

# Privacy Policy and data processing policy

## Progrès Insurance Company Ltd

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### 1. Brief summary

Basic insurance in case of illness is compulsory for all residents of Switzerland. Progrès Insurance Company Ltd (**Progrès**) is one of the health insurance companies responsible for handling this statutory health insurance and offers all services required by law. Progrès belongs to the Helsana Group and has entrusted Helsana Insurance Company Ltd with the performance of all tasks related to the handling of statutory health insurance, such as benefit payments and premium collection as well as the processing of any personal data in this connection. Personal data is considered to be any information relating to an identified or identifiable (natural) person. This primarily concerns data regarding individuals insured by Progrès who disclose their personal data to Progrès themselves. This data includes, for example, contact information such as names, addresses and telephone numbers. In order to fulfil its legal mandate, Progrès relies on further personal data such as date of birth, AHV and insurance numbers as well as information concerning an individual's health.

Since Progrès attaches great importance to the protection of this data, some of which is particularly sensitive in nature, this Privacy Policy will provide information regarding:

- who is responsible for data processing;
- which data is collected and processed from which persons;
- who collects and processes data and how;
- for what purpose will the data be processed and on which legal basis;
- to whom the data will be disclosed;
- how long the data will be stored;
- the specific rights of the persons concerned.

### 2. Applicability of the Privacy Policy

This Privacy Policy explains the collection and further processing of personal data by Progrès. At the same time, it serves as a data processing policy within the meaning of Art. 11 and Art. 21 of the Ordinance to the Federal Act on Data Protection (**VDSG**) in conjunction with Art. 84b of the Federal Health Insurance Act (**KVG**).

This is without prejudice to the right to collect and further process personal data covered by other privacy policies or terms of use, which has arisen through specific circumstances or which is governed by law.

### 3. Data controller, data protection officer

For the procurement and further processing of personal data in connection with the handling of statutory health insurance, Progrès is the data controller (in particular within the meaning of Art. 4 (7) of the European General Data Protection Regulation [GDPR] and the Federal Data Protection Act, insofar as the respective provisions apply in individual cases).

Any requests, claims or information related to data protection law as it concerns Progrès may be sent to the data protection officer of Progrès at the following contact address and must be accompanied by a copy of an official form of identification:

Progrès Insurance Company Ltd  
Data Protection Officer  
PO Box  
CH-8081 Zurich

To the extent that Progrès falls within the scope of the GDPR, Active-Assets A<sup>2</sup> GmbH serves both as its data protection officer within the meaning of Art. 37 GDPR and its representative pursuant to Art. 27 GDPR. The contact details are:

Active-Assets A<sup>2</sup> GmbH  
Gottlieb-Daimler-Str. 5  
78467 Constance  
Germany  
[privacy@helsana.ch](mailto:privacy@helsana.ch)

### 4. Collection, processing and use of personal data

#### 4.1 Persons concerned

Progrès collects and processes personal data of

- individuals who are or have been insured by Progrès or another health insurance company of the Helsana Group;
- individuals designated as the head of a family, payer or authorised person (they do not necessarily have to be insured by Progrès).
- individuals assigned by the cantons to Progrès or another health insurance company of the Helsana Group to ensure compliance with the insurance obligation (cf. Art. 6 KVG);
- participants in market research, customer satisfaction and opinion surveys conducted by Progrès or an insurance company of the Helsana Group;
- potential customers or individuals with an interest in the products and services of Progrès

(collectively referred to as **customers**).

Furthermore, Progrès collects and processes data from service providers, medical examiners, contractors, sales partners and other business partners of Progrès as well as their employees and contacts (**partners**);

Progrès processes the following categories of personal data of customers:

