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- 14.3 **Force Majeure:** Except for Your payment obligations (if any) to Guardian in relation to this Agreement, neither party is liable for delays or failures to perform any of its obligations under this Agreement to the extent caused by a Force Majeure Event.
- 14.4 **Notices:** Any notice given under or in relation to this Agreement must be in writing, signed by or on behalf of the party giving it, and addressed to Guardian's corresponding address, or to You, at the contact information You provided when purchasing license to the Software. Notices shall be considered delivered when received if delivered by hand with receipt; the next business day after sending it by pre-paid, nationally-recognized, overnight air courier with tracking capabilities; or five (5) business days after being sent by registered or certified airmail, return receipt required, postage prepaid, to the address mentioned above.
- 14.5 **Waiver:** A party's failure or delay in enforcing any provision of this Agreement shall not operate as a waiver of the right to enforce that provision or any other provision of this Agreement at any time. A waiver of any provision of this Agreement must be in writing, specify the provision to be waived and signed by the party agreeing to the waiver.
- 14.6 **Severability:** If a court holds that any provision of this Agreement is invalid or unenforceable under applicable law, the court shall modify the provision to the minimum extent necessary to make it valid and enforceable or, if it cannot be made valid and enforceable, the court shall sever and delete the provision from this Agreement. The change shall affect neither the validity of the amended provision nor the validity of any other provision of this Agreement, which shall continue in full force and effect.
- 14.7 **Entire Agreement and Amendments:** This Agreement constitutes the entire understanding between Guardian and You relating to its subject-matter and supersede all oral or written proposals, and all communications between the parties relating to its subject-matter. Guardian reserves the right to amend any terms of this Agreement at any time. Any amendment shall be effective on the posting of an updated version at <https://www.guardianav.co.in/>.
- 14.8 **Third Party Rights:** Other than as expressly set out in this Agreement, this Agreement does not create any rights for any person who is not a party to it, and no person who is not a party to this Agreement may enforce any of its terms or rely on any exclusion or limitation contained in it.

- 14.9 **Governing Law and Jurisdiction:** This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of India without reference to conflict of laws principles. The courts of Pune, India shall have the exclusive jurisdiction over all disputes arising out of or related to this Agreement or its subject-matter. The United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods and the Uniform Computer Information Transactions Act do not apply to this Agreement.
- 14.10 **Additional documents and references:** References to hyperlinked terms in this Agreement are references to the terms or content linked to the hyperlink (or the replacement hyperlink as Guardian may identify from time to time) as amended from time to time. You acknowledge that the terms or content in the hyperlink are incorporated in this Agreement by reference and that it is Your responsibility to review the terms or content in the hyperlinks referenced in this Agreement.
- 14.11 **Survival:** The following clauses, together with any other terms necessary for the interpretation or enforcement of this Agreement, shall survive the expiry or termination of this Agreement: Confidential Information, Information Collection and Customer Data, Limited Warranty and Disclaimers, Indemnity, Limitations and Exclusions of Liability, Governing Law and Jurisdiction and Survival.