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# SUBSCRIPTION ORDER FORM

Commencement Date	01 January 2023
Client Company	Sikt, Norwegian Agency for Shared Services in Education and Research
Client Address	Services in Education and Research Abels Gate 5A 7030 TRONDHEIM, 7030 Norway
Client Contact	Nils Benjamin Wheeler Andenæs
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Billing Company (if different than above)	Sikt, Norwegian Agency for Shared Services in Education and Research
EIU Account Manager	Emma Talmage UK0108
Order Number	305206, 305205
Licensed Products	As listed in Table A
Product Duration	As listed in Table A
Type of Access	Internet
Type of Authentication	IP Authentication, Domain Authentication and/or Single Sign-On
Authorized Users	The number of unique users as listed in Table A
License Fee	As listed in Table A
Payment Term	Client shall remit all amounts due within 60 days of the invoice date
License	To access and use the Licensed Products during the Agreement Term (or such shorter period as may be specified in the attachments) for the Permitted Purposes subject to the Terms and Conditions of Access
Agreement Term	From the date it is signed by both parties until expiry of the Product Duration (and, thereafter, subject to the provisions for termination as set out in Terms and Conditions of Access)
PO Number (if required)	
VAT/GST/CNPJ Number (if required)	

### TABLE A

### LICENSED PRODUCT BREAKDOWN

### EIU subscriptions starting 2023

Licenced Products	Consortium Members 2023	Commence ment Date	Product Duration (months)	Number of Authorised Users	Number of Geographies	Licence Fee (GBP)
EIU Viewpoint			· · · ·		198	<b>`</b>
Country Analysis	Norwegian Ministry of	01 January		Organisation		
Advanced Global	Foreign Affairs	2023	12	wide		
EIU Viewpoint					198	
Country Analysis	Norwegian Intelligence	01 January		Organisation		
Advanced Global	Service	2023	12	wide		
EIU Viewpoint					198	
Country Analysis		01 January		Organisation		
Advanced Global	Norad	2023	12	wide		
EIU Viewpoint					198	
Country Analysis	Ministry of Trade,	01 January		Organisation		
Advanced Global	Industry and Fisheries	2023	12	wide		
EIU Viewpoint					198	
Country Analysis		01 January		Organisation		
Advanced Global	Library Of The Storting	2023	12	wide		
EIU Viewpoint					198	
Country Analysis		01 January		Organisation		
Advanced Global	University of Agder	2023	12	wide		
					Total	

# The Economist subscriptions starting 2023

Licenced Products	Consortium Members 2023	Commencement Date	Product Duration (months)	Number of Authorised Users	Licence Fee (GBP)
The Economist	Norwegian Intelligence				
Digital	Service	01 January 2023	12	Organisation wide	
The Economist	Peace Research				
Digital	Institute Oslo	01 January 2023	12	Organisation wide	
The Economist	Norwegian Defence				
Digital	Research Establishment	01 January 2023	12	Organisation wide	
The Economist					
Digital	Stortinget	01 January 2023	12	Organisation wide	
The Economist	University of South-				
Digital	Eastern Norway	01 January 2023	12	Organisation wide	
The Economist	Ministry of Trade,				
Digital	Industry and Fisheries	01 January 2023	12	Organisation wide	
The Economist					
Digital	University of Oslo	20 March 2023	10	Organisation wide	
The Economist	Norwegian School of				
Digital	Economics	20 March 2023	10	Organisation wide	
The Economist					
Digital	Norad	01 March 2023	10	Organisation wide	
				Total	

# **CONSORTIUM MEMBERS**

The Client is entering into this Agreement for and on behalf of itself and the institutions that are members of the Client's consortium (the "Consortium Members") as defined in above table.

Other institutions and bodies belonging to the Sikt, Norwegian Agency for Shared Services in Education and Research are authorized to join the Agreement for an agreed additional licence fee at the beginning of each contract year with prior written approval between the parties.

