

# **Bettersure Holdings (Pty) Limited**

# **Access to Information Manual**

We respect your right of access to information. This document will help you exercise that right as required by section 51 of the Promotion to Access of Information Act 2 of 2000 (PAIA).

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Callouts like this are a summary of our manual and contain the most important and relevant points for you. They are here to help you understand it, but please read the full manual.

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## Introduction

We are Bettersure Holdings (Pty) Limited, and this is our 'Access to Information Manual'. Its purpose is to help you access our information and any other information that we have. PAIA requires us to make it available to you so that you:

- know what types of information we have; and
- can request access to it.

This manual exists to tell you what information we have and help you get access to it.

## **Our details**

Our details are as follows:

Registration Number:	2024/276319/07
Date of Incorporation:	15th of May 2024
Registered Address:	The Wedge, 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, 43 Garsfontein Road, Waterkloof, Pretoria, 0181
Postal Address:	P.O. Box 3695 Northcliff 2115
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We have appointed one information officer for BetterSure Holdings (Pty) Limited and its subsidiaries.

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Head of the Company	Mr. Regard Budler(CEO)

These are all our details, but please rather contact us by email at  $\underline{compliance@bettersure.co.za}$  or  $\underline{Sugen.Naidoo@betterhome.co.za}$  whenever possible.

# Our subsidiaries' details

Bettersure Financial Consultants (Pty) Ltd	
Registration Number	2005/024995/07
Authorised Financial	FSP No 24015
Service Provider	
Physical Address	The Wedge, 43 Garsfontein Road, Waterkloof, Pretoria, 0081
Postal Address:	P.O. Box 3695 Northcliff 2115
Telephone:	086 124 9294
Website:	www.bettersure.co.za
Email:	Serviceexcellence@bettersure.co.za

Bettersure Insurance Brokers (Pty) Ltd		
Registration Number	2008/011624/07	
Authorised Financial	FSP No 41839	
Service Provider		
Physical Address	The Wedge, 43 Garsfontein Road, Waterkloof, Pretoria, 0081	
Postal Address:	P.O. Box 3695 Northcliff 2115	
Telephone:	0861249294	
Website:	www.bettersure.co.za	

Bettersure Life Limited	
Registration Number	2024/300598/06
Physical Address	The Wedge, 43 Garsfontein Road, Waterkloof, Pretoria, 0081
Postal Address:	P.O. Box 3695 Northcliff 2115
Telephone:	086 124 9294
Website:	www.bettersure.co.za
Email:	Serviceexcellence@bettersure.co.za

Bettersure Home Limited	l
Registration Number	2024/300771/06
Physical Address	The Wedge, 43 Garsfontein Road, Waterkloof, Pretoria, 0081
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# **Further guidance**

Requesters are referred to the 'Guide' compiled by the Information Regulator, which is available in a range of official languages and contains information for the purposes of exercising constitutional rights. Please contact the Information Regulator or visit their website for more information on how you can get access to information under PAIA, and to access the Guide.

The contact details of the Information Regulator are:

- Postal address: P.O Box 3153, Braamfontein, Johannesburg, 2017
- Physical address: JD House, 27 Stiemens Street, Braamfontein, Johannesburg, 2001
- Phone number: 010 023 5200
- Website: www.inforegulator.org.za
- General e-mail: enquiries@inforegulator.org.za
- PAIA Complaints email: PAIAComplaints@inforegulator.org.za
- POPIA Complaints email: POPIAComplaints@inforegulator.org.za

The Guide can also be made available upon request, in writing, to our information officer.

For further guidance on how you can get access to information, please visit: www.inforegulator.org.za

## Records we hold

We hold the following subjects and categories of records:

- Company records;
- Business records;
- Financial records;
- Insurance records;
- Personnel records;
- Policies and directives;
- Agreements or contracts;
- Regulatory documents;
- Published information;
- Customer information; and
- Reference materials.

Please note that records that are 'not automatically available,' must be requested using the process outlined in the 'How to request access' section of this manual.

We hold various subjects and categories of records in electronic or physical form that are available automatically or in other ways.

