# **Privacy Policy**

# (Garden Finance)

We at Garden Finance, including our affiliated entities, group companies, or permitted assigns ("Garden Finance", "Company", or "we"), recognize that your privacy is very important, and we endeavor to protect the data and privacy of every user ("User" or "You") in compliance with applicable laws and as per the details outlined in this privacy policy ("Privacy Policy"). This Privacy Policy describes our policies and procedures on the collection, use, processing, and disclosure of your information pursuant to your use of our website (<a href="www.garden.finance">www.garden.finance</a>), accessed through desktop, mobile, browser extension, or any other mode or method, mobile applications, desktop applications, products, or services ("Online Platform") operated or offered by Garden Finance ("Garden Finance", "we", "us", or "our"). This Privacy Policy is part of and is to be read along with the Terms of Service ('TOS') and other materials available on our Online Platform.

We advise you to read this Privacy Policy and TOS before using our Platform, using any of our services, or submitting any personal data. By using the Platform, it shall be deemed that you are expressly consenting to be bound by the terms and conditions described in this Privacy Policy and TOS. Please note that our services offered through the Platform are not intended for minors below the age of 18 years, and we do not knowingly collect data relating to minors. This Privacy Policy is not applicable to any Personal Data collected offline or through third-party entities or channels other than our Platform.

#### A. Introduction

We reserve our right to change and update this Privacy Policy from time to time; therefore, you should regularly check for any changes in our Privacy Policy. We will notify all users of any material changes, to the extent practical, and the Privacy Policy document will also signify the date of the last update for user convenience. Your continued access to or use of our Platform and services after the date of the update in the Privacy Policy constitutes your acknowledgment and agreement that you have read, understood, and accepted the terms of the updated Privacy Policy. If you do not agree to the updated Privacy Policy, you must stop accessing or using our Platform and/or our Services.

#### B. What Data We Collect from You

We may collect and process the following data about you:

- Wallet details: Your wallet address (public key), publicly available details of transactions and other activities conducted through your wallet, and details of balance and other funds available in your wallet.
- *Transaction details:* Details of your activities, all transactions, actions, or tasks performed on or through our Platforms, including transactions relating to deposits, withdrawals, swaps, or transfers.
- *Technical information:* Internet protocol (IP) address, login information, browser type and version, time zone setting, location, browser plug-in types and versions, operating system and platform, material or information viewed or searched for, page response times, download errors, length of visits to certain pages, page interaction information (such as scrolling, clicks, and mouse-hovers), and methods used to browse away from the page.
- *Correspondence details:* Information such as name, email, or other details you provide while participating in surveys, sales, and marketing campaigns or when corresponding with us via email or other contact methods.
- *Cookies:* Our Platform uses Cookies and tracking technology to distinguish you from other users and provide a customized user experience. Cookie and tracking information collected by us may be shared with third parties that directly assist in the development or improvement of our Platform.

#### C. Use of Your Data

The data that we collect from or about you may be used and/or processed:

- To verify, maintain, update, and retain details relating to your wallet address, transactions, and other activities as may be required as per our policy or to comply with applicable laws and regulations.
- To facilitate and provide the services offered through our Platform.
- To inform you of our products, services, promotions, offers, surveys, and events which may be of interest to you.
- To update, upgrade, maintain, customize, and implement other changes in our products and services to serve you better.
- To provide you with the information and services you request from us and to correspond with you.
- To enhance the security and user experience of our Platform.
- To track and remember information and details relating to transactions executed by you on or through our Platform.
- To send you service-related notices, emails, and other non-essential promotional material (you will have the option to unsubscribe from such communications).

## D. Disclosure and Sharing of Your Data

We reserve the right to share any data that we collect from you with our affiliates and third-party service providers. Your personal data may be processed and stored in a foreign country or countries. Under those circumstances, the governments, courts, law enforcement, or regulatory agencies of that country or countries may be able to obtain access to your personal data under relevant foreign laws. You acknowledge that the privacy standards of those countries may be lower than those followed in your country of residence.

We further reserve the right to share your personal data with any third party when we are obligated to do so under applicable laws or by the order of any competent authority/court.

#### E. Your Consent

By using any of the Platforms, you agree and consent to the collection and use of data as described in this Privacy Policy. You also agree and consent to any changes made to this Privacy Policy in due course without notice. If you do not agree with the terms and conditions of this Privacy Policy, please do not provide any information to us.

You also agree that all your data and/or information shared with us is accurate, correct, and complete at all times. You understand that you must promptly inform us of any changes to your data and/or information that may impact your use of our Platform.

## F. Third Party Links

Our Online Platform may include links to third-party websites, plug-ins, or other applications ("Third Party Sites"), and you may also be directed/referred to our Online Platform through Third Party Sites. Clicking on those links, enabling those connections, or your usage of such Third Party Sites may allow third parties to collect or share data about you. We do not control these Third-Party Sites and are not responsible for their privacy statements and policies. Your usage of any Third Party Sites would be regulated and governed exclusively by their privacy policies, and we will have no liability whatsoever in connection with your use of such Third Party Sites.

## **G.** Assignment

We may assign, novate, or transfer any or all rights and obligations accrued under this Privacy Policy, at our sole discretion, to our subsidiaries, affiliated entities, or selected third parties to offer you a suite of services through the Platform.

## H. Data Security

We store our data on third-party hosting service providers that follow reasonable and robust security standards. Unfortunately, the transmission of information via the internet is not completely secure. Although we will do our best to protect your personal data, we cannot guarantee or provide warranties for the security of your data transmitted through the Platform due to malicious attacks, errors, or omissions not willfully initiated by us. Any transmission is at your own risk. Once we have received your information, we will use reasonable standards and practices, including strict physical, electronic, and procedural safeguards, to try to prevent unauthorized access.

#### I. Data Retention

We may, at our sole discretion, retain any information and/or data provided by you for as long as your account is active and even subsequently, for the resolution of any disputes, enforcement of agreements, and/or as necessitated under applicable laws.

### J. Data Retention Period

We will retain your personal data for a period of five (5) years after the end of the relationship between us as a company and you as a user. This period may be further extended in certain cases as per applicable laws.