# LICENSED PRODUCT COVERAGE

Licensed Products	Licensed Product Coverage
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Anguilla
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Argentina
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Aruba
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Bahamas
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Barbados
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Belize
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Bermuda
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Bolivia
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Brazil
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	British Virgin Islands
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Canada
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Cayman Islands
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Chile
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Colombia
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Costa Rica
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Cuba
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Curacao
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Dominica
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Dominican Republic
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Ecuador
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	El Salvador
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Grenada
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Guatemala
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Guyana
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Haiti
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Honduras
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Jamaica
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Mexico
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Montserrat
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Nicaragua
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Panama
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Paraguay
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Peru
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Suriname
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Uruguay
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Venezuela
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Antigua and Barbuda
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Sint Maarten
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	St Kitts and Nevis
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	St Vincent & Grenadines
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Trinidad and Tobago
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Turks and Caicos Islands
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	United States of America
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Afghanistan
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Australia
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Azerbaijan
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Bangladesh
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Cambodia
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	China
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	India
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	North Korea
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Pakistan
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Papua New Guinea
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Thailand
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Tonga
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Vanuatu
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Vietnam
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Myanmar
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Timor-Leste
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Albania
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Armenia
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Austria
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Belarus
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Bosnia and Hercegovina
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Bulgaria
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Croatia
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Cyprus
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Denmark
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Italy
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Algeria
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Angola
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Bahrain
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Benin
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Cameroon
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Botswana
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Burkina Faso
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Burundi
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Central African Republic
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Chad
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Comoros
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Congo (Brazzaville)
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Cote d'Ivoire
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Djibouti
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Egypt

EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Equatorial Guinea
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Eritrea
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Ethiopia
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Gabon
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Ghana
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Guinea
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Guinea-Bissau
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Iran
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Iraq
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Israel
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Jordan
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Kenya
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Kuwait
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Lebanon
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Lesotho
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Libya
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Madagascar
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Palestine
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Qatar
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Rwanda
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Sao tome & Principe
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Saudi Arabia
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Senegal
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Seychelles
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EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Somalia

EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	South Africa
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Sudan
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Syria
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Tanzania
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Тодо
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Tunisia
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Uganda
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	United Arab Emirates
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Yemen
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Zambia
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Zimbabwe
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Cabo Verde
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Democratic Republic of Congo
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Eswatini
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	Gambia
EIU Viewpoint Country Analysis Advanced Global	South Sudan

# INVOICE SCHEDULE

Invoice Date	License Fee	Billing Contact	Billing Address
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Invoice Date	License Fee	Billing Contact	Billing Address
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This Subscription Order Form, together with the Terms and Conditions of Access, attached hereto and incorporated herein, form the Agreement between the Client and The Economist Intelligence Unit, NA, Incorporated ("EIU"), 900 third avenue, 16th floor, NY, 10022., U.S.A. By signing this Subscription Order Form, the Client confirms that it agrees to these terms and should it issue a purchase/insertion order or any other purchasing document, whether before or after the date of this Agreement, any terms that may apply to that document will not supersede, amend or form part of this Agreement and will be disregarded, whether or not such document is signed by EIU.

For Client	
Signature (authorized signatory)	
Name	
Title	
Date	
For EIU	
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signatory)	

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These terms form part of the agreement between The Economist Intelligence Unit, NA, Incorporated trading as Economist Intelligence, EIU ("EIU") and the client described in the Subscription Order Form, Online Store Order form or where a Licensed Product is purchased from EIU's online store, being the company, academic institution, organization, government, individual, agent, representative or any other variation of accessing the Licensed Products (the "Client"), and refers to words defined below and, where applicable, in the Subscription Order Form.

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"Agreement" means the Subscription Order Form or online order form (as applicable) together with all attachments and these Terms and Conditions of Access.

"Agreement Term" means unless as otherwise specified in the Subscription Order Form (if applicable) (i) from the Commencement Date for the Product Duration; or (ii) for trial or free access Authorized Users, the duration to which EIU provides access to the Licensed Products, as the case may be.

"API" means an application programming interface whereby the Client may receive certain Licensed Products (subject to availability and to the terms of this Agreement).