## Company records

Company records are all our records related to the incorporation and administration of our company. Some of them are available from the Companies and Intellectual Property Commission (CIPC).

Memorandum of incorporation

Automatically available from CIPC

Directors' names Automatically available from

CIPC

**Documents of incorporation**Automatically available from

CIPC

Minutes of board of directors meetingsNot automatically availableWritten resolutionsNot automatically available

Records relating to appointment of directors, auditor, secretary, public officer,

or other officers

Not automatically available

Share register and other statutory registers

Not automatically available

Other statutory records

Not automatically available

# Company records include our memorandum of incorporation and directors' names.

#### **Business records**

Business records include any documents that have economic value to the business.

Operational recordsNot automatically availableDatabasesNot automatically availablePublished worksNot automatically availableInternal correspondenceNot automatically availableProduct recordsNot automatically available

#### **Financial records**

Financial records are all our records related to our finances.

Financial statements Not automatically available (NDA required)

Tax returnsNot automatically availableOther documents relating to taxation of the companyNot automatically availableAccounting recordsNot automatically availableAuditor reportsNot automatically availableBanking recordsNot automatically available

Banking details Automatically available on request

Bank statementsNot automatically availableElectronic banking recordsNot automatically availablePaid chequesNot automatically availableAsset registerNot automatically availableInvoicesNot automatically availableFinancial agreementsNot automatically available

## Financial records include our financial statements and banking details.

## Insurance records

Insurance records are all our records related to our insurable assets.

Insurance policies held by the companyNot automatically availableRecords of insurance claimsNot automatically availableRegister of all immovable property owned by the companyNot automatically available

#### Income tax records

Income tax records are all our records related to our income tax obligations.

**PAYE Records** Not automatically available Corporate tax records Not automatically available **Customs tax** Not automatically available Documents issued to employees for income tax purposes Not automatically available Records of payments made to SARS on behalf of employees Not automatically available **VAT records** Not automatically available **Regional Services Levies** Not automatically available **Skills Development Levies** Not automatically available UIF Not automatically available Workmen's Compensation Not automatically available

#### Personnel records

Personnel records are all our records about anyone who works for us, provides services to us, or provides services on our behalf and who receives or is entitled to receive remuneration, including our employees, contractors, and other personnel.

List of employees Not automatically available **Employee personal information** Not automatically available **Employee employment contracts** Not automatically available **Employment applications and appointment letters** Not automatically available Not automatically available **Employment policies and procedures Employment Equity Plan** Not automatically available Health and safety records Not automatically available Medical aid records Not automatically available Salaries or wages of employees Not automatically available Not automatically available Leave records Internal evaluations and performance records Not automatically available **Disciplinary records** Not automatically available **Disciplinary codes** Not automatically available **Training records** Not automatically available **Operating manuals** Not automatically available Personal records provided by personnel Not automatically available Other statutory records Not automatically available Related correspondence Not automatically available

## Personnel records include records about our employees and contractors.

#### Policies and directives

Policies and directives include both internal and external documents.

Internal relating to employees and the companyNot automatically availableExternal relating to clients and other third partiesNot automatically availableInformation technology systems and documentsNot automatically available

## **Agreements or contracts**

Agreements or contracts include the documents themselves and all related documents.

**Standard Agreements** Not automatically available **Contracts concluded with customers** Not automatically available **NDAs** Not automatically available **Letters of Intent, MOUs** Not automatically available Third party contracts (such as JV agreements, VAR Agreements, etc.) Not automatically available Office management contracts Not automatically available **Bond agreements** Not automatically available **Rental agreements** Not automatically available Supplier or service contracts Not automatically available

#### **Regulatory documents**

Regulatory documents include any documents required to comply with any laws.

PermitsNot automatically availableLicencesNot automatically availableAuthoritiesNot automatically available

#### **Published information**

Published information includes any document that we prepare and produce.

Brochures Automatically available on request

External newsletters and circularsAutomatically availableInformation available on the websiteAutomatically availableInternal newsletters and circularsNot automatically availableInformation on the company published by third partiesNot automatically available

## **Customer information**

Customer information includes any information about anyone that we provide goods or services to, including our customers, leads, or prospects.

Customer details Not automatically available

Contact details of individuals within customersNot automatically availableCommunications with customersNot automatically availableSales recordsNot automatically availableTransactional informationNot automatically availableMarketing recordsNot automatically available

#### **Reference materials**

Reference materials include any sources of information that we contribute to.

BooksNot automatically availableNewsletters and journals articlesNot automatically availableMagazinesNot automatically availableNewspaper articlesNot automatically available

# Information we hold to comply with the law

We hold records for the purposes of PAIA in terms of the following main laws, among others:

- Basic Conditions of Employment Act 75 of 1997;
- Broad Based Black Economic Empowerment Act 53 of 2003;
- Companies Act 61 of 1973;
- Companies Act 71 of 2008;
- Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Disease Act 130 of 1993;
- Competition Act 89 of 1998;
- Consumer Protection Act 68 of 2008;
- Copyright Act 98 of 1978;
- Electronic Communications Act 36 of 2005
- Electronic Communications and Transactions Act 25 of 2002;
- Employment Equity Act 55 of 1998;
- Financial Advisory and Intermediaries Services Act 37 of 2002;
- Financial Intelligence Centre Act 38 of 2001;
- Income Tax Act 58 of 1962;
- Insurance Act 18 of 2017;
- Intellectual Property Laws Amendment Act, No 38 of 1997;
- Intellectual Property Laws Amendment Act, No 28 of 2013;
- Labour Relations Act 66 of 1995;
- Long Term Insurance Act 52 of 1998;
- National Credit Act 34 of 2005;
- Occupational Health and Safety Act 85 of 1993;
- Prescription Act 18 of 1943;
- Prevention & Combating of Corrupt Activities Act 12 of 2004;
- Prevention of Constitutional Democracy Against Terrorist & Related Activities Act 33 of 2004;
- Prevention of Organised Crime Act 121 of 1998;
- Promotion of Equality and Prevention of Unfair Discrimination Act 4 of 2000;
- Protected Disclosures Act 26 of 2000;

- Promotion of Access to Information Act, No 2 of 2000;
- Protection of Constitutional Democracy against Terrorist and Related Activities Act 33 of 2004;
- Protection of Personal Information Act 4 of 2013;
- Regulation of Interception of Communications and Provision of Communication related Information Act 70 of 2002;
- Short Term Insurance Act 53 od 1998;
- Skills Development Act 97 of 1998;
- Skills Development Levies Act 9 of 1999;
- Tax Administration Act 28 of 2011;
- Trade Marks Act 194 of 1993;
- Unemployment Contributions Act 4 of 2002;
- Unemployment Insurance Act 63 of 2001;
- Unemployment Insurance Contributions Act 4 of 2002; and
- Value Added Tax Act 89 of 1991.

## How to request access

We have authorised and designated our information officer to deal with all matters relating to PAIA in order to comply with our obligations in terms of PAIA. To request access to a record for Bettersure Holdings (Pty) Limited, please complete Form 2 which is available from

The Information Regulator website at <a href="https://inforegulator.org.za/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/InfoRegSA-PAIA-Form02-Reg7.pdf">https://inforegulator.org.za/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/InfoRegSA-PAIA-Form02-Reg7.pdf</a>

Please submit the completed form to our information officer together with the relevant request fee (details here: how-much-it-will-cost-you) at our information officer's email address, or our physical address, in terms of our details provided above. Please ensure that the completed form:

- has enough information for the information officer to identify you, the requested records, and which form of access you require;
- specifies your email address, or postal address;
- describes the right that you seek to exercise or protect;
- explains why you need the requested record to exercise or protect that right;
- provides any other way you would like to be informed of our decision other than in writing; and
- provides proof of the capacity in which you are making the request if you are making it on behalf of someone else (we will decide whether this proof is satisfactory).

If you do not use the standard form we may:

- reject the request due to lack of procedural compliance;
- refuse it if you do not provide sufficient information; or
- delay it.

