalating level of complaint from your client on a particular project?		
	iv.	A client withholding payment due to you after any complaint?		

#### If YES, please provide details:

29.	Do you have any grounds, after reasonable enquiry, for suspecting that any past or present principal, director, partner, employee or self-employed person has acted dishonestly or maliciously?	□ Yes	□ No
lf Ye	E <b>S</b> , please provide details:		

# Please read this paragraph carefully before signing the declaration

It is essential that every Proposal, when seeking a quotation to take out or renew any insurance, discloses to the prospective Insurers all material facts and information (including all material circumstances) which might influence the judgement of an Insurer in deciding whether to accept the risk and on what terms. The obligation to provide this information continues up until the time that there is a completed contract of insurance. Failure to do so entitles the Insurers, if they so wish, to avoid the contract of insurance from inception and so enables them to repudiate liability thereunder. If you have any doubt as to what constitutes a material fact or circumstance please do not hesitate to ask for advice.

# **Declaration**

On behalf of the Proposer/s, I/we declare that, after full enquiry, the contents of this proposal are true and that I/we have not misstated, omitted or suppressed any material fact or information. If there is any material alteration to the facts and information which I/we have provided or any new material matter arises before the completion of the contract of insurance, I/we undertake to inform the Insurer.

Signature of principal / director / partner:

Date:

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- third party services providers and partners who provide data processing services to us or who otherwise process personal information for purposes that are described in our Privacy Notice or notified to you when we collect your personal information;
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- a potential buyer (and its agents and advisers) in connection with any proposed purchase, merger or acquisition of any part of our business, provided that we inform the buyer it must use your personal information only for the purposes disclosed in our Privacy Notice; or
- any other person with your consent to the disclosure.

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