"Authorized Users" means:

- the number of users indicated in Table A of the Subscription Order Form that, depending on the Permitted Purposes, reflects either: (i) current employees or (ii) current students and faculty staff, of the Client; or
- any trial users; or
- for prepaid account Clients, any pre-paid store account users that are current employees of Client and permitted to select Licensed Products for use on the basis of funds allocated by Client for this purposes; or
- any users that purchase Licensed Products through the EIU online store; or
- any users that are given free access to the Licensed Products through the Global Forecasting Service website.

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"Permitted Purpose" means: (i) for 'academic' Clients' (including, but not limited to, universities and schools), educational purposes; and (ii) for 'non-academic Clients' (including, but not limited to, corporations, not-for-profit organisations and governments), ordinary business purposes. References within the Agreement to "ordinary business purposes" mean for the Client's own internal business management and decision-making purposes only.

"Product Duration" means the duration for which Client's Authorized Users are granted access to the Licensed Products.

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2.2 Prohibited Uses. Without limitation to the generality of clause 2.1, neither the Client, nor Authorized Users are permitted, directly or indirectly, to allow any other person to use or share Authorized Users' user names or passwords, nor to allow an unauthorized user to have access to the Site. Any breach of this restriction may result in immediate termination of the Client's (and all Authorized Users') access to the Licensed Products and/or the Site or liability for damages. Except as permitted in clause 2.1 above or by prior written consent of EIU, no portion of the Licensed Products may be reproduced or stored in or transmitted to any other web site, newsgroup, mailing list, or electronic bulletin board, or stored in electronic or print form whatsoever. Any use of the Licensed Products or any portion thereof is expressly prohibited. Requests for permission for other uses may be sent to Lisa Hennessey, by email to lisahennessey@eiu.com. Any such requests shall be subject to EIU's sole discretion and, if granted, may be subject to an additional fee.

2.3 API or FTP Access: Where the Client is accessing the Licensed Products through API or FTP (having been authorized as such on the Subscription Order Form), the Client shall, within 5 business days after termination of this Agreement, for whatever reason, delete the Licensed Products from any and all systems under its control.

#### 3.) Intellectual Property Protection

All Intellectual Property Rights in and to the contents and design of the Site, and all materials hosted on the Site and/or distributed in conjunction with the Site, including the Licensed Products, are reserved exclusively to the Publishers (which for these purposes may include their suppliers). The Client is not permitted to use or reproduce or allow (for any reason) anyone to use or reproduce any trade marks or other trade names appearing on the Site or in the Licensed Products. The software which operates the Site is proprietary software and the Client is not permitted to use it except as expressly allowed under the terms of this Agreement. Such software may not be copied, reverse engineered, modified or otherwise dealt with by the Client.

#### 4.) License Fee and Payment

EIU (or its nominee) may render an invoice annually in advance to the Client for the amounts due, plus applicable taxes. The Client shall remit all amounts due within thirty (30) days of the invoice date. Payments made after the due date shall be subject to liquidated damages at a rate of equal to the lesser of: (i) prime/base rate + 4%; or the

maximum allowed by law. Without prejudice to EIU's other remedies, it shall have the right to suspend the provision of Licensed Products with immediate effect in the case of any overdue payment.

### 5.) Monitoring and Auditing

EIU reserves the rights: (i) to monitor and record activity on the Site, including access to the Licensed Products; and (ii) no more than once in any twelve month period, to conduct an on-site audit of the Client's business premises upon reasonable advance notice and solely in relation to the Client's compliance with the terms of this Agreement.

### 6.) Term and Termination

6.1 This Agreement shall continue for the Agreement Term upon expiry of which it shall terminate automatically. For "free access users" and "trial users" EIU shall be free to withdraw or change access to the Licensed Products at any time in its sole discretion. For one-off (non-subscriber) purchases from EIU's online store the permission to use the Licensed Products will last indefinitely unless and until terminated or revoked by EIU.

6.2 Either party may terminate this Agreement in the event the other party breaches a material provision of this Agreement and fails to cure such breach within thirty (30) days after receipt of written notice of such breach, in which case the such party will have the right to terminate this Agreement immediately by giving written notice to the party in breach.

