



## **INFORMATION SECURITY AND INDUSTRIAL CYBERSECURITY POLICY**

### **FRONTERA ENERGY CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES ("FRONTERA" or the "CORPORATION")**

#### **1. BACKGROUND**

The information security and industrial cybersecurity policy (the "**Policy**") is an action framework that aims, in terms of information security, to protect strategic information and assets related to its creation, processing, storage, transmission, elimination or destruction; and in terms of industrial cybersecurity, to protect risk receptors (business, reputational, relationship and security, health and environment) for the Corporation and its subsidiaries.

Information assets include but are not limited to processes, information (electronic, physical and any other type of information that originates from non-conventional means), persons, hardware, software, intellectual property, databases, services, unstructured information and control systems.

The need for interconnection between industrial electronic devices and enterprise information systems, such as the adoption of open technologies commonly used in Information Technology (IT) environments in Industrial Control and Automation Systems (ICAS), generates new cybersecurity risks that did not exist before. The consequences of materializing these risks could not only impact production and cause financial losses, but also environmental impacts and affection to people's health. The above has a direct impact on the achievement of strategic objectives and the Corporation's operational continuity.

#### **2. DECLARATION OF THE POLICY**

##### **2.1 INFORMATION SECURITY**

The Corporation recognizes information as an asset that is of the utmost importance for the business, