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# Online-application to open an account

# Individual or joint account with clearing account

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We would like to open a deposit and account for ourselves as a so-called alternative account for trading in securities (both holders individually have the right of representation).

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# 1. Personal information of the economic beneficiaries

# First deposit/account holder

Ms Mr Title:	To be filled out if postal address is different: Street/no.:
Forename:	Additional address:
Surname:	Postcode: Place:
Birth name:	Country:
Date of birth:	Reference account:
Place of birth:	Account holder:
Country of birth:	— IBAN:
Single married registered partnership	Name of the credit institution:
Street/no.:	_
Additional address:	_
Postcode: Place:	_
Country:	
Telephone: Fax:	
Mobile:	
E-Mail:	
Nationality/Nationalities: 🗌 German 🗌 other	
Profession: PEP characteristic <sup>2</sup>	
Freelancer, industry:	_
Identification check	
Type of identification check document <sup>3 4</sup> :	_
Identifier (e.g. ID number):	_
Valid until:	_
Issue date:	_
Issuing authority:	
Issuing country:	

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Freelancer, industry:
<i>Identification check</i> Type of identification check document <sup>3 4</sup> :
Identifier (e.g. ID number):
Valid until:
Issue date:
Issuing authority:
Issuing country:

2 A PEP (Politically Exposed Person) clarification is required for every natural person. Please mark with a cross if you are a member of parliament/diplomat/high-ranking officer in the military/embassies or a member of the management, administration and supervisory bodies of state companies. Please also mark with a cross if you are a family member of a PEP or a close associate of a PEP or have been in the last 12 months.

<sup>3</sup> As personal identify document, passport, birth certificate and diplomatic passport are permitted. <sup>4</sup> If the identification check document has not been issued by Germany, Austria, France, Hungary, Ireland and Luxembourg, please download and fill in the form "Information sheet on determining the national ID" from the Bank's website at https://www.baaderbank.de/Document-Center/Account-and-deposit-opening-for+retail+clients-263.

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To be filled out if postal address is different:

Place:

Street/no.:

Additional address:

Postcode:

Country:

Reference account:

Account holder:

IBAN:

Name of the credit institution:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Toll-free telephone number from the (inter-)national fixed-line network. Calls from other networks may entail charges.

## Second deposit/account holder

Ms Mr Title:
Forename:
Surname:
Birth name:
Date of birth:
Place of birth:
Country of birth:
single married registered partnership
Misc.:
Street/no.:
Additional address:
Postcode: Place:
Country:
Telephone: Fax:
Mobile:
E-Mail:
Nationality/Nationalities: German other
Profession: PEP characteristic <sup>2</sup>
Freelancer, industry:
Identification check
Type of identification check document <sup>3 4</sup> :
Identifier (e.g. ID number):
Valid until:
Issue date:

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Additional address:	
Postcode:	Place:
Country:	
<i>Reference account:</i> Account holder:	
IBAN:	
Name of the credit institution:	

# I/We have, before submitting my/our application to open the securities deposit with clearing account, the opportunity to re-check the data entered by me/us and to correct it if necessary.

I/We declare (as a representative of the account holder(s)) that the information stated in this form is true and complete according to the best of my/our knowledge and belief. I/We hereby undertake to communicate to the Bank any changes in the aforementioned information without delay, at the latest within 14 days.

I/We declare that I am/we are not subject to the US tax obligation. Changes must be communicated to the Bank immediately. Explanations on the US tax obligation can be found in the "Additional information required for accounts held by U.S. persons" at https://www.baaderbank.de/Document-center/Account-and-depostit-management-265. The Bank does not maintain accounts for US taxpayers!

# 2. Relationship with the financial services provider

The agreement on the securities deposit with clearing account (hereinafter referred to as "deposit contract") serves the purpose of rendering services in connection with securities transactions of the deposit/account holder(s) which are the object of a separate agreement between the deposit/account holder(s) and their financial services provider (hereinafter referred to as "financial services provider agreement").

The Bank shall provide information which the Bank has in connection with the execution of securities transactions and management of the deposits and accounts of the deposit/account holder(s), to the financial services provider for the purpose of fulfilling the financial services provider agreement by the financial services provider and for the purpose of inspection by the deposit/account holder(s) in his/their mailbox in the web portal of the financial services pro-

The information provided to the financial services provider as well as to the deposit/account holder(s) (by mail, e-mail or in the customer's web portal at the bank) has a legally binding effect. The financial services provider is thus granted a power of attorney to take delivery. The power of attorney to take delivery expires automatically on cancellation of the power of attorney or termination of the financial service agreement.

The end of the financial services provider agreement has no effect on the contractual relationship between the deposit/account holder(s) and the Bank If and to the extent that this agreement on the subject matter of the contract contradicts the other general or special terms and conditions for the contractual relationship, this agreement has priority

#### 3. Power of attorney

Issuing authority: Issuing country:

The following power of attorney (hereinafter the "Power of Attorney") authorizes the financial services provider in his capacity as investment intermediary (the "investment intermediary") and the Bank to the execution of actions below. The Bank combines client's accounts and deposits into one portfolio (each a "portfolio"). One or more portfolios are in turn assigned to a client reference number.

The power of attorney is granted for the client reference number and applies to all my/our existing and future deposits/accounts under the client reference number to be opened.

#### 3.1 Authorisation of the Bank

I/We hereby consent to and authorise the Bank to continue to collect, process and use my/our deposit/account documents or the information contained therein such as deposit/account excerpts and information that I/we give the Bank as part of managing my/our deposit/account to the investment intermediary named below according to whose strategy my/our deposit/account is managed.

In addition, I/we release the Bank from the obligations of banking secrecy towards the investment intermediary named below.

Second deposit/account holder

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Forename:
Surname:
Birth name:
Date of birth:
Place of birth:
Country of birth:
Single Married registered partnership
Street/no.:
Additional address:
Postcode: Place:
Country:
Telephone: Fax:
Mobile:
E-Mail:
Nationality/Nationalities: German other
Profession: PEP characteristic <sup>2</sup>
Freelancer, industry:
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To be filled out if postal address is different:

Place:

Street/no.:

Additional address:

Postcode

Country:

Reference account:

Account holder

IBAN:

Name of the credit institution:

I/We declare (as a representative of the account holder(s)) that the information stated in this form is true and complete according to the best of my/our

This information is forwarded to the investment intermediary named below and the collection, processing and use of data by the investment intermediary named below for the purpose of enabling the investment intermediary to fulfil the financial services provider agreement concluded between him/her and me/us. In particular, this affects the forwarding of information for account statement purposes and for the coordination of strategy for managing my/our deposits/accounts to my/our investment needs and the best possible implementation of this strategy.

# 3.2 Empowerment of the investment intermediary

Company name:	Postcode: Place:	
Street/no.:	Telephone:	

The investment intermediary is hereby authorised to have access via the respective credit balances and financial instruments to all of my/our deposits/accounts under the same client reference number in the Bank in such a way that he/she is able to issue orders and instructions (dispositions) to the Bank. The following provisions apply to the scope of this empowerment

#### 3.3 Scope of the empowerment of the investment intermediary

#### The power of attorney of the investment intermediary covers the following actions:

- Investing cash balances in securities, undertaking purchases and sales within the securities deposit and enjoying subscription rights, whereby the relevant counter value is to be credited to the associated deposits/accounts;
- Authorisation to receive information relating to securities on behalf of the deposit/account holder(s);
- · The verification and recognition of account statements via the purchase, sale or exchange/regrouping of financial instruments, the verification and recognition of deposit/account excerpts:
- · The verification and recognition of earnings statements and other statements, deposit overdrafts, yield distributions, portfolio summaries with overall and individual assessment of the positions, lists of transactions, overview of interim profits and ordinary income;