6.3 Where a License Fee is payable, such License Fee is subject to annual adjustment upon prior notice given by EIU to the Client. This adjustment shall be at EIU's discretion and may, for example, take into account the Client's past usage trends. EIU will notify the Client of any such adjustment at least thirty (30) days prior to the renewal date, subject to the right of termination described in clause 6.1 (above).

6.4 The rights of termination are in addition to all other rights or remedies of the parties provided in this Agreement or by law. In the event this Agreement is terminated, the Client's (and all Authorized Users') right to access and use the Licensed Products will cease immediately.

## 7.) No Warranty and Disclaimer of Liability

7.1 EIU MAKES NO WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, CONCERNING THE LICENSED PRODUCTS AND THE SITE. EIU EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT POSSIBLE UNDER LAW, ALL WARRANTIES, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO WARRANTIES OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND TITLE. EIU DOES NOT GUARANTEE THE ACCURACY, CONTENT, OR TIMELINESS OF THE LICENSED PRODUCTS.

7.2 IN NO EVENT WILL EIU, ITS AGENTS, LICENSORS OR AFFILIATES BE LIABLE FOR INDIRECT, PUNITIVE, SPECIAL, INCIDENTAL, OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, DAMAGES FOR LOSS OF BUSINESS PROFITS, BUSINESS INTERRUPTION, LOSS OF BUSINESS INFORMATION OR OTHER PECUNIARY LOSS) ARISING DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY FROM THE USE OF (OR FAILURE TO USE) OR RELIANCE ON THE LICENSED PRODUCTS OR THE SITE, EVEN IF EIU HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY THAT SUCH DAMAGES MAY ARISE.

7.3 IF EIU IS HELD LIABLE TO THE CLIENT FOR ANY REASON, IN NO EVENT SHALL ANY LIABILITY OF EIU, ITS AFFILIATES, AGENTS AND LICENSORS, IF ANY, ARISING OUT OF ANY KIND OF LEGAL CLAIM OR CLAIMS (WHETHER IN CONTRACT, TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE), OR OTHERWISE) IN ANY WAY CONNECTED WITH THE SITE OR THE LICENSED PRODUCTS EXCEED THE AMOUNT THE CLIENT PAID TO EIU UNDER THIS AGREEMENT IN THE 12-MONTH PERIOD PRECEDING THE DATE SUCH CLAIM OR CLAIMS FIRST AROSE.

## 8.) Security

8.1 The Client will be solely responsible for the confidentiality of, and solely liable for the use of and access to the Licensed Products and the Site by Authorized Users. The Client agrees to immediately notify EIU if it becomes aware of any loss or theft of any username/password or unauthorized use or access to the Licensed Products, API, FTP or the Site.

8.2 Where the Client is an FTP access subscriber and/or where the Client's Authorized Users access the Licensed Products via the Client's Intranet it: (i) may not frame or link to the Site or Licensed Products in any way that obscures any of EIU's or the other Publishers' copyright, trademark, and/or other proprietary rights notices, or is misleading as to the source of the Site or Licensed Products, or falsely implies a relationship between EIU (or any other Publisher) and the Client or any other third party; (ii) is solely responsible for creating security measures adequate to protect its Intranet from unauthorized access and harm; and (iii) is solely responsible, at its own cost, for obtaining any third party rights, products, or services needed to configure and operate its electronic delivery systems and the Client's Intranet for use in connection with the Licensed Products.

## 9.) Force Majeure

EIU, its affiliates, and its information providers shall not be liable or deemed to be in default for any delay or failure in performance or interruption of the delivery of the Licensed Products resulting directly or indirectly from any cause or circumstance beyond its or their reasonable control, including but not limited to failure of any Site, API, FTP or any electronic or mechanical equipment or communication lines, telephone or other interconnect problems, supplier problems, computer viruses, unauthorized access, theft, operator errors, severe weather, earthquakes, or natural disasters, strikes or other labor problems, wars, or governmental restrictions.

