

# Buffalo Airways Virtual

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## Privacy Policy

Buffalo Airways Virtual is committed to keeping your information safe and private. This policy includes all relevant information on how we collect and use your personal information. Buffalo Airways Virtual is a data controller, we collect information from people. We take all necessary steps to comply with the Data Protection Act 1998.

### What information do we collect?

We may collect, store and use the following:

**1.1a** Information about your computer and visits to our website; IP address, Location, Page Views, Length Of Visit.

**1.2a** Information you provide during registration, Full Name, Date Of Birth, Country Of Origin, E-Mail Address.

**1.3a** Any other information you may choose to send us.

### Cookies:

Cookies are small files which are stored on a user's computer. They are designed to hold a modest amount of data specific to a particular client and website, and can be accessed either by the web server or the client computer. This allows the server to deliver a page tailored to a particular user, or the page itself can contain some script which is aware of the data in the cookie and so is able to carry information from one visit to the website (or related site) to the next.

Each cookie is effectively a small lookup table containing pairs of (key, data) values - for example (first name, John) (last name, Smith). Once the cookie has been read by the code on the server or client computer, the data can be retrieved and used to customise the web page appropriately.

There is a lot of concern about privacy and security on the internet. Cookies do not in themselves present a threat to privacy, since they can only be used to store information that the user has volunteered or that the web server already has. Whilst it is possible that this information could be made available to specific third party websites, this is no worse than storing it in a central database.

## **What will you use my personal information for?**

Personal information will be used for purposes specified in this policy or any other relevant parts of Buffalo Airways Virtual.

We use your information to do the following;

**2.1b** Administer the website

**2.2b** Improve the website by making it compatible with your browser.

**2.3b** Enable you to have the full experience of Buffalo Airways Virtual.

**2.4b** Send general e-mails, eg; NOTAMs and Event Reminders.

**2.5b** Deal with complaints and questions about you or the website.

Buffalo Airways Virtual will not provide your personal information to any third parties.

Personal information such as your Name and Country is visible to all website visitors, Date Of Birth is only visible on the forum however requires a login to view the profile and information.

## **How can I be sure the information is secure?**

We take technical precautions to prevent the loss, misuse or alteration of your personal information.

We store all personal information you provide on our secure password and firewall secured servers.

You are responsible for keeping your own password and user details confidential, Buffalo Airways Virtual will not be held responsible for loss of information in this case.

Although the internet is relatively secure we recommend not using Wi-Fi or any other wireless network unless it is firewall protected and has a password.

## **Your Rights**

Under the Data Protection Act 1998, you have the right to request proof of the personal information we collect. We will send you a photographic identification which will show all of the information we have collected. – Please contact [privacy@buffaloairwaysvirtual.com](mailto:privacy@buffaloairwaysvirtual.com) and allow 72hrs for a reply.

## **Third Party Websites**

Buffalo Airways Virtual is not responsible for any third party privacy policy's or data collection.

**If you wish to contact us, please use this e-mail:** [privacy@buffaloairwaysvirtual.com](mailto:privacy@buffaloairwaysvirtual.com)