### The power of attorney of the investment intermediary does NOT cover the following actions:

- · Carry out dispositions in favour of third parties;
- Carry out dispositions in favour of the representative(s), with the exception of the fees and reimbursement of costs to which the representative(s) is/are contractually entitled (account statement), if such a procedure has been agreed with the deposit/account holder(s). The Bank does not check the accuracy of the representative's/representatives' account statement;
- · Carry out transfers if this is not in direct connection with the actions covered by the power of attorney. The authorised investment intermediary may however arrange such transfers and transfers of securities that are made in favour of the deposit/account holder(s) to his/her/their own deposits/accounts, including at third-party financial institutions, that the deposit/account holder(s) deposited at the Bank as a reference deposit/account;
- Conclusion of loan agreements for the purposes of purchasing financial instruments;
- · Procure proprietorship or ownership of monies or other financial instruments of the deposit/account holder(s);
- Change of the reference deposit/account deposited at the Bank by the deposit/account holder(s);
- Pledge of the deposits/accounts;
- · Granting of substitute powers of attorney or transfer of this power of attorney to third parties.
- · Open additional deposits/accounts;
- · Cancel deposits/accounts

#### 3.4 Other regulations

This power of attorney comes into force with the submission of the complete and signed certificate of power of attorney at the Bank to the Bank and the investment intermediary and applies until the Bank receives revocation

The deposit/account holder(s) may issue a cancellation of the power of attorney at any time to the Bank. If the deposit/account holder(s) issue(s) a cancellation of the power of attorney to the investment intermediary, the deposit/account holder(s) must notify the bank thereof without delay.

In the case of several deposit/account holders, the revocation of power of attorney by one of the deposit/account holders leads to the full extinguishing of this power of attorney against the Bank and the investment intermediary.

Revocation must be made in text form or by email to service@baaderbank.de as well as in text form to the investment intermediary.

The power of attorney does not extinguish with the death of the deposit/account holder(s); it remains in force for the heirs of each deceased deposit/account holder. Should one of several co-heirs revoke the power of attorney, the investment intermediary can only continue to represent the co-heirs who did not revoke his/her/their power of attorney. In this case, the investment intermediary can only still make use of the power of attorney together with the revoking party. The same applies to the Bank empowerment. The Bank can demand that the revoking party identifies himself/herself/themselves as an heir.

#### 3.5 Declarations and acknowledgements of the deposit/account holder(s) and the investment intermediary

The deposit/account holder(s) and the investment intermediary declare and acknowledge

- I am/We are aware that the investment intermediary is not a representative of the Bank and has no power of attorney to make any declarations with the effect for or against it. Accordingly, I/we as deposit/account holder(s) cannot derive any claims against the Bank, regardless of legal grounds, from the activity exercised by the investment intermediary for me/us or any declarations made.
- The Bank is not responsible for nor verifies if, for the purposes of transfers or transfers of securities, the bank details indicated by the deposit/account holder(s) (reference deposit/account) at third-party financial institutions are the same as the deposit/account holder(s); this risk is borne by the deposit/account holder(s). The Bank will exclusively carry out transfers to deposits/accounts of the deposit/account holder(s) at third-party financial institutions to the reference deposit/account filed by the deposit/account holder(s) at the Bank.
- The Bank does not assume any liability for nor verifies if the investment intermediary is entitled to exercise this activity as an investment intermediary. The knowledge and experience of the investment intermediary in financial instrument transactions are assigned to the deposit/account holder(s).
- It has been pointed out that the Bank only executes the transactions made by the investment intermediary and does not provide any advisory services ("execution only" for securities orders and non-consultation services for orders in futures transactions). The Bank is not liable for the violation of any existing information duties of the investment intermediary as part of the clarification of the planned transactions, e.g. of the risk of significant losses.
- The deposit/account holder(s) know(s) that the Bank shall not carry out any controlling operations, in particular with reference to complying with duties of information and obligations to provide clarification. When the investment intermediary grants orders, they are only verified for compliance with this power of attorney.
- The investment intermediary has been commissioned by the deposit/account holder(s). It was not mediated by the Bank.
- · The investment intermediary acknowledges that he/she/they is/are not a representative(s) of the Bank and also does not have any power of attorney to make or accept any declarations for or to the Bank.
- The use of electronic access media (e.g. telephone banking, online banking) by the investment intermediary requires a separate agreement to be concluded between the Bank and the deposit/account holder(s).

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- ("execution only" for securities orders and non-consultation services for orders in futures transactions). The Bank is not liable for the violation of any existing information duties of the investment intermediary as part of the clarification of the planned transactions, e.g. of the risk of significant losses.
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• It has been pointed out that the Bank only executes the transactions made by the investment intermediary and does not provide any advisory services

• The deposit/account holder(s) know(s) that the Bank shall not carry out any controlling operations, in particular with reference to complying with duties of

- I am/We are aware that the revocation of the power of attorney may lead to a termination of the financial services provider contract by the financial services provider /investment intermediary
- We hereby authorise the investment intermediary named above to represent me/us in commercial transactions with the Bank in the scope indicated above
- 4. Information on money laundering prevention according to Section 10 (1) no. 2 of the German Money Laundering Act (Geldwäschegesetz; GwG) and duty of cooperation
- I/we hereby confirm that I/we are acting for my/our own account. I/we shall immediately disclose any changes arising in the course of the business relationship in the compulsory information provided to the Bank (e.g. address, economic beneficiary, nature and purpose of the business relationship). The Bank does not open any accounts on the account of third parties!

# 5. Information on withholding church tax

Church tax on capital gains incurred that is taxed will be automactically withheld as of 1. January 20215 and paid to the tax collecting communities. "Automatically" means that the members if these religous communities no longer need to arrange for their church tax obligations to be met in connection with withholding tax, In order to prepare the automatic deduction of church tax from withhlding tax, the Bank is legally obliged to retrieve the church tax deduction token "Kirchensteuerabzugsmerkmal; KISTAM) once per year from the Federal Central Tax Office (Bundeszentralamt für Steuern; BZSt) that gives information on a person's relligios affiliatin and the applicable church tax rate. The retrieval takes place in the period of 1 September to 31 October of each year During the account opening process, the Bank will automatically make a retrieval to establish the business relationship (initial retrieval). If you would like chruch tax for capital gains incurred that are taxed to be collected not by us, but by your relevant financial office you can dissent to the transfer of your KISTAM (non-disclosure notice). You must submit the non-disclosure notice declaration on an officially provided form to the BZSt that can be found at https://www.formulare-bfinv.de/. For regular tretrieval, the non-disclosure notice declaration must be received by the BZSt by 30 june at the latest. In this case, the BZSt shall block the transfer of your KISTAM until your cancellation for the current and all subsequent retrieval perios (1 September to 31 October of each year). The BZSt is legally obliged to inform your relevant financial office of the state of our request and our adress in the event of a block. The financial office is legally obliged to request you to submit a church tax declaration due to your block.

# 6. Information on the assignment of capital gains to private assets

Capital gains from the assets managed in this account are assigned to my/our private assets.

# 7. Individual bank commercial relationships and commercial principles

# 7.1 Fees

The "Schedule of prices and services" of the Bank and the "Special conditions to the Schedule of prices and services" apply to the fees raised by the Bank. The fees are charged to the clearing account of the deposit/account holder(s).

#### 7.2 Account agreement, billing period, account/deposit communication, annual tax certificate, exercising of voting rights

According to par. 7.1 of the "General Terms of Business", the Bank shall regularly provide each client with an account balancing statement. The Bank does not create any individual tax certificates, merely an annual tax certificate. The Bank does not exercise any voting rights for clients.

#### 7.3 Approval for the use of electronic media for exchanging information

I/We declare I/we understand that all information required of me/us and bank post, i.e. account and deposit excerpts, account balancing statements, account statements, receipts and other communications are transferred to permanent data carriers other than as paper. Should the law strictly require paper or text form, such a requirement remains unaffected. In particular, I/We declare I/we understand that the information and documents in the Bank web portal (https://konto.baaderbank.de) are available free of charge in a separate client P.O. box. I am/We are aware that there is no additional notification by the Bank regarding newly received communications (e.g. by email). I/We will therefore regularly check the P.O. box, at intervals of at least one month, for newly received communications. In addition, the "Conditions governing the use of the Bank's web portal" apply.