- **Personal data and contact information:** this includes, but is not limited to, first name, surname, gender, date of birth, age, marital status, AHV and insurance numbers, languages, nationality, cantonal and municipal affiliation, (e-mail) address, telephone number, health data (e.g. health declaration), family members, etc.
- **Data related to communications:** this includes information such as preferred communication channel, correspondence and communication with Progrès by letter, e-mail, telephone, the myHelsana online client portal or by any other means (including records of communication), customer satisfaction, etc.
- **Contract data:** type of insurance and coverage, type and scope of benefits, date of entry and withdrawal, suspension, deductibles.
- **Data related to benefit processing:** this includes, among other things, service providers, diagnoses, medical reports, information from medical examiners, benefit costs, bank and post account details, payments, data from third-party insurers, information in connection with queries, invoices from the service provider.
- **Data related to the calculation and collection of premiums:** this specifically includes insurance premiums, premium invoicing, cantonal premium reduction, collection data, information about creditworthiness, etc.
- **Data related to legal disputes:** this includes, in particular, data relating to complaints and differences regarding benefits and/or the contracts concluded for this purpose, such as recourse and disputes, as well as data from the case files of public authorities and courts, etc.
- **Data related to the use of the myHelsana online client portal:** this includes in particular IP addresses and other identifiers (e.g., MAC address of the smartphone or computer, cookies), access data (including passwords), date and duration of the insurance contract relationship, date, time and number of visits to the Website, pages and content accessed, referring websites.
- **Data related to the marketing of products and services:** this includes information such as newsletter subscriptions and unsubscriptions, documents received and special activities, personal preferences and interests, etc.
- **Data related to case management:** information on health, employer and employment relationship, medical, social and job-specific conditions and corresponding need for support, etc.

(collectively referred to as **customer data**).

Furthermore, Progrès processes the following categories of personal data of partners:

- **Data of service providers, contractors and other business partners and information on their employees and contacts,** in particular contact details, information about their function, information on previous dealings with these persons, information on marketing activities (e.g. receipt of newsletters), information on business transactions, requests, quotes, offers, conditions and contracts (in particular in connection with agreed rates), information on training and professional occupation, etc. (**partner data**).

Within the framework of their business relationship, customers will have to provide any customer data necessary or legally prescribed for the establishment and processing of the contractual relationship and fulfilment of the associated contractual obligations. As a rule, Progrès will not be able to conclude or execute the contract with the respective customer without this data. The same also applies to the

partner data, to the extent that business relations with service providers, suppliers and business partners of Progrès are concerned; in principle, these cannot be concluded and processed without information on their employees and other contacts. Access to services offered on the Website (in particular in connection with the myHelsana client portal) and the related collection of connection data (such as IP addresses) must also be logged; this happens automatically during use and cannot be disabled for individual visitors or customers.

## 4.2 Data sources

The personal data is primarily collected in direct communication with customers (letter, contact and application forms, e-mail, telephone, website use or by other means) and within the context of website use.

Personal data may also be collected indirectly, in particular through

- persons and bodies authorised by customers;
- other (health) insurers both within and outside the Helsana Group (Art. 84a KVG);
- service providers and medical examiners;
- the exchange of information within the scope of mutual administrative assistance (Art. 32 of the Federal Act on the General Part of Social Insurance Law [ATSG]);
- publicly accessible sources (e.g. Internet, press, media, registers);
- purchase of additional information from third-party data sources (e.g. address traders).

## 4.3 Data processors or agencies involved

Statutory health insurance is primarily handled by employees of regional customer services and general agencies/sales offices of Helsana Insurance Company Ltd. For this task, they process personal data including particularly sensitive personal data from the database of Progrès (cf. Section 9).

When implementing statutory health insurance, employees have access to the data required for the respective task within the scope of the data processing activities listed below (the **data activities**):

- sales channel management and sales support;
- proposal preparation;
- new customer business;
- customer service;
- contract management;
- benefits management;
- services contracting;
- staff insurance;
- medical examination service;
- public health sciences;
- collection, financial and actuarial services;
- risk compensation;

- audit, risk, legal and compliance;
- IT management and data protection management;
- provident fund;
- purchasing.

Process owners ensure compliance with the provisions of the instructions and regulations on data processing in connection with data-related activities at Progrès. They are responsible for ensuring that their application data is only made available within the legally defined framework.

#### **4.4 Automated individual decision-making**

At Progrès, automated individual decisions are made during benefit processing. If customers or service providers submit an invoice to Progrès, the system checks whether the benefit claimed falls under the statutory benefits catalogue (Art. 24 ff. Federal Health Insurance Act [KVG], Art. 33 ff. Health Insurance Ordinance [KVV] and Health Care Benefits Ordinance [KLV]) and thus also automatically decides whether an entitlement exists. No profiling is performed, as only the invoices are checked against contract and tariff data (cf. Section 4.5). If debt collection proceedings have been initiated in connection with collection services, the next steps (application for continuation of liquidation, bankruptcy proceedings, application for sale, etc.) are automated such that they are filed if the deadline has been exceeded but the claim has not yet been settled.

