

SOCIETY OF THE  
DIVINE WORD

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MANDATE TO PROCESS PERSONAL  
DATA

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WHEREAS,

- A. the Society of the Divine Word (“**SVD**”) is a Catholic religious congregation without legal personality under Italian civil law which, as regards the administration of its civil affairs and relationships, avails itself of the Collegio del Verbo Divino- Casa Generalizia della Società del Verbo Divino, a civilly recognized ecclesiastical entity with registered office in Rome, Via dei Verbiti, listed in the register of juridical persons of the Prefecture of Rome at No. 20024642 (the “**Casa Generalizia**”) and represented by the Rappresentante Legale.
- B. The SVD is engaged to protect the personal data and rights of data subjects in accordance with the General Decree of the Italian Bishops’ Conference (“*Provisions for the protection of the right to good fame and confidentiality*”) adopted on 24 May 2018 by its 71<sup>st</sup> General Assembly (the “**General Decree**”), which implements the EU General Data Protection Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data;
- C. Whereas, pursuant to Article 2, no. 7) of the General Decree, SVD shall be deemed the data controller, SVD processes personal data, including sensitive data, through the Casa Generalizia which acts as service entity pursuant to the aforementioned Article 2, no. 7) of the General Decree, assisting SVD in the organization and administration the congregational life, work and mission;
- D. SVD and the *Casa Generalizia* wish to implement the General Decree and to vest themselves with the policies, procedures and internal regulations that are deemed necessary to protect the personal data and rights of its members and of any third-party data subjects with which the Society and the *Casa Generalizia* may interact for the fulfilment of their mission, responsibility and duties.

NOW AND THEREFORE,

in order to formalize the role and functions of the *Casa Generalizia*, as well as the relationship between the latter and SVD as described in Recital C), the General Council of the SVD

**mandates and authorizes**

the Collegio del Verbo Divino-*Casa Generalizia della Società del Verbo Divino*, with registered office in Rome, Via dei Verbiti, 1,

to enact and implement any and all means, measures, procedures and regulations, deemed necessary to protect the personal data and rights of SVD’s members and of any third-party data subjects with which the Society or the *Casa Generalizia* may interact, in accordance and in compliance with the provisions set forth by the General Decree.

To this end, the *Casa Generalizia* as the administrative service entity of SVD, in the name and on behalf of the latter, may also determine the purposes and means of the processing of personal data.

This mandate has been decided and approved in Rome on May 27, 2019 in the ordinary session of the General Council of the Society of the Divine Word.

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