In addition, all the above-mentioned information and documents are provided to me/us in our mailbox in the web portal of the financial services provider. The financial services provider will notify me/us about the placement of new information and documents in my/our mailbox in the web portal of the Bank and by email to the email address specified by me

#### 7.4 Exclusion of investment advice, receipt of orders

The Bank fundamentally only executes orders in this deposit/account and does not provide any advice regarding investing in securities. Please note that the Bank shall only receive and accordingly execute orders from the financial services provider on the basis of your consent (see "Account/deposit power of attorney for a financial services provider and for the Bank"). In view of § 71 WpHG, the Bank shall not collect information from you as the client in accordance with § 63 (10), § 64 (3) WpHG or check recommendations/orders that come from the financial services provider in order to verify whether these are appropriate or suitable. There shall be no other warning notice within the meaning of § 63 (10) WpHG on the part of Baader Bank.

The Bank's legal obligations to provide clarification remain unaffected. If the Bank provides the client with sufficient information on the obligations to provide clarification of the German Securities Trading Act (e.g. market commentaries, analyses, etc.), this is not investment advice. If the Bank receives orders to execute securities transactions by the client or its financial services provider within the framework of a power of attorney, this is also not investment advice. and the financial services provider is working in this case as an intermediary for the client or representative.

# 7.5 Exclusion of physical delivery in securities trading

The Bank shall not physically deliver precious metals or other commodities to the securities deposit/account holder in connection with securities transactions

#### 7.6 Collection, processing and use of data

It has been pointed out that the Bank and other Baader group affiliates also automatically collect, process and use my/our data as part of commencing, managing and maintaining the business relationship.

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Church tax on capital gains incurred that is taxed will be automactically withheld as of 1. January 20215 and paid to the tax collecting communities. "Automatically" means that the members if these religous communities no longer need to arrange for their church tax obligations to be met in connection with withholding tax, In order to prepare the automatic deduction of church tax from withhlding tax, the Bank is legally obliged to retrieve the church tax deduction token "Kirchensteuerabzugsmerkmal; KISTAM) once per year from the Federal Central Tax Office (Bundeszentralamt für Steuern; BZSt) that gives information on a person's relligios affiliatin and the applicable church tax rate. The retrieval takes place in the period of 1 September to 31 October of each year During the account opening process, the Bank will automatically make a retrieval to establish the business relationship (initial retrieval). If you would like chruch tax for capital gains incurred that are taxed to be collected not by us, but by your relevant financial office you can dissent to the transfer of your KISTAM (non-disclosure notice). You must submit the non-disclosure notice declaration on an officially provided form to the BZSt that can be found at https://www.formulare-bfinv.de/. For regular tretrieval, the non-disclosure notice declaration must be received by the BZSt by 30 june at the latest. In this case, the BZSt shall block the transfer of your KISTAM until your cancellation for the current and all subsequent retrieval perios (1 September to 31 October of each year). The BZSt is legally obliged to inform your relevant financial office of the state of our request and our adress in the event of a block. The financial office is legally obliged to request you to submit a church tax declaration due to your block.

# 6. Information on the assignment of capital gains to private assets

Capital gains from the assets managed in this account are assigned to my/our private assets.

# 7. Individual bank commercial relationships and commercial principles

# 7.1 Interest

Customers shall receive interest on their clearing account balances in accordance with the following arrangements and the arrangements in the Special Conditions to the List of Prices and Services.

The interest rate is variable and staggered.

The Bank is entitled to adjust the interest rate as well as the interest rate scale in accordance with the conditions on the money and/or capital market, considering the refinancing possibilities by increasing or decreasing it. The Bank will notify the customer in text form about any change in the interest rate and the applicable interest rate scale. The information may also be provided by statement of account. The interest rate change takes effect upon receipt of the information, e.g. posting on the customer's web portal, unless otherwise notified in the information. Interest is calculated daily and credited to the clearing account on the last banking day of the guarter. The interest calculation is based on the day-count convention "actual/360". The interest calculation starts on the calendar day when the amount is credited to the clearing account and ends on the calendar day when the Bank receives the Customer's order to withdraw the balance. Withdrawals in cash are not possible. Withdrawals from the clearing account are only possible in favor of the respective reference account.

# 7.2 Fees

The "Schedule of prices and services" of the Bank and the "Special conditions to the Schedule of prices and services" apply to the fees raised by the Bank. The fees are charged to the clearing account of the deposit/account holder(s).

# 7.3 Account agreement, billing period, account/deposit communication, annual tax certificate, exercising of voting rights

According to par. 7.1 of the "General Terms of Business", the Bank shall regularly provide each client with an account balancing statement. The Bank does not create any individual tax certificates, merely an annual tax certificate. The Bank does not exercise any voting rights for clients.

# 7.4 Approval for the use of electronic media for exchanging information

I/We declare I/we understand that all information required of me/us and bank post, i.e. account and deposit excerpts, account balancing statements, account statements, receipts and other communications are transferred to permanent data carriers other than as paper. Should the law strictly require paper or text form, such a requirement remains unaffected. In particular, I/We declare I/we understand that the information and documents in the Bank web portal (https://konto.baaderbank.de) are available free of charge in a separate client P.O. box. I am/We are aware that there is no additional notification by the Bank regarding newly received communications (e.g. by email). I/We will therefore regularly check the P.O. box, at intervals of at least one month, for newly received communications. In addition, the "Conditions governing the use of the Bank's web portal" apply.

In addition, all the above-mentioned information and documents are provided to me/us in our mailbox in the web portal of the financial services provider. The financial services provider will notify me/us about the placement of new information and documents in my/our mailbox in the web portal of the Bank and by email to the email address specified by me.

#### 7.5 Exclusion of investment advice, receipt of orders

The Bank fundamentally only executes orders in this deposit/account and does not provide any advice regarding investing in securities. Please note that the Bank shall only receive and accordingly execute orders from the financial services provider on the basis of your consent (see "Account/deposit power of attorney for a financial services provider and for the Bank"). In view of § 71 WpHG, the Bank shall not collect information from you as the client in accordance with § 63 (10), § 64 (3) WpHG or check recommendations/orders that come from the financial services provider in order to verify whether these are appropriate or suitable. There shall be no other warning notice within the meaning of § 63 (10) WpHG on the part of Baader Bank.

The Bank's legal obligations to provide clarification remain unaffected. If the Bank provides the client with sufficient information on the obligations to provide clarification of the German Securities Trading Act (e.g. market commentaries, analyses, etc.), this is not investment advice. If the Bank receives orders to execute securities transactions by the client or its financial services provider within the framework of a power of attorney, this is also not investment advice. and the financial services provider is working in this case as an intermediary for the client or representative.

#### 7.6 Exclusion of physical delivery in securities trading

The Bank shall not physically deliver precious metals or other commodities to the securities deposit/account holder in connection with securities transactions.



#### 7.7 Data transmission between Creditreform Boniversum GmbH and the bank

For the purpose of credit and creditworthiness checks, Creditreform Boniversum GmbH, Hammfelddamm 13, 41460 Neuss, transmits your adress and creditworthiness data stored in its database, including score values determined on the basis of mathematical-statistical procedures, provided we have credibly demonstrated our legitimate interest. Address data, among other things, is also used in the calculation of the score value. Further information on the processing of your data by Creditreform Boniversum can be found at: www.boniversum.de/eu-dsgvo

#### 7.8 Recording of telephone conversations and electronic communication

I/We therefore agree to my/our telephone conversations and electronic communication with the Bank being recorded and saved for the purposes of documentation and the constant optimisation of the quality of service the Bank offers. Subject to legal regulations, I/we can at any time refuse the recording of my/our telephone conversations with the Bank. The Bank will save the recorded conversations and electronic communication for five years. In individual cases, on the instructions of the supervisory authorities, the retention requirement can be extended to seven years. I can/we can request the release of a record of my/our conversation from the Bank.

