



Privacy Notice for Suppliers

In this privacy notice, KION GROUP AG ("KION", "we" or "us") informs you about the processing of your personal data if you are in contact with KION as a contact person for a supplier.

1. Data collection

We process personal data that arises in the course of your work as a contact person for a supplier for KION.

The categories of data processed may include, in particular:

- first and last name;
- professional contact details (e.g. e-mail address, telephone number, business address);
- role, position and area of responsibility within your company;
- communication content and correspondence within the framework of the business relationship;
- information on contract negotiations, contract execution and supplier management;
- other information that you provide to us in the course of the business relationship.

2. Sources of personal data

As a rule, we receive personal data directly from you, for example when you communicate with KION or act as a contact person in the context of a business relationship.

In addition, we may receive personal data from your employer or the company you represent, in particular if you are designated as the responsible contact person or if your contact details are provided in contract, procurement, compliance or supplier management processes.

3. Processing of your personal data

We process your personal data for the following purposes:

3.1 Initiation and implementation of the business relationship

We process your data to contact you, conduct contract negotiations, place orders, administer contracts and provide ongoing support for the business relationship with your company.

The legal basis is Art. 6(1)(f) GDPR. Our legitimate interest is to conduct and manage our business relationships efficiently. If you are a contractual partner yourself, the processing is carried out on the basis of Art. 6(1)(b) GDPR.

3.2 Supplier management

We may process your data to evaluate, qualify and manage suppliers and to ensure compliance with contractual, regulatory and intra-group requirements.

The legal basis is Art. 6(1)(f) GDPR. Our legitimate interest is to ensure the reliability and performance of our supply chains and to appropriately manage risks in our cooperation with suppliers.

3.3 Communication and collaboration within the KION Group

As KION operates as a group of companies, contact details may be shared with other KION companies to enable cross-site and cross-company collaboration, procurement, contract management, technical support or project management.

The legal basis is Art. 6(1)(f) GDPR. Our legitimate interest lies in the efficient group-wide organisation of business processes.

3.4 Fulfilment of legal obligations

Where necessary, we process your personal data to comply with legal obligations, such as those arising from trade, tax, compliance or export control regulations.

The legal basis is Art. 6(1)(c) GDPR.

3.5 Assertion, exercise or defence of legal claims

We may process personal data to the extent necessary to establish, exercise or defend legal claims.

The legal basis is Art. 6(1)(f) GDPR.

4. Disclosure of your data

Within KION, access to your personal data is granted to those persons and organisational units that need it to fulfil the purposes described above.

4.1 Intra-group sharing

To the extent necessary for the initiation, implementation or administration of the business relationship, or for procurement, quality, compliance, finance, IT, information security or legal processes, your personal data may be shared with the relevant companies and specialist departments of the KION Group.

Intra-group disclosure takes place only where necessary for the respective purposes and where the receiving entity needs the personal data to perform its tasks. Processing is carried out in accordance with the principle of necessity and in compliance with appropriate confidentiality and security measures.

4.2 Service providers

We use third-party service providers who process personal data on our behalf, such as providers of IT systems, hosting, communications or support services. These service providers are contractually obliged to comply with data protection requirements.

4.3 Authorities and other third parties

Disclosure to authorities, courts or other third parties will only take place if we are legally obliged to do so or if the disclosure is necessary for the enforcement or defence of legal claims.

4.4 International data transfers

Where personal data is transferred to recipients outside the European Economic Area, this is done only in compliance with the legal requirements of the GDPR, in particular on the basis of an adequacy decision by the European Commission or appropriate safeguards pursuant to Art. 46 GDPR.

5. Protection of your personal data

KION takes appropriate technical and organisational measures to protect your personal data from loss, misuse, unauthorised access, disclosure, alteration or destruction. These measures are regularly reviewed and adapted to the state of the art.

6. Storage period

We store your personal data only for as long as necessary to fulfil the respective purposes. After the end of the business relationship, your data will be deleted unless statutory retention obligations or legitimate interests require further storage. This may be necessary, in particular, to comply with retention obligations under commercial and tax law or to assert, exercise or defend legal claims.

7. What are your rights?

When we process your personal data, you, as a "data subject", are entitled to exercise certain rights against KION in relation to that processing. These rights include the following:

- You have the right to obtain confirmation from the controller as to whether personal data concerning you is being processed; if this is the case, you also have a right to information about this personal data and to the information listed in detail in Art. 15 GDPR.
- You have the right to demand that KION rectify inaccurate personal data concerning you without undue delay and, if necessary, complete incomplete personal data (Art. 16 GDPR).
- You have the right to request that KION delete personal data concerning you without undue delay if one of the reasons listed in detail in Art. 17 GDPR applies, e.g. if the data is no longer needed for the purposes pursued (right to erasure).
- You have the right to demand that KION restrict the processing if one of the conditions listed in Art. 18 GDPR applies, e.g. if you have objected to the processing, for the duration of the review by KION.
- You have the right to object at any time to the processing of personal data concerning you on grounds relating to your particular situation. KION will then no longer process the personal data unless KION can demonstrate compelling legitimate grounds for the processing that outweigh your interests, rights and freedoms, or the processing serves to assert, exercise or defend legal claims (Art. 21 GDPR).
- You have the right not to be subject to a decision based solely on automated processing — including profiling — that produces legal effects concerning you or similarly significantly affects you, provided that the requirements of Art. 22 GDPR are met.
- Without prejudice to any other administrative or judicial remedy, you have the right to lodge a complaint with a supervisory authority if you believe that the processing of personal data

concerning you violates the GDPR (Art. 77 GDPR). You can exercise this right with a supervisory authority in the Member State of your residence, place of work or place of the alleged infringement.

8. Contact for data protection matters

If you have any questions about the processing of your personal data or how to exercise your rights, you can contact the Data Protection Officer:

KION GROUP AG
Thea-Rasche-Straße 8
60549 Frankfurt am Main
Germany
E-mail: dataprotection@kiongroup.com

9. Controller

The controller for data processing within the meaning of the GDPR is:

KION GROUP AG
Thea-Rasche-Straße 8
60549 Frankfurt am Main
Germany