Automated individual decisions such as these are made because they are necessary for the fulfilment of the insurance contract between the customer and Progrès and because appropriate measures exist to ensure that the rights and legitimate interests of the persons concerned are safeguarded (cf. Section 11).

#### **4.5 Profiling**

At Progrès, automated processing of personal data to evaluate certain personal aspects relating to natural persons (profiling) takes place in the following areas or for the following purposes:

- sales activities and customer surveys as well as offer management;
- payment behaviour and cost analysis.

Progrès evaluates data obtained from various sources according to specific criteria. It does this in particular to determine which products might be of interest to certain people or to develop products that are tailored to the needs of certain people.

### **5. Purpose and legal basis of data processing**

#### **5.1 Customer data**

Customer data is primarily collected for the proper implementation of statutory health insurance in accordance with the following purposes defined by law (Art. 84 KVG):

- compliance with the insurance obligation;
- premium calculation and collection;

- assessment of benefit entitlements, the calculation and granting of benefits and coordination with the benefits granted by other social insurance schemes;
- assessment of the entitlement to premium reductions in accordance with Art. 65 KVG and the calculation and granting of reductions;
- enforcement of rights of recourse against a liable third party;
- keeping statistics;
- assignment and verification of the policyholder number of the old-age and survivors' insurance;
- calculating the risk compensation.
- announcements to third parties in accordance with Art. 84a KVG.

Moreover, data processing is performed in particular and to the extent permitted by law (also) for the following purposes:

- for the protection of customers, employees and other persons, especially in the event of threats to employees and data protection, the secrets and assets entrusted to Progrès, security of the systems and buildings of Progrès;
- in connection with services offered, contract conclusion, contract handling, the cultivation and development of customer relations, communication, customer service and support, promotions, advertising and marketing (including newsletters and sending of advertising material);
- management, operation and further development of the website (including the provision of functions requiring identifying factors or other personal data) and other IT systems, ID checks;
- compliance with the legal and regulatory requirements and internal rules of Progrès, prosecution and implementation of various rights, defence of legal claims, civil proceedings, complaints, combating abuse, for the purposes of legal investigations or proceedings and to respond to requests from authorities;
- quality control, market research, product and service development, compilation of statistics, budgets, records and management information and other reports on customers, transactions and activities, offers and other business aspects of Progrès for the purposes of managing and developing the company, its offering and activities, project management;
- sale or purchase of business divisions, companies or parts of companies and other corporate transactions and the associated transfer of customer data;
- for other purposes where a legal obligation requires processing and such processing was evident from the circumstances or indicated at the time of the collection

(together the **purpose of customer data processing**).

Progrès uses customer data for the purpose of customer processing on the following legal bases:

- contract fulfilment;
- fulfilment of a legal obligation on the part of Progrès;
- customer's consent (particularly if such processing is based on specific enquiries for which consent can be withdrawn at any time, such as for the receipt of newsletters subscribed to by the customer);
- legitimate interests of Progrès, especially

- for the efficient, effective protection of customers, employees and other persons, for the protection of the data, secrets and assets of Progrès as well as those entrusted to it, and for the security of the systems and buildings of Progrès;
- compliance with the legal and regulatory requirements and internal rules of Progrès;
- efficient and effective customer care, cultivating contacts and other communication with customers for purposes other than those of contract processing;
- maintenance and secure, efficient and effective organisation of business operations including a secure, efficient and effective operation and successful further development of the website and other IT systems;
- sale and delivery of products and services, also with reference to persons who are not direct contractual partners (e.g. beneficiaries);
- meaningful corporate management and development;
- understanding customer behaviour, requests, existing conditions and needs, market studies;
- efficient and effective improvement of existing products and services and development of new products and services;
- conducting advertising and marketing;
- operation of the IT systems of Progrès;
- successful sale or purchase of business divisions, companies or parts of companies and other corporate transactions;
- concerns regarding the prevention of fraud, offences and crimes as well as investigations in connection with such offences and other inappropriate conduct, handling of legal claims and proceedings against Progrès, participation in legal proceedings and cooperation with authorities, and otherwise the establishment, exercise of or defence of legal claims.