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#### 7.9 Conditions governing the execution of orders

The client wishes to transfer orders (e.g. transfers, account transfers, other orders) to the Bank electronically (by fax or as a scanned order per email). I/We hereby declare that I am/we are aware of the possibility of abuse when transferring orders/instructions placed electronically, e.g. forgery and falsification through shadeless copying, forging signatures and or changes on the original receipt and delays due to possible technical problems. I/We must ensure that no transfer errors, misunderstandings, abuse or other errors arise in my/our area of responsibility in the case of an electronically transferred order. The Bank is unable to verify electronically transferred orders for their accuracy and compliance with the original.

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#### 7.11 Joint accounts with individual right of disposal (alternative account)

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#### 7.12 Classification

Within the framework of this business relationship, the Bank classifies you in general as a retail client pursuant to § 67 (3) German Securities Trading Act (WpHG). If a different classification is desired, the form "Declaration of consent for reclassification of Professional Clients" must be attached. This is available at https://www.baaderbank.de/Customer-Service/Legal-Documents-Baader-Bank-256.

# 7.13 Order execution outside of a regulated market or multi-lateral trading system, limited client orders

I/We hereby confirm that the Bank orders may also be executed offmarket outside of a regulated market or a multi-lateral trading system. In those cases in which limited client orders in shares, admitted for trading on an organized market or traded on a trading venue, cannot be executed immediately due to market conditions, the bank is not obliged to publish these orders with the associated limit. Unless otherwise instructed by the client, the bank will always forward client orders immediately after receipt and verification to a MiFID II trading venue, which complies with the requirements of Article 70 (1) of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/565. In this respect, the disclosure requirement is fulfilled.

#### 7.14 Foreign tax reporting

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I/we have noted the aforementioned Terms and Conditions of Business and Business Principles of the Bank.

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6. Information sheet on deposit protection

The aforementioned terms and conditions and business principles of the Bank (with the exception of the "Special conditions to the Schedule of prices and services") can also be viewed online at https://www.baaderbank.de/Customer-Service/Document-center-start-378 which can also be sent at a later date by email upon request of the client.

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- 6. Information sheet on deposit protection.





# General Terms of Business

# Section 1 - Basic rules governing the relationship 3. Liability of the Bank; contributory liability of the client between the client and the Bank

#### 1. Scope of validity and amendments to these Terms of Business and the special conditions governing individual business relationships

# 1.1 Scope

The General Terms of Business apply to the entire business relationship between the client and the Bank's domestic branches (referred to below as the "Bank"). In addition to this, special conditions govern individual business relationships (e.g. business in securities, payments and savings) which contain differences from or additions to these General Terms of Business: these special conditions are to be agreed with the client at the time an account is opened or when an instruction is given. If the client also has business connections with foreign branches, the banker's lien (par. 14 of these Terms of Business) also safeguards the claims of the foreign branches.

#### 1.2 Changes in dealings with customers who are not consumers

Changes to these Terms of Business and the special conditions are to be offered to the client in text form by no later than two months prior to the proposed date they are to take effect. If the client who is not a consumer has agreed an electronic communication route with the Bank as part of the business relationship (e.g. online banking), the changes may also be offered via this route. The client may approve or reject the amendments before the proposed date they are due to take effect. The client's consent shall be deemed to have been granted if the client who is not a consumer has not rejected the amendment before the proposed date it is due to take effect. The Bank shall make special reference to this deemed approval within the offer. If changes in the conditions governing payment services (e.g. terms governing credit transfers) are offered to the client who is not a consumer. he/she may also terminate the framework agreement for the payment service affected by the changes without notice at no expense before the proposed date on which the changes are to take effect. The Bank shall refer specially to this cancellation right in its offer.

#### 2. Banking secrecy and banking information

# 2.1 Banking secrecy

The Bank is obliged to maintain secrecy concerning all facts and valuations relating to clients of which it gains knowledge (banking secrecy). The Bank is only permitted to pass on information about the client if it is obliged to do so by legal requirements or the client has given consent or the Bank is authorised to issue such banking information.

#### 2.2 Banking information

Banking information includes general facts and remarks concerning the financial circumstances of the client his/her creditworthiness and ability to pay: it shall not provide details of account balances, savings, securities accounts or other assets entrusted to the Bank or give details of the drawing of credit facilities.

### 2.3 Conditions for the issue of banking information

The Bank is authorised to issue banking information concerning legal entities and business people entered on the commercial register as long as the enquiry relates to their business operation. However, the Bank shall not issue such information if the client has given it an instruction to the contrary. The Bank shall only issue banking information concerning other individuals, particularly retail clients and associations, if they have specifically agreed to this either in general or in a particular instance. Banking information is only provided if the enquirer has credibly presented a justified interest in the desired information and there are no grounds to assume that issues of the client which are worthy of protection preclude the issue of the information.

#### 2.4 Recipients of banking information

The Bank shall only issue banking information to its own clients and to other credit institutions for their own purposes or those of their clients.

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# 3.1 Principles governing liability

In the fulfilment of its obligations the Bank is liable for any culpability of its employees and of individuals contracted to fulfil its obligations. Although the special conditions for individual business relationships or other agreements may specify otherwise, these rules take precedence. If based on culpable actions (e.g. infringing the duties to cooperate as set out in par. 11 of these Terms of Business) the client has contributed to causing a loss, the extent to which the Bank and client must bear the loss or damage shall be determined according to the principles of contributory liability.

# 3.2 Subcontracted orders

If by reason of its content an order is typically executed in a form requiring the Bank to entrust a third party with its completion, the Bank fulfils the order by the fact that it passes it on to the third party in its own name (subcontracted order). E.g. this concerns the obtaining of banking information from other credit institutions or the safekeeping and administration of securities abroad. In such cases, the Bank's liability shall be limited to the careful selection and instruction of the third party.

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The Bank shall not be held liable for losses caused as a result of force maieure, civil unrest, war or natural disasters or through other events which are not under its control (e.g. strikes, lockouts, traffic disruptions, actions by government authorities within the country or abroad).

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The client who is not a consumer may only offset claims of the Bank if his/her own claims are uncontested or have been legally established. This set-off restriction does not apply to claims made by customers for the purposes of set-off with its legal basis on a loan or on financing assistance according to Sections 513 and 491-512 of the German Civil Code (BGB).

# Drawing authorisation following death of client

Following the death of the client, the person who claims to be the client's legal successor must provide suitable evidence to the Bank of his/her claims under inheritance law. If an original copy or a certified copy of the deceased client's last will and testament (will, agreement as to succession) as well as the associated record of opening is submitted to the Bank, it is permitted to treat the individual who features therein as the heir or executor as the entitled person, to allow him/her to dispose freely and in particular to render services to him/her in discharge of its obligations. This shall not apply if the Bank is aware that the individual mentioned (e.g. after challenging the will or on account of its nullity) is not entitled to dispose, or if as a result of negligence it has not become aware of this.

# Governing law and place of jurisdiction for clients in the commercial and public sectors

#### 6.1 Validity of German law

The business relationship between the client and the Bank is subject to German law

#### 6.2 Place of jurisdiction for domestic clients

If the client is a business person and the disputed businessrelationship is attributable to the operation of his/her business, the Bank may bring an action against the client at the court responsible for the account-maintaining branch or at another competent court; the same applies in the case of a legal entity under public law and public funds. These clients may only take action against the Bank itself through the court which is responsible for the account-maintaining branch

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The agreement on the place of jurisdiction also applies to clients who run a comparable commercial operation abroad and to foreign institutions which are comparable to domestic legal entities under public law or to a domestic public fund.

