

A4ID WEBSITE INTERACTIVE FEATURES - TERMS OF USE

This site and its Interactive Features (defined below) are operated by A4ID a registered charity in England and Wales (Registered Charity Number 1118565) and we have our registered office at 24th Floor, The Broadgate Tower, 20 Primrose Street, London EC2A 2RS, United Kingdom.

The Interactive Features

Thank you for taking the time to contribute to our website. These rules ("**Rules**") set out the terms for use of the A4ID website's Interactive Features. The Interactive Features on the A4ID website include:-

- the A4ID blog(s) and any comments made in relation to the blog;
- debates or discussions on the A4ID website;
- online surveys

(the "**Interactive Features**")

Any submission of material to the Interactive Features means that you accept, and agree to abide by, all the terms and conditions of these Rules. These Rules supplement our terms of website use <http://www.a4id.org/terms> and our privacy policy [www.a4id.org/privacy].

Due to the sensitive nature of some issues discussed on our website, comments submitted by you ("**Contributions**") will be moderated. To the extent possible, each Contribution will be checked for compliance with the Contents Standards (discussed below) before it is published. Therefore we cannot guarantee that all Contributions will be published or how quickly Contributions will be posted. We reserve the right to remove, or to disable access to, any Contribution which does not adhere to these Rules. We expressly exclude our liability for any loss or damage arising from the use of the Interactive Features by any person in contravention of these Rules. We are under no obligation to oversee, monitor or moderate the Interactive Features provided on the website and we may stop moderating the Interactive Features at any time.

If you wish your Contribution to be anonymous, please leave the 'Name' field blank. Do not impersonate other participants or public figures.

To enable us to publish comments from as many different people as possible, please refrain from posting multiple Contributions [or creating multiple user identities for the purpose of abusing the service]. We reserve the right to terminate lengthy and involved discussions between a handful of people, [to edit comments for length] and to delete and/or close comments on a post that is irrelevant to the topic. We shall deem questions or comments of a personal nature irrelevant and may choose not to include them.

Content Standards

These Content Standards apply to each Contribution and they must be complied with in spirit as well as to the letter. A4ID will determine, in its discretion, whether a Contribution breaches the Content Standards.

A Contribution must:

- Be accurate (where it states facts).
- Be genuinely held (where it states opinions).
- Comply with the law applicable in England and Wales and in any country from which it is posted.
- Be relevant.

A Contribution must not:

- Be defamatory of any person.
- Be obscene, offensive, hateful or inflammatory.
- Promote discrimination based on race, sex, religion, nationality, disability, sexual orientation or age.
- Disclose the name, address, telephone, mobile or fax number, e-mail address or any other personal data in respect of any individual.
- Breach any legal duty owed to a third party, such as a contractual duty or a duty of confidence.
- Be in contempt of court.
- Be likely to harass, upset, embarrass, alarm or annoy any other person.
- Impersonate any person, or misrepresent your identity or affiliation with any person.
- Give the impression that the Contribution emanates from A4ID if this is not the case.
- Advocate, promote, incite any third party to commit, or assist any unlawful or criminal act.
- Contain any advertising or promote any services [or web links to other sites]. If you know of any worthy website relevant to the discussion, please inform our moderator via the contact us pages.]
- Infringe any copyright, database right or trade mark of any other person.

User Indemnity

By submitting a Contribution to the Interactive Features, you agree to grant A4ID a non-exclusive, irrevocable, perpetual, royalty-free, worldwide licence to use, edit, alter, reproduce, publish and/or distribute the material contained in your Contribution and the right to grant sub-licences. On submitting a Contribution, you warrant that this material is your own original work or that you have the right to grant A4ID the licence described above and you acknowledge that any breach of this warranty may cause us damage or loss and you agree to indemnify us in full and permanently against any third party liabilities, claims, costs, loss or damage we incur as a result of including material you submit to us, including consequential loss.) [If you are not in a position to grant such a licence to A4ID, please do not submit the Contribution to the Interactive Features.]

Children

The use of the Interactive Features by a minor is subject to the consent of a parent or guardian. We advise parents to communicate to children about safety online. Minors who are using the Interactive Features should be made aware of the potential risks to them and of their obligation to comply with these Rules when using the Interactive Features. We will do our best to assess any possible risks to minors from third parties when they use the Interactive Features, and we will decide in each case whether it is appropriate to use moderation of the relevant service (including what kind of moderation to use) in the light of those risks.

Suspension and termination

Failure to comply with these Rules including the Content Standards constitutes a material breach of the terms of use under which you are permitted to use the Interactive Features, and may result in our taking all or any of the following actions:

- Immediate, temporary or permanent withdrawal of your right to use the Interactive Features.
- Immediate, temporary or permanent removal of any Contribution already posted on the Interactive Features.
- Issue of a warning to you.
- Legal proceedings against you for reimbursement of all costs on an indemnity basis (including, but not limited to, reasonable administrative and legal costs) resulting from the breach.
- Further legal action against you.
- Disclosure of such information to law enforcement authorities as we reasonably feel is necessary or as required by law. In particular, we may need to reveal your registration information and/or IP address to authorities.

We exclude our liability for all action we may take in response to breaches of these Rules. The actions described above are not limited, and we may take any other action we reasonably deem appropriate.

If you wish to complain about any Contribution posted to the Interactive Features, please contact us info@a4id.org. We will then review the Contribution and decide whether it complies with our Content Standards. We will deal with any Contribution which, in our opinion, violates our Content Standards as described above (see section "Breach of these Rules"). We will inform you of the outcome of our review within a reasonable time of receiving your complaint.

We may revise these Rules at any time. You are expected to check this page from time to time to take notice of any changes we make, as they are legally binding on you.