## **5.2 Partner data**

Progrès may process partner data to the extent permitted by applicable data protection law, in particular for the following purposes: the conclusion and execution of contracts and other business relations with partners, promotions, advertising and marketing, communication, invitations to events and participation in special offers for partners, carrying out joint activities, compliance with the legal and regulatory requirements and internal rules of Progrès, tracking and implementation of various rights, defence of legal claims, civil litigation, complaints, combating fraud and abuse, for the purposes of legal investigations or proceedings and to respond to requests from authorities, for the sale or purchase of business divisions, companies or parts of companies and other corporate transactions and the associated transfer of partner data. It does so on the same basis as described above for customer data.

## **6. Disclosure of data to third parties**

### **6.1 Duty of confidentiality**

All employees of Progrès are obligated to uphold the duty of confidentiality (Art. 33 ATSG, Federal Act on the General Part of Social Insurance Law). If they violate this duty of confidentiality, employees are subject to special statutory penalties (Art. 54 KVAG). Employees are aware of the penalties and also sign an agreement to maintain secrecy and confidentiality when they join Progrès.

## 6.2 Exceptions to the duty of confidentiality

The exceptions to the duty of confidentiality are governed by law (Art. 84, Art. 84a KVG and Art. 32 ATSG, Federal Act on the General Part of Social Insurance Law) and exist, unless barred by an overriding personal interest, in particular for the processing of personal data by

- third parties on behalf of Progrès;
- additional third parties in individual cases if the data subject has granted consent in writing, it is not possible to obtain consent, or consent may be assumed to be in the interest of the insured person under the given circumstances;
- other health or social insurance companies, insofar as this is necessary for the fulfilment of their statutory duties or there is a statutory disclosure obligation;
- other authorities, courts and official bodies (e.g. in connection with withholding taxes, federal statistics, criminal charges, crime prevention and premium collection).

Non-personal data may be disclosed if it is of overriding interest. Data of general interest may be published provided that the anonymity of the person concerned is guaranteed.

## 6.3 Categories of third parties

To the extent permitted by applicable (data protection) law, Progrès may pass on customer data and partner data to the following categories of third parties who process the personal data for the respective processing purpose on behalf of Progrès or for their own purposes:

- persons concerned (especially insured persons) and third parties authorised by them;
- family head indicated in the contract (if applicable) with respect to data relating to other family members who are also insured;
- other companies of the Helsana Group (in particular of Helsana Insurance Company Ltd) for the purpose of processing the contractual relationship;
- other (health) insurers outside the Helsana Group;
- industry organisations, associations, organisations and other bodies;
- service providers, medical examiners, ombudsmen;
- contractors (inside and outside the Helsana Group); including order processors;
- suppliers and other business partners;
- acquirers or parties interested in acquiring business divisions, companies or other parts of Progrès;
- media;
- the public, including visitors to the Websites and social media of the Helsana Group;
- local, national and foreign authorities and official bodies (in particular federal and cantonal bodies, disability insurance offices, etc.);
- other parties in possible or actual legal proceedings.



## **7. Transfer of data abroad**

Progrès may transfer customer data, visitor data and partner data within Progrès as well as to third parties in any country of the world, especially to all countries in which the service providers of Progrès process their data (e.g. the Netherlands, Ireland, Germany). If data is transferred to a country without adequate data protection, Progrès guarantees adequate protection through the use of sufficient contractual guarantees, specifically on the basis of EU standard contractual clauses, binding corporate rules or based on exceptions with respect to consent, contract execution, the determination, exercise or enforcement of legal claims, overriding public interest, the data published by customers, visitors or partners, or because it is necessary to protect the integrity of these individuals. Customers, visitors and partners may request a copy of the contractual guarantees by sending a written request along with a copy of an official form of identification to the contact address specified above (see Section 3) or find out there where a copy of this nature may be obtained. Progrès reserves the right to black out such copies for reasons of data protection or secrecy.

In particular, data is transferred abroad to the joint institution which serves as the legal liaison body between Progrès and the social insurance institutions of EU countries, namely for the purpose of coordinating benefit statements (Art. 95a KVG and Art. 19 of the Health Insurance Ordinance).

## **8. Data retention**

As a matter of principle, Progrès stores contract-related customer data and partner data for the duration of the contractual relationship and for ten years following the termination of the contractual relationship provided that, in individual cases, no shorter or longer legal storage obligations apply, this is necessary as evidence, another exception exists that is valid under applicable law, or earlier deletion is warranted (specifically because the data is no longer required or Progrès is obliged to delete it).