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# Section 2 - Account operation

# 7. Account balancing statements for current accounts

7.1 Issuing account balancing statements

Unless otherwise agreed, in the case of a current account the Bank issues an account balancing statement at the end of each calendar guarter in which any claims on either side which have arisen during the relevant period (including interest and the Bank's charges) are offset against one another. The Bank may charge interest on the balance resulting from offsetting in accordance with par. 12 of these Terms of Business or another agreement concluded with the client.

#### 7.2 Time limit for objections; tacit approval

The client must raise objections to inaccuracies or omissions in an account balancing statement no later than six weeks after having received it; should he/she present the objections in text form, it is sufficient to have sent the objection within the six-week time limit. Failure to make timely objections shall be deemed to constitute approval. When issuing account balancing statements, the Bank shall make particular reference to this consequence. Even after expiry of the time limit, the client may insist on the correction of the account balancing statement, but must then prove that his/her account was debited incorrectly or a credit to which he/she was entitled was not made

# 8. Reversal entries and adjusting entries by the Bank

# 8.1 Prior to the account balancing statement

The Bank is permitted to reverse inaccurate credits to current accounts (e.g. due to an incorrect account number) by the next account balancing state ment by way of a debit entry in case it is entitled to a repayment from the client (reversal entry); in this case the client may not object that he/she has already withdrawn the amount credited.

# 8.2 After the account balancing statement

Should the Bank only establish that there is an incorrect credit entry after an account balancing statement and it has claim against the client for repayment, it shall debit the client's account for the amount of its claim (adjusting entry). If the client raises objections to the adjusting entry, the Bank shall credit the amount back to the account and assert its claim to repayment separately

#### 8.3 Notifications to the client: calculation of interest

The Bank shall notify the client of reversal and adjusting entries without delay. The Bank shall process these entries in respect of the calculation of interest retrospectively to the day on which the incorrect entry was made.

#### 9. Direct debit orders

#### 9.1 Granting of conditional credit entries at presentation

When the Bank credits the equivalent amount of cheques and directdebits before they are honoured, this happens subject to their payment, even if they are payable at the Bank itself. If the client presents other papers with the order to procure an outstanding amount from a debtor (e.g. interest cupons), and the Bank issues a credit note for this amount, this is done subject to the Bank actually receiving the amount in question. This reservation also applies if the cheques, direct debits and other papers are payable at the Bank itself. If cheques or direct debits are not honoured or the Bank does not receive the amount concerned of the direct debit, the Bank will reverse the conditional credit entry. This takes place irrespective of whether an account balancing statement has been issued meanwhile.

# 9.2 Honouring direct debits and cheques made out by the client

Direct debits as well as cheques are honoured as long as the debit entry is not reversed by the second banking day<sup>1</sup> no later than the third banking day for SEPA direct debit payments at the latest after it is made. Open cheques are already honoured on payment to the presenter. Cheques are also honoured if the Bank sends out an advice of payment in the particular case. Cheques which are presented via the Bundesbank clearing house are honoured if they have not been returned by the date set by the Bundesbank.

#### 10. Foreign currency transactions and risks entailed by foreign currency accounts

### 10.1 Order execution in the case of foreign currency accounts

Foreign currency accounts of the client are used for making payments to the client and withdrawals by the client in foreign currency without the use

of cash. Withdrawals of balances on foreign currency accounts (e.g. by credit transfers debited to the foreign currency balance) are settled by banks in the home country of the currency if not entirely executed by the Bank within its own operation.

#### 10.2 Credits in the case of foreign currency transactions with the client

If the Bank concludes a transaction with the client (e.g. a forward exchange deal), from which it is due to furnish an amount in foreign currency, it will fulfil its foreign currency obligation by means of a credit to the client's account in this currency, unless there is a different arrangement.

# 10.3 Temporary restriction on payment by the Bank

The obligation of the Bank to execute an instruction to debit a foreign currency balance [(1)] or to fulfil a foreign currency liability [(2)] is postponed in terms of its extent for as long as the Bank is unable, or only a limited extent able to draw on the currency in which the foreign currency balance or liability is denominated as a result of political measures or events in the country of the currency in question. To the extent that, and as long as, these measures or events last, the Bank is also not obliged to carry out the obligation at a different place outside the country of the currency, in a different currency (also not in euros) or by acquiring cash. Conversely, the Bank's obligation to execute an instruction to debit a foreign currency balance is not postponed if the Bank is able to execute it entirely within its own operation. The right of the client and of the Bank to set off reciprocal claims in the same currency is not affected by the above rules.

# 10.4 Exchange rate

The determination of the exchange rate in foreign currency operations is found in the "List of Prices and Services" (Preis- und Leistungsverzeichnis). In the case of payment services the master agreement on payment services (Zahlungsdiensterahmenvertrag) applies in addition.

# Section 3 - Duties of the client to cooperate

### 11. Duties of the client to cooperate

# 11.1 Notification of changes

In the interests of the orderly processing of business transactions it is necessary for the client to notify the Bank immediately of any changes to his/her name or address as well as the extinguishment or alteration of a power of representation granted to the Bank (particularly a power of attorney). This notification obligation also applies if the power of representation has been entered on a public register (e.g. the commercial register) and its extinguishment or amendment is entered in this register. Additionally more extensive statutory notification obligations may result - particularly those as a result of the Money Laundering Act.

# 11.2 Clarity of instructions

The content of instructions must be clear. Orders which are not formulated clearly may lead to queries which can result in delays. Above all, the client must ensure the accuracy and completeness of information concerning orders, particularly the account number and bank code or IBAN<sup>2</sup> and BIC<sup>3</sup> as well as the currency. Changes, confirmations or repeats of orders must be clearly marked as such

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# Section 2 - Account operation

# 7. Account balancing statements for current accounts

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# Section 4 - Costs of the Bank's services

#### 12. Interest, fees and expenses

# 12.1 Interest and fees in business with consumers

The level of interest and fees for the normal banking services provided by the Bank to consumers, including the level of payments exceeding the fees agreed for the main service provided, are shown in the Price List - Rates for Standardised Retail Client Business ("Price List") and the List of Prices and Services. When a consumer makes use of one of the main services listed and no deviating agreement is in force, the rates of interest and fees set out in the Price List or List of Prices and Services at this time apply. The Bank may only come to a specific agreement with the consumer concerning a payment by the consumer which exceeds the agreed fee for the main service even if it is shown on the Price List or List of Prices and Services.

Provided no other agreement applies, the statutory provisions apply to payments for services not included on the Price List or List of Prices and Services carried out on behalf of the consumer which, in view of the circumstances, can only be expected in return for a fee.

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If a client who is not a consumer uses a banking service which is listed and no deviating agreement is in force, the rates of interest and fees applicable at this time in the Price List and List of Prices and Services shall apply.

In other respects, unless a different agreement has been made and in the absence of conflicting statutory provisions, the Bank shall determine the level of interest and fees at its own discretion (Section 315 of the German Civil Code (Bürgerliches Gesetzbuch; BGB)).

#### 12.3 Services provided without fees

The Bank shall not charge a fee for a service to which it is obligated by law or on the basis of an ancillary contractual duty or which it undertakes in its own interest, unless it is permitted and levied in line with the law.

# 12.4 Changes in interest rates; right of client to cancel in the an increase

Changes in the interest charged on variable-rate loans are made on the basis of a loan agreement with the client. The Bank shall notify the client of changes in the rate of interest. In the event of an increase in the rate of interest, unless agreed otherwise, the client may cancel the loan agreement concerned with immediate effect within six weeks of the notification of the change being made. If the client terminates the agreement, the increased rate of interest shall not be used as basis for the cancelled loan agreement. The Bank shall allow a reasonable amount of time to process it.

