

# Privacy Policy

## Registration for the mdoc Interoperability Tests (Bangkok 2026)

*Issued pursuant to the Personal Data Protection Act B.E. 2562 (2019) of Thailand*

### 1. Data Controller Information

The following entity acts as the Data Controller for the personal data collected through this registration:

<b>Organization</b>	VALID8 ADVISORY
<b>Role</b>	Data Controller
<b>Contact Email</b>	info@mdoc.online
<b>Purpose Context</b>	15th International Interoperability Test Event – ISO/IEC 18013-5 and ISO/IEC 18013-7 testing, held 20 to 21 August in Bangkok, Thailand.

As part of the 13th International Interoperability Test Event dedicated to testing implementations of ISO/IEC 18013-5 and ISO/IEC 18013-7, personal data concerning you is collected and processed by VALID8 ADVISORY acting as Data Controller. This data is collected when you register on the website dedicated to the event.

This Privacy Policy is issued in compliance with the Personal Data Protection Act B.E. 2562 (2019) (“PDPA”) of Thailand, which governs the collection, use, disclosure, and management of personal data of data subjects in Thailand.

### 2. Purpose of Processing

Your personal data is collected and processed solely for the following purposes:

- to manage participant registration for the interoperability tests;
- to verify the identity of registered participants;
- to organize and secure access to the event;
- to enable the execution of technical interoperability tests between different mdoc implementations in accordance with ISO/IEC 18013-5 and ISO/IEC 18013-7 standards.

Interoperability tests are, by default, carried out using aggregated or fictitious data. Should participValid8 Advisory use personal data during testing, VALID8 ADVISORY will not retain any such data after the conclusion of the test event.

### 3. Lawful Basis for Processing

Under Section 19 and Section 24 of the PDPA, VALID8 ADVISORY relies on the following lawful bases for processing your personal data:

### **3.1 Consent**

The primary basis for processing is your explicit consent, provided at the time of registration. Your consent is obtained in accordance with Section 19 of the PDPA and must be:

- freely given, specific, informed, and unambiguous;
- provided prior to or at the time of data collection;
- documented and retained by VALID8 ADVISORY as evidence of consent.

You have the right to withdraw your consent at any time. Withdrawal of consent does not affect the lawfulness of processing prior to withdrawal.

### **3.2 Legitimate Interests and Contractual Necessity**

To the extent necessary, processing may also be based on Section 24(5) of the PDPA (legitimate interests of the Data Controller or a third party), specifically the operational requirement to manage event registration and secure access.

## **4. Categories of Personal Data Collected**

In accordance with the data minimization principle under the PDPA, the data collected is strictly limited to what is necessary for the purposes described above:

- First name;
- Last name;
- Email address;
- Password (stored in a secure, hashed form and not accessible in plain text);
- Registration-related data (date and time of registration, technical access logs).

No sensitive personal data (as defined under Section 26 of the PDPA) is collected as part of this registration process.

## **5. Disclosure and Transfer of Personal Data**

### **5.1 Authorized Personnel**

Your personal data is accessible only to authorized personnel of VALID8 ADVISORY, strictly for the purposes of organizing and managing the event.

### **5.2 Data Processor**

Personal data may be processed on behalf of VALID8 ADVISORY by the following Data Processor responsible for operating the registration platform:

<b>Processor Name</b>	A4Advisory BV
<b>Address</b>	Maresingel 67, 2316 HE Leiden, The Netherlands
<b>Role</b>	Data Processor – Registration Platform Operator

This processor acts solely on the documented instructions of VALID8 ADVISORY and is bound by contractual obligations ensuring the confidentiality and security of personal data, consistent with Section 40 of the PDPA.

### 5.3 Cross-border Data Transfer

As VALID8 ADVISORY and its Data Processor (A4Advisory BV) are located outside of Thailand, any transfer of personal data from Thailand-based data subjects constitutes a cross-border transfer subject to Section 28 of the PDPA.

VALID8 ADVISORY will ensure that such transfers are made only where an adequate level of protection is in place, including through appropriate contractual safeguards. Data subjects in Thailand are entitled to the same rights and protections as set out in this Policy regardless of where processing occurs.