In the case of operational data containing customer data, visitor data or partner data (e.g. protocols, logs), shorter retention periods of no more than thirteen months generally apply.

Business documents, including communication, are kept as long as Progrès has an interest in them (in particular, as evidence in the case of claims, documentation of compliance with certain statutory and other requirements, an interest in non-personal evaluation) or is obliged to do so (contractually, legally or on the basis of other requirements). This is without prejudice to statutory obligations, such as those which relate to the anonymisation or pseudonymisation of data.

## **9. Progrès database**

### **9.1 Structure**

The Progrès database is broken down by data activity and comprises the following categories:

- sales channel management and sales support;
- proposal preparation;
- new customer business;
- customer service;
- contract management;
- benefits management;

- services contracting;
- staff insurance;
- medical examination service;
- public health sciences;
- collection, financial and actuarial services;
- risk compensation;
- audit, risk, legal and compliance;
- IT management and data protection management;
- provident fund;
- purchasing.

Various interfaces, such as MediData, enable direct contact with external contractors and service providers, for example when the service provider bills Progrès directly. Furthermore, there is an interface via which certain service providers can perform an online check of an insured person's insurance cover. Data protection and the relevant data security are guaranteed by a strong authentication process and modern encryption and transmission technology.

## **9.2 Usage and data access**

### **9.2.1 Authorised users**

Individuals authorised to access the Progrès information system include:

- employees of Progrès, to the extent that they require such access to carry out their mandate to "manage health insurance";
- system administrators of Progrès;
- contractually mandated service providers,

(collectively referred to as **authorised users**).

### **9.2.2 Authorised user management**

Authorised users are managed centrally by the IT organisation of Progrès. Internal employees are reported via the HR interface and external employees via the respective sourcing. New identities and accounts are only entered if a valid employment contract or service contract exists and the rights have been approved accordingly by the line manager.

### **9.2.3 Personal access authorisation**

When joining Progrès, each authorised user is granted access rights to information as defined in the role model and on the basis of his or her function. Any other rights required must be requested individually via the authorisation portal. In this case, each request must be confirmed by the direct superior and, depending on the authorisation role, also by the role approver.

#### **9.2.4 Cancellation of access authorisation**

Authorised users only have access to the Progrès information system for as long as they need the data to do their work. When leaving or changing tasks within Progrès, their access authorisation is cancelled and the access authorisation they need for the new area of responsibility is reassigned in accordance with the role model.

#### **9.2.5 Training for authorised users**

Authorised users attend training courses for the different applications and subsystems.

#### **9.2.6 Manuals and processing guidelines for authorised users**

Appropriate documentation is available for the subsystems. Data processing is also defined in instructions, regulations and benefits manuals as well as in lists. These are updated by the responsible organisational units on a regular basis.

The responsible organisational units use specific instructions to establish a consistent benefit assessment level in accordance with the KVG for the entire insurance region of Switzerland.

#### **9.2.7 IT service providers**

To the extent that the operation of the Progrès information system is outsourced to external IT service providers, such external IT service providers follow the same regulations as the division.

### **10. Technical and organisational measures**

#### **10.1 Access control**

All rooms at Progrès that are used to process particularly sensitive personal data are protected either electronically or manually from access by unauthorised persons. The responsible persons keep a log documenting key management and electronic access control. The physical security officer may at any time request to inspect this log or have evaluations performed. The zones requiring protection determine the security measures. Workplaces are protected from access by unauthorised third parties. Special rooms and sensitive rooms, such as the technical rooms and the data centres, are secured as follows:

- More stringent physical security requirements are used exclusively to restrict access to the electronic data carriers in the data centres operated by the IT organisation of Progrès and the decentralised servers operated by the IT organisation of Progrès to specially authorised persons.
- The electronic data carriers in decentralised servers and computers which are not operated by the IT organisation of Progrès are subject to similar security precautions as those which are operated by them.

#### **10.2 Control of personal data carriers**

Precautions implemented in the IT systems allow only authorised persons to process data on the electronic data carriers. Only authorised persons have access to the Progrès information system.

### **10.3 Authentication of authorised users**

Access to the subsystems of the Progrès information system is protected by the user ID combined with a temporary individual password.