#### 12.5 Changes in fees for services with clients who are not consumers which are typically used constantly

Changes in the fees for bankingservices typically used constantly by clients as part of the business relationship (e.g. account and portfolio management) are offered in text form to the client who is not a consumer by no later than two months before the date on which they are due to come into effect If the client who is not a consumer has agreed an electronic communication route with the Bank as part of the business relationship (e.g. online banking), the changes may also be offered by this means. The client may approve or reject the amendments before the proposed date they are due to take effect. The client's consent shall be deemed to have been granted if the client who is not a consumer has not rejected the amendment before the proposed date it is due to take effect. The Bank shall make special reference to this deemed approval within the offer. When changes are offered to the client who is not a consumer he/she may also terminate the contract affected by the changes free of charge and with immediate effect before the proposed date the changes are due to be introduced. The Bank shall refer specially to this cancellation right in its offer. If the client terminates the agreement, the altered fees shall not be applied to the terminated business relationship

# 12.6 Reimbursement of expenses

Possible claims by the Bank to the reimbursement of expenses aregoverned by the provisions of the law.

#### 12.7 Special features of consumer loan agreements and payment services contracts with consumers for payments inside the European Economic Area (EEA) in an EEA currency

In the case of consumer loan agreements and payment services contracts with consumers for payments inside the European Economic Area<sup>4</sup> (EEA) in an EEA currencv<sup>5</sup> the rates of interest and costs (fees and expenses) are governed by the relevant contractual agreements and special conditions as well as, in addition, the provisions of the law.

# Section 5 - Collateral for the Bank's claims against the client

# 13. Provision of or increase of collateral

#### 13.1 Claim of the Bank for collateral to be provided

For all claims arising from the banking business connection the Bank may demand that collateral be provided for banking purposes, even if the claims are conditional (e.g. reimbursement of expenses owing to the use of a surety taken on for the client). If the client has taken on the duty to indemnify the Bank for another client's liabilities (e.g. as a guarantor), the Bank shall only have a claim for collateral to be provided or increased with regard to the debt resulting from the assumption of liability once it becomes due.

# 13.2 Change of risk

If, at the time claims arise against the client, the Bank has initially refrained partially or entirely from demanding the provision or increase of the collateral it may still demand further security later on However, this is contingent upon circumstances arising or becoming known which justify an increased risk assessment of the claims against the client. This may particularly be the case if

- the client's financial circumstances have deteriorated or threaten to deteriorate, or
- the existing value of the collateral has fallen or threatens to be reduced

The Bank has no entitlement to collateral if it is specifically agreed that the client does not have to furnish collateral or is only required to furnish specifically mentioned collateral. In the case of consumer loan agreements there is only a claim to the provision or increase of collateral insofar as the collateral is specified in the loan agreement; if, however, the net loan amount exceeds 75.000 Euro, the Bank may demand that collateral be provided or increased even if a consumer loan agreement or a general consumer loan agreement within the meaning of Section 491 (2) of the German Civil Code (Bürgerliches Gesetzbuch: BGB) which is concluded, in the former case, before 21 March 2016 and, in the latter case, from 21 March 2016 does not contain any or any exhaustive indications as to collateral.

# 13.3 Setting a time limit for furnishing or increasing collateral

The Bank shall set an appropriate time limit for the collateral to be furnished or increased. If the Bank intends to use its right to a termination without notice in accordance with par. 19.3 of these Terms of Business in case the client does not punctually comply with his/her duty to furnish or increase the collateral, it shall notify him/her of this beforehand.

#### Agreement on a lien in favour of the Bank

#### 14.1 Reaching agreement on the lien

The client and the Bank are in agreement that the Bank shall hold a lien on the securities and articles of which a domestic branch has or will gain possession during banking operations. The Bank also acquires a lien on the claims of the client against the Bank which have arisen or will arise in future through the banking connection (e.g. account balances).

# 14.2 Secured claims

The lien serves to secure all existing, future and conditional claims arising for the Bank and all its domestic and foreign branches against the client from the banking operations. If the client has taken on liability towards the Bank for another client's liabilities (e.g. as guarantor), the lien shall only secure the debt arising through the assumption of liability from the date it becomes due.

# Section 4 - Costs of the Bank's services

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Provided no other agreement applies, the statutory provisions apply to payments for services not included on the Price List or List of Prices and Services carried out on behalf of the consumer which, in view of the circumstances, can only be expected in return for a fee.

Provided that the Bank grants interest for current account balances to individual customer groups by agreement, the interest rate is variable and staggered. The interest rate may differ depending on the deposit amount. It may therefore be different for amounts up to EUR 100 000 for example than for amounts in excess of this. The Bank is entitled to adjust the interest rate as well as the interest rate scale in accordance with the conditions on the money and/or capital market, considering the refinancing possibilities by increasing or decreasing it. The Bank will notify the customer in text form about any change in the interest rate and the applicable interest rate scale The information may also be provided by statement of account. The interest rate change takes effect upon receipt of the information, e.g. posting on the customer's web portal, unless otherwise notified in the notification.

Interest is calculated daily and credited to the clearing account on the last banking day of the guarter. The interest calculation is based on the daycount convention "actual/360". The interest calculation starts on the calendar day when the amount is credited to the clearing account and ends on the calendar day when the Bank receives the Customer's order to withdraw the balance. Withdrawals in cash are not possible. Withdrawals from the clearing account are only possible in favor of the respective reference account

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# 12.3 Services provided without fees

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The Bank shall not charge a fee for a service to which it is obligated by law or on the basis of an ancillary contractual duty or which it undertakes in its own interest, unless it is permitted and levied in line with the law.

# 12.4 Changes in interest rates for loans; right of client to cancel in the event of an increase

Changes in the interest charged on variable-rate loans are made on the basis of a loan agreement with the client. The Bank shall notify the client of changes in the rate of interest. In the event of an increase in the rate of interest, unless agreed otherwise, the client may cancel the loan agreement concerned with immediate effect within six weeks of the notification of the change being made. If the client terminates the agreement, the increased rate of interest shall not be used as basis for the cancelled loan agreement. The Bank shall allow a reasonable amount of time to process it

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# Section 5 - Collateral for the Bank's claims against the client

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#### 14.3 Exceptions to the lien

If money or other valuables come under the Bank's control on condition that they are only used for a particular purpose (e.g. cash deposit to honour a bill), the Bank's lien does not cover these valuables. The same applies to the shares issued by the Bank (treasury shares) and to the securities held by the Bank in safekeeping abroad for the client. The lien also does not extend to the participation rights or participation certificates issued by the Bank itself or to the securitised and nonsecuritised subordinated liabilities of the Bank.

#### 14.4 Interest coupons and profit participation certificates

If securities are subject to the Bank's lien the client is not entitled to demand surrender of the interest coupons and profit participation certificates pertaining to these papers.

#### 15. Security interests in collection items and discounted bills

# 15.1 Transfer of title for security purposes

The Bank acquires a non-possessory lien on the cheques and billspresented to it for collection at the time of their presentation. The Bank acquires unrestricted ownership of discounted bills at the time of negotiation; if it redebits discounted bills to the account, it retains a nonpossessory lien on the bills concerned

#### 15.2 Assignment by way of security

On acquisition of the ownership of cheques and bills the underlying claims also pass to the Bank; there is also a passage of the claim if other papers are presented for collection (e.g. direct debits, commercial negotiable instruments)

#### 15.3 Special-purpose collection items

If collection items are presented to the Bank on condition that the countervalue may only be used for a specific purpose, the transfer of title for security purposes or assignment by way of security shall not affect these items.

# 15.4 Secured claims of the Bank

The non-possessory lien and assignment by way of security are used to secure all claims of the Bank against the client on presenting collection items. from his/her current accounts or which arise in consequence of the redebiting of non-honoured collection items or discounted bills. At the client's request, the Bank undertakes the retransfer to the client of the non-possessorv lien on the items and the claims which have been transferred to it in the event that at the time of the request it does not have any claims to be secured against the client or it does not permit him/her to avail him/herself of the countervalue of the items before their final payment.