### 10.) Taxes

Other than EIU's income taxes, the Client shall be responsible for the proper payment of all taxes that may be levied or assessed based on the Client's use of the Licensed Products, the Site, or on any payments by the Client to EIU hereunder, including but not limited to withholding taxes. Should withholding tax apply, the Client will be responsible for remitting all applicable withholding tax to the relevant tax authorities without deduction from the fees due to EIU under this Agreement.

### 11.) Amendment

This Agreement may only be amended or modified by express written consent of both parties hereto.

#### 12.) Miscellaneous

12.1 Assignment of Agreement. This Agreement is personal to the parties and the rights and obligations of the parties may not be assigned or otherwise transferred, provided, however, EIU may assign this Agreement to its successors, affiliates or to any entity that acquires all or substantially all of the assets of EIU.

12.2 *Non-Waiver*. No delay or omission on the part of either party in requiring performance by the other party of its obligations will operate as a waiver of any right.

12.3 *Notices*. Notices shall be given in writing by letter (for notices to EIU) or, in the case of notices to the Client, by email, or letter as EIU chooses, and shall be sent to the intended recipient's last known place of business (i) for EIU, in New York (for the attention of EIU Contracts Department) and (ii) for the Client, at the Client address or email address for the attention of the Client contact set out in the Subscription Order Form or online order form or otherwise notified to the EIU from time to time. For the purposes of this clause, the correct address details for Client shall be deemed to be those notified to EIU at least 10 days before the date of any notice EIU may give to Client. Such letters shall be deemed received on the date of dispatch if sent by fax or email (or on the following business day, if sent after the recipient's normal business hours) or on the expiry of 2 business days from the date of posting if sent by overnight post.

12.4 *No Joint Venture*. No joint venture, partnership, employment, or agency relationship exists between the Client and EIU as a result of this Agreement or the Client's use of the Licensed Products or the Site.

12.5 Severability. If any provision of this Agreement shall be invalid or unenforceable, such shall not render the entire Agreement unenforceable or invalid but rather the Agreement shall be read and construed as if the invalid or unenforceable provision(s) are not contained therein, and the rights and obligations of the parties shall be construed and enforced accordingly.

12.6 *Entire Agreement*. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between EIU and the Client and any terms implied by law which may be excluded by contract are excluded, save that nothing in this clause excludes liability for fraudulent misrepresentation.

12.7 Authority. Each party represents and warrants to the other that it has full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement (and, in the case of the Client, to bind its Authorized Users), and that the person signing this Agreement on behalf of each party has been properly authorized and empowered to enter into this Agreement ("Authorized Signatory").

12.8 *Confidentiality*. The terms of this Agreement (including the License Fee) shall be treated as confidential by the Client and shall not be disclosed to any third party without the prior written agreement of EIU unless disclosure is required by law or compelled by a court of competent jurisdiction.

12.9 *Changes to the Licensed Products.* EIU Reserves the right to: (i) change the content, presentation, means of delivery and/or access to and/or availability of all or parts of the Licensed Products; and (ii) cease publication of the Licensed Products, at its sole discretion. EIU will strive, where reasonable, to notify Client of more fundamental changes to, or the cessation of, the Licensed Products.

12.10 *Regulatory Affairs*. The sovereign ratings of EIU's Country Risk Service are regulated in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1060/2009 of 16 September 2009, on credit rating agencies, as amended by Regulation (EU) No. 513/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of May 11, 2011. For more details, including the publication schedule for ratings reports, see www.eiu.com/regulatoryaffairs.

## 13.) Governing Law

This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the United States of America and New York State, as if the Agreement were a contract wholly entered into and wholly performed within New York State, without reference to the choice of law provisions thereof. Both parties irrevocably agree to submit to the exclusive personal jurisdiction and venue of the federal and state courts presiding in New York, New York, U.S.A and the Client must file any cause of action it may have with respect to this Agreement within one year after the cause of action arose or such cause shall be barred, invalid, and void. EIU may pursue injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction over such actions.

# 14.) General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)

"The Parties agree to enter into a data processing agreement (DPA) to regulate the processing of personal data that stems/originates from this agreement. The Parties confirm that this agreement will be in compliance with the Regulation (Eu) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council ("GDPR").