### **10.4 Disclosure control**

Data recipients, to whom personal data are disclosed by means of data transmission devices, are identified via the interfaces (e.g. online coverage queries by service providers in connection with the use of the insurance card).

### **10.5 Transmission of data**

Data transmission between the data terminal stations and the host computers is protected by the transmission protocol.

### **10.6 Storage control**

The authorised users receive specific authorisations to make changes to data fields as required for the purpose of carrying out their work in accordance with KVG.

### **10.7 Technical requirements for end devices**

Access to the internal network of Progrès is restricted, protected by specific means of control and monitored. External IT service providers have similar arrangements in place for their networks.

### **10.8 Measures to protect data (confidentiality) with respect to end devices**

The data terminals are located in protected zones. Mobile data terminals contain data storage devices that are protected by a strong, password-based encryption method.

Printed data is stored in such a way that third parties (e.g. housekeeping staff) cannot view and/or copy it. This data is either stored in lockable containers or disposed of using shredders or Datarec in accordance with internal instructions.

### **10.9 Logging**

In addition to controlling access to the Progrès information system by means of an authorisation procedure as well as the protection afforded by personal user IDs and passwords, some individual subsystems have a log that documents all automated processing to make it possible to subsequently determine whether data was processed for the purposes for which it was collected or disclosed. This log is compiled in accordance with Art. 10 VDSG: Logs are retained for a thirteen-month period in compliance with audit requirements. They are only accessible to the bodies responsible for monitoring data protection and data security regulations and may only be used for this purpose. Some external IT service providers have their own similar yet different rules regarding audit logs.

## 10.10 Development

Requests for the system's further development are compiled and defined, budgeted and implemented as maintenance projects, small projects or projects. This approach is regulated within the scope of the "Helsana Project Procedure".

## 10.11 Support for authorised users and duty to report

The functional management of the respective divisions provides professional support to all authorised users. Technical support for the data terminals and the network is provided by the IT organisation of Progrès or outsourced.

The authorised users are informed of the Progrès information system's security rating as well as the regulations on how to handle the system and its data. The provisions are described in operation manuals under the heading of Information Security. The authorised users are aware of the penalties that could be imposed for intentional or negligent breaches of information security.

All authorised users are obliged to report the following findings to the process owner or representative of the authorised users:

- observed or suspected vulnerabilities or security deficiencies in the system;
- security measures that have not been implemented or observed;
- unforeseen events that may have an impact on information security.

## 10.12 Supervision and responsibility

The process owners of the subsystems are responsible for ensuring that the authorised users comply with the instructions and this data processing policy and that the external IT service providers comply with their contractual requirements.

## 11. Rights of customers, visitors and partners

Every person concerned, customer, visitor and partner has the right of access to personal data concerning them stored by Progrès. They also have the right to request that Progrès rectify, delete or restrict the processing of their personal data and to object to such processing of their personal data. If the processing of personal data is based on consent, the data subject may withdraw this consent at any time. In EU/EEA countries, the person concerned has the right in certain cases to receive the data generated by their use of online services in a structured, commonly used and machine-readable format that enables the further use and transmission of such data. Requests related to these rights must be sent in writing to the contact address provided (see Section 3) along with a copy of an official form of identification. Progrès reserves the right to restrict the rights of the person concerned within the scope of the applicable law and, for example, to refrain from providing complete information or deleting data.

If Progrès automatically takes a decision concerning an individual person, which has a legal impact or significantly affects the person concerned in a similar way, the person concerned may speak to a competent person at Progrès and request a reconsideration of the decision, or demand from the very start that this be assessed by a competent person, to the extent provided for by law. In this case, the person concerned might no longer be able to use certain automated services. The person will be informed of such decisions subsequently or separately in advance.

Every person concerned has the right to file a complaint with the competent data protection authority. In Switzerland, this is the Federal Data Protection and Information Commissioner (<http://www.edoeb.admin.ch>).

## **12. Changes to the Privacy Policy**

Progrès may modify this Privacy Policy at any time without advance notice and without notification. The version currently published on the website shall apply.

If the Privacy Policy forms part of an agreement reached with customers and partners, Progrès may inform them of any changes by e-mail or in another suitable way in the event of an update. If no objection is received within thirty days, the new Privacy Policy shall be deemed to have been agreed. If an objection is lodged, Progrès shall be entitled to extraordinarily terminate the agreement without notice.