No personal data is disclosed to third parties other than the Data Processor acting on behalf of VALID8 ADVISORY.

## 6. Retention Period

In accordance with the purpose limitation and storage limitation principles of the PDPA, personal data is retained only for the period strictly necessary to organize and conduct the interoperability tests. Specifically:

- All personal data collected through the registration platform will be deleted upon conclusion of the test event;
- Technical logs are retained only for the duration of the event and deleted immediately thereafter;
- No personal data is retained beyond the end of the experimentation period.

## 7. Data Security

VALID8 ADVISORY implements appropriate technical and organizational measures to protect your personal data against unauthorized access, disclosure, alteration, or destruction, consistent with Section 37 of the PDPA. These measures include:

- Secure storage of passwords using hashing algorithms;
- Restricted access controls limited to authorized personnel;
- Contractual security obligations imposed on the Data Processor;
- Deletion of all data upon completion of the event.

## **8. Your Rights as a Data Subject**

Under the PDPA, you are entitled to the following rights in relation to your personal data:

### **8.1 Right to be Informed (Section 23)**

You have the right to be informed of the purposes and legal basis for processing your personal data, the categories of data collected, and the recipients of your data, as described in this Policy.

### **8.2 Right of Access (Section 30)**

You have the right to request access to your personal data held by VALID8 ADVISORY and to receive a copy of that data.

### **8.3 Right to Rectification (Section 34)**

You have the right to request that any inaccurate or incomplete personal data be corrected or completed without delay.

### **8.4 Right to Erasure (Section 33)**

You have the right to request the deletion or destruction of your personal data where it is no longer necessary for the purposes for which it was collected, or where you have withdrawn consent.

### **8.5 Right to Withdraw Consent (Section 19)**

Where processing is based on your consent, you have the right to withdraw consent at any time. Withdrawal will not affect the lawfulness of processing carried out prior to withdrawal.

### **8.6 Right to Data Portability (Section 31)**

You have the right to receive your personal data in a structured, commonly used, and machine-readable format, and to request transmission to another controller where technically feasible.

### **8.7 Right to Object (Section 32)**

You have the right to object to the processing of your personal data where processing is based on legitimate interests, at any time.

### **8.8 Right to Lodge a Complaint (Section 73)**

You have the right to lodge a complaint with the Personal Data Protection Committee (PDPC) of Thailand if you believe your personal data has been processed in violation of the PDPA.

## 8.9 Practical Note on Exercising Rights

Due to the short-term, event-specific nature of this registration and the prompt deletion of all data upon conclusion of the event, some rights (such as access or portability) may not be technically feasible after data deletion has occurred. VALID8 ADVISORY will endeavour to fulfil all requests received prior to deletion.

## 9. How to Exercise Your Rights

To exercise any of your rights under the PDPA, or for any questions regarding the processing of your personal data, you may contact VALID8 ADVISORY at:

<b>Email</b>	info@mdoc.online
<b>Processing Handled By</b>	A4Advisory BV (Data Processor) on behalf of VALID8 ADVISORY

Requests will be acknowledged and responded to within 30 days in accordance with the PDPA. VALID8 ADVISORY reserves the right to request identification to verify your identity before processing any request.

## 10. Supervisory Authority

In addition to contacting VALID8 ADVISORY directly, you have the right to lodge a complaint with the Thai Personal Data Protection Committee (PDPC):

<b>Authority</b>	Personal Data Protection Committee (PDPC)
<b>Website</b>	<a href="https://www.pdpc.or.th">https://www.pdpc.or.th</a>
<b>Ministry</b>	Ministry of Digital Economy and Society, Thailand

## 11. Updates to this Privacy Policy

VALID8 ADVISORY reserves the right to update this Privacy Policy in the event of changes to the processing activities or applicable law. Any material changes will be communicated to registered participants via the email address provided at registration.

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*This Privacy Policy was prepared in compliance with the Personal Data Protection Act B.E. 2562 (2019) of Thailand (PDPA).*

*It replaces the prior version issued under Regulation (EU) 2016/679 (GDPR) for Thai data subjects.*