#### 16. Limitation of the Bank's right to the collateral and mandatory re-

#### 16.1 Collateralisation limit

The Bank can assert its claim to the provision or increase of collateral until the realisable value of all the collateral equals the total of all claims arising from the banking connection (collateralisation limit).

# 16.2 Release

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If the realisable value of all collateral does not just exceed the collateralisation limit temporarily, the Bank must release collateral at its discretion at the client's request in the amount of any excess over the collateralisation limit; it will take the justified interests of the client and of any third-party collateral provider who has furnished security for theclient's liabilities into consideration when selecting the collateral for release. In this context, the Bank is also obliged to execute orders for the client concerning the values subject to the lien (e.g. selling securities, paying out savings balances).

#### 16.3 Special agreements

If a different method of valuation than the realisable value has been agreed for a particular item of collateral or a different collateralisation limit or a different limit for the release of collateral has been agreed, these shall apply.

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# 17.1 Option of the Bank

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# 17.2 Credit of the proceeds under the law on value added tax

If the process of liquidation is subject to value added tax, the Bank shall issue the client a credit note for the proceeds which shall serve as an invoice for the delivery of the article serving as collateral and shall be in compliance with the requirements of the law on value added tax.

# Section 6 - Cancellation

#### 18. Cancellation rights of the client

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The client may terminate the entire business relationship or individual types of transaction (e.g. the agreement on the use of cheques), for which neither a term nor a deviating rule on termination has been agreed, at any time without observing a notice period.

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If a term or deviating termination arrangement has been agreed for a business relationship, termination without notice will be possible only for good cause which renders it unreasonable for the client, even taking into account the legitimate interests of the Bank, to continue the business relationship.

18.3 Statutory cancellation rights The statutory termination rights will remain unaffected.

#### 19. Cancellation rights of the Bank

#### 19.1 Cancellation subject to a notice period

The Bank may terminate the entire business relationship or individual lines of business for which neither a term nor deviating cancellation arrangements have been agreed, at any time whilst adhering to an appropriate notice period (e.g. the agreement on the use of cheques providing entitlement to the use of a cheque book). When assessing the notice period, the Bank shall take account of the client's justified interests. The notice period for cancelling a payment services master agreement (e.g. current account or card agreement) and a securities account shall be a minimum of two months

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### 19.2 Cancellation of undated loans

The Bank may at any time and without observing a notice period terminate loans and loan commitments for which neither a term nor a deviating rule on termination has been agreed. When exercising this termination right, the Bank will take into account the client's legitimate interests. If special arrangements for the termination of a consumer loan agreement are included in the German Civil Code, the Bank may terminate only in accordance with such provisions.

#### 19.3 Termination for cause without adhering to a notice period

It is permissible to terminate the entire business relationship or individual lines of business without giving notice if there is cause which renders it unreasonable for the Bank, even taking into account the client's legitimate interests, to continue. Such good cause includes, without limitation:

- · If the client has made incorrect statements as to the client's financial status, provided such statements were of significant importance for the Bank's decision concerning the granting of credit or other operations involving risks for the Bank (e.g. issuing a payment card); for consumer loans, this will only apply if the client has knowingly withheld or falsified information of relevance for assessing creditworthiness and this has led to a faulty assessment of creditworthiness, or
- if a material deterioration in the client's financial situation or in the fair value of an item of collateral occurs or threatens to occur, and by this means the repayment of the loan of the fulfilment of another obligation in respect of the Bank - even realising collateral existing for this purpose - is jeopardised or
- If the client fails to comply with their obligation to furnish or increase collateral as per par. 13.2 of these Terms of Business or on the basis of a different agreement within a reasonable time limit set by the Bank.

If good cause is found in the form of a breach of a contractual obligation, termination will only be permitted after a an appropriate time limit intended to remove the causes of the grievance has passed without success or after a failed written warning, unless this can be dispensed with on the basis of the features of the particular case (Sections 323 (2) and (3) BGB).

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The Bank may only terminate a basic account agreement in accordance with the respective contractual arrangements as well as with additional statutory provisions.

# 14. Agreement on a lien in favour of the Bank

# 14.1 Reaching agreement on the lien

The client and the Bank are in agreement that the Bank shall hold a lien on the securities and articles of which a domestic branch has or will gain possession during banking operations. The Bank also acquires a lien on the claims of the client against the Bank which have arisen or will arise in future through the banking connection (e.g. account balances).

# 14.2 Secured claims

The lien serves to secure all existing, future and conditional claims arising for the Bank and all its domestic and foreign branches against the client from the banking operations. If the client has taken on liability towards the Bank for another client's liabilities (e.g. as guarantor), the lien shall only secure the debt arising through the assumption of liability from the date it becomes due.

#### 14.3 Exceptions to the lien

If money or other valuables come under the Bank's control on condition that they are only used for a particular purpose (e.g. cash deposit to honour a bill), the Bank's lien does not cover these valuables. The same applies to the shares issued by the Bank (treasury shares) and to the securities held by the Bank in safekeeping abroad for the client. The lien also does not extend to the participation rights or participation certificates issued by the Bank itself or to the securitised and nonsecuritised subordinated liabilities of the Bank.

# 14.4 Interest coupons and profit participation certificates

If securities are subject to the Bank's lien the client is not entitled to demand surrender of the interest coupons and profit participation certificates pertaining to these papers.

#### 15. Security interests in collection items and discounted bills

# 15.1 Transfer of title for security purposes

The Bank acquires a non-possessory lien on the cheques and billspresented to it for collection at the time of their presentation. The Bank acquires unrestricted ownership of discounted bills at the time of negotiation; if it redebits discounted bills to the account, it retains a nonpossessory lien on the bills concerned

#### 15.2 Assignment by way of security

On acquisition of the ownership of cheques and bills the underlying claims also pass to the Bank; there is also a passage of the claim if other papers are presented for collection (e.g. direct debits, commercial negotiable instruments).

# 15.3 Special-purpose collection items

If collection items are presented to the Bank on condition that the countervalue may only be used for a specific purpose, the transfer of title for security purposes or assignment by way of security shall not affect these items.

# 15.4 Secured claims of the Bank

The non-possessory lien and assignment by way of security are used to secure all claims of the Bank against the client on presenting collection items from his/her current accounts or which arise in consequence of the redebiting of non-honoured collection items or discounted bills. At the client's request, the Bank undertakes the retransfer to the client of the non-possessory lien on the items and the claims which have been transferred to it in the event that at the time of the request it does not have any claims to be secured against the client or it does not permit him/her to avail him/herself of the countervalue of the items before their final payment.

#### 16. Limitation of the Bank's right to the collateral and mandatory release

# 16.1 Collateralisation limit

The Bank can assert its claim to the provision or increase of collateral until the realisable value of all the collateral equals the total of all claims arising from the banking connection (collateralisation limit).

# 16.2 Release

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# 19.6 Procedure following termination

In the event of termination without notice, the Bank will set an appropriate time limit for settlement by the client (in particular for the repayment of a loan), unless immediate action is required (e.g. the return of the cheque book on termination of a cheque agreement)

# Section 7 - Deposit Protection

# 20. Protection of deposits

#### Information on deposit protection

# 20.1 Deposits

Deposits are credit balances resulting from funds left in an account or from temporary situations deriving from banking transactions and which the Bank is required to repay under the legal and contractual conditions applicable. such as credit balances on current accounts, time deposits, savings deposits, savings bonds and registered bonds. The applicable definitions shall be those set out in Section 2 (3) of the German Deposit Guarantee Act (Einlagensicherungsgesetz [EinSiG]) and Section 6 (1) of the By-laws of the Deposit Protection Fund of German Banks (Einlagensicherungsfonds deutscher Banken - Einlagensicherungsfonds), which forms part of the Association of German Banks (Bundesverband deutscher Banken e.V.).

# 20.2 Statutory deposit protection

The Bank is assigned to the Entschädigungseinrichtung deutscher Banken GmbH (Compensation Scheme of German Banks) as the institution responsible for the statutory deposit protection of private banks. In accordance with EinSiG and subject to the exemptions provided for therein the statutory deposit protection scheme protects deposits up to an equivalent of 100,000 euros per depositor. In the cases specified in Section 8 (2) of Ein-SiG, this amount is increased to 500,000 euros. These cases cover, in particular, amounts resulting from real estate transactions in connection with privately used residential property. Not protected are, in particular, deposits of financial firms, public authorities including regional and local authorities, deposits that have arisen in connection with money laundering or terrorist financing, and bearer bonds. Details are set out in EinSiG, in particular Section 8 thereof.

#### 20.3 Deposit Protection Fund

The Bank also participates in the Deposit Protection Fund. In accordance with its By-laws and subject to the exemptions provided for therein, the Fund shall protect deposits at a domestic head office or branch office up to the following amount per creditor (protection ceiling):

- (a) (i) 5 million euros for natural persons and foundations with legal capacity irrespective of the term of the deposit; and (ii) 50 million euros for nonfinancial companies, non-profit organisations, associations and non-profit professional organisations. and other creditors referred to in Section 6 (3) of the By-laws of the Deposit Protection Fund. In any event, deposits shall be protected up to a maximum of 15% of the bank's own funds within the meaning of Article 72 of the CRR, with Tier 2 capital only being taken into account up to an amount of 25% of Tier 1 capital within the meaning of Article 25 of the CRR. Further details on calculating the relevant own funds are set out in Section 6 (8) (a) of the By-laws of the Deposit Protection Fund.
- From 1 January 2025: (i) 3 million euros for natural persons and foundations with legal capacity irrespective of the term of the deposit and (ii) 30 million euros for non-financial companies, non-profit organisations, associations and non-profit professional organisations, and other creditors referred to in Section 6 (3) of the By-laws of the Deposit Protection Fund. In any event, deposits shall be protected up to a maximum of 8.75% of own funds within the meaning of subparagraph (a) sentences 2 and 3
- (c) From 1 January 2030: (i) 1 million euros for natural persons and foundations with legal capacity irrespective of the term of the deposit and (ii) 10 million euros for non-financial companies, non-profit organisations, associations and non-profit professional organisations, and other creditors referred to in Section 6 (3) of the By-laws of the Deposit Protection Fund. In any event, deposits shall be protected up to a maximum of 8.75% of own funds within the meaning of subparagraph (a), sentences 2 and 3.
- (d) For deposits protected until the end of 31 December 2022, the protection ceilings applicable at that time shall continue to apply until the deposit matures, is rolled over or can be cancelled by the customer for the first time or is transferred to one or more foreign branches. For deposits established or rolled over after 31 December 2022 the rel-

evant new protection ceilings shall apply as of the above cut-off

The compensation shall be based on the protection ceiling which has been notified to the Bank as the result of the assessment made by the Auditing Association and which is available on the internet at www.bankenverband.de. The protection ceiling shall be notified to the customer by the Bank on request

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Liabilities of banks that were protected until the end of 31 December 2022 in accordance with Section 6 of the version of the Bylaws of the Deposit Protection Fund registered with the Register of Associations on 18 November 2021 shall continue to be protected as provided for thereunder. After 31 December 2022 this grandfathered status shall cease to apply as soon as the liability concerned falls due, can be terminated or otherwise reclaimed. or if the liability is transferred by way of singular or universal succession or is transferred to a foreign branch

Details on the scope of protection, including the protection ceilings, are set out in the By-laws of the Deposit Protection Fund, in particular Section 6 thereof

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#### Transfer of claims and disclosure of information

#### 20.4 Transfer of claims

To the extent that the Deposit Protection Fund or one of its representatives makes payments to a customer, the amount of the customer's claims against the Bank, together with all subsidiary rights, shall be transferred simultaneously to the Deposit Protection Fund

# 20.5 Disclosure of information

The Bank shall be entitled to disclose and make available to the Deposit Protection Fund or one of its representatives all necessary information and documents in this regard.

# Section 8 - Complaint Channels; **Ombudsman Scheme**

# 21. Complaints procedure and alternative dispute resolution

Customers have the following out-of-court options:

- Customers may address a complaint to the contact point specified by the Bank in its "List of Prices and Services". The Bank will answer complaints in an appropriate manner; where payment services contracts are concerned, it will do so in text form (e.g. by letter, telefax or email).
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The date and time shown above reflects the point in time at which you placed the above-mentioned binding customer orders by concluding the application process.

Conclude deposit contract with payment obligation

The aforementioned terms and conditions and business principles of the Bank (with the exception of the "Special conditions to the Schedule of prices and services") can also be viewed online at https://www.baaderbank.de/Customer-Service/Document-center-start-378 which can also be sent at a later date by email upon request of the client.

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# Special conditions governing the Schedule of prices



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Contrary to the current Schedule of prices and services (doc. no. 45.000) of Baader Bank AG, the following conditions apply to clients with power of attorney for the external financial services provider. Securities trading on the gettex trading platform of the Munich Stock Exchange (Bayerische Börse AG)

Securities trading on the gettex trading platform of the Munich Stock Exchange (Bayerische Börse AG)	0.00% of the market value
Securities trading with Baader OTC	0.00% of the market value
All other stock exchange transactions on German stock exchanges	0.10% of the market value, but a minimum of EUR 15.00, if necessary plus brokerage fees on regional exchanges
Securities trading via Xetra	0.01% of the market value, but a minimum of EUR 1.50 per order
Safe custody/service of custody fee	0.00% p.a. of the deposit value as at 31 December each year
Purchase/sale of investment funds (no offshore	EUR 15.00 per order
funds) through an investment company	(plus/minus any entry charge/exit charge)
Interest rate for KK credit balances (EUR)	As per the Schedule of prices and services, but- currently 0.00% p.a. (The bank reserves the- right to adjust the minimum interest rate if- required due to the market situation.) 0.00% p.a. (variable)
the only exception to this is for PRIME+Broker customers <sup>1</sup> : Interest rate for KK credit balances (EUR)	with effect from 1 February 2023: 2.3% p.a. (variable) up to an amount of EUR 100,000.00 Interest rate 0.00% p.a. (variable) for the amount in excess of EUR 100,000.00
Overdraft interest for tolerated overdrafts Overdraft fees for tolerated	6,00 % p.a.
overdrafts	Free of charge
Foreign tax reporting	EUR 13.00 incl. VAT (For Austria [if all of the client's portfolios only contain ETFs and/or ETCs.])
Written orders made by end clients	EUR 25.00 per order
Second copies for the Compliance department	EUR <u>6,90</u> <u>2.50</u> per copy
Duplicates (i.e. information already provided by the bank)	Priced according to expenditure (working time, materials, postage costs); minimum EUR 15.00 per copy
Admission tickets to the shareholders' meeting	EUR 25.00 per ticket
Subsequent submission of a non-assessment certificate or exemption order with retroactive correction	Not possible
Tax voucher	EUR 25.00 per order per customer

The general schedule of prices and services applies for all services that are not listed.

The current schedule of prices and services (doc. no. 45.000) is available at www.baaderbank.de. If an acquisition broker agreement no longer exists or has been terminated, the current schedule of prices and services shall apply henceforth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Customers are considered to be PRIME+Broker customers where they have opted for the PRIME+Broker model (previously called PRIMEBROKER flex) of Scalable Capital GmbH when concluding the Acquisition Broker agreement and provided that they continue with this model. The interest rates specified for PRIME+Broker customers only apply to credit balances on clearing accounts (KK) that the customer has opened as a result of opting for the "PRIME+Broker" model. In cases where the customer switches to the "PRIME+Broker" model at a later date, the interest rates specified for PRIME+Broker customers shall apply from the point at which the change in model takes place. The interest rate is variable and tiered. The bank is entitled to make changes to the interest rate and the tiering system in accordance with the terms in Section 7.1 of the application to open an account and also Section 12.1 of the General Terms and Conditions.