You may request information by completing a request for access form and submitting it to our information officer together with a request fee.

# **Grounds for refusal**

We may have to refuse you access to certain records in terms of PAIA to protect:

- someone else's privacy;
- another company's commercial information;

- someone else's confidential information;
- the safety of individuals and property;
- records privileged from production in legal proceedings; or
- research information.

We will notify you in writing whether your request has been approved or denied within 30 calendar days after we have received a completed request for access form. If we cannot find any requested record or it does not exist, then we will notify you by way of affidavit that it is not possible to give access to that particular record.

We may have to refuse you access to a record to protect others.

# How we will give you access

We will evaluate and consider all requests to us in terms of PAIA. If we approve your request for access to our records, then we will decide how to provide access to you – unless you have asked for access in a specific form. Publication of this manual does not give rise to any rights to access information records, except in terms of PAIA.

## How much it will cost you

You must pay us a request fee as required by law when submitting a request for access to information. Please refer to 'Form 03: Outcome of request and of fees payable [Regulation 8]' which is available on the website of the Information Regulator at www.inforegulator.org.za under the section 'PAIA /Forms'.

You must pay us the fees before we will hand over any information. You may have to pay a further access fee if we grant the request for any time that has exceeded the prescribed hours to search and prepare the record for disclosure.

## How we process and protect personal information

We process the personal information of various categories of people for various purposes as set out in this clause.

## Categories of people

We process the personal information of the following categories of people:

- customers or clients;
- prospects or leads;
- employees;
- recruiters and medical practitioners providing services related to employees;
- contractors, vendors, or suppliers;
- children and their guardians;
- debtors and creditors;
- dealers; and
- directors and shareholders.

#### **Purposes**

We process the personal information to:

- provide our goods or supply our services;
- better understand our data subjects' needs when doing so;
- keep our data subject records up-to-date;
- manage employees in general;

- manage supplier contracts in general;
- manage dealer relationships in general;
- manage customers in general;
- manage customer credit in general;
- market to customers in various countries;
- educate children in general;
- enforce debts;
- market goods and services to prospects;
- run promotional competitions for businesses;
- process customer requests or complaints; and
- process personal information of employees for forensic purposes.

#### **Categories of personal information**

We process many different categories of personal information, including:

- contact details, such as phone numbers, physical and postal addresses, and email addresses;
- personal details, such as names and ages;
- demographic details, such as races and age groups;
- health information;
- biometric information;
- account numbers;
- background information;
- contract information;
- credit information;
- market intelligence information;
- learner information; and
- debt and debtor information.

#### Third-party disclosures

We give the following people personal information that we process in the ordinary course of business to fulfil our obligations to our customers or clients:

- contractors, vendors, or suppliers;
- agents, distributors, or other resellers;
- operators, other responsible parties, or co-responsible parties; and
- third party vendors (such as software developers) to help us maintain our services.

## **Cross-border transfers**

We send personal information outside of South Africa to various countries. We will only transfer data to other countries who have similar privacy laws to South Africa's, or recipients who can guarantee the protection of personal information to the same standard we must protect it.

#### Security

We secure data by maintaining reasonable measures to protect personal information from loss, misuse, and unauthorized access, disclosure, alteration and destruction. We also take reasonable steps to keep personal information accurate, current, complete, confidential and reliable for its intended use.

We do our best to keep all data in our possession secure and up-to-date.

## Data subject requests

A data subject has the right to:

- Request what personal information the company holds about them and the purpose for which it is being processed.
- Be informed of how their personal information is being processed, kept and how to keep it up to date

We give effect to data subjects rights.

### Remedies

If your request for access is denied, you may:

- In terms of section 56(3)(c) and 78(3)(c) of PAIA apply to a court with appropriate jurisdiction within 30 days of notification of the decision for appropriate relief, or
- lodge a complaint with the Information Regulator, for the necessary relief.

# **Availability of this Manual**

This manual is available in English and will be available on our website, and at our company offices. The manual is also electronically available on our website at: @URL of manual.

# **Updates to this Manual**

This manual will be updated whenever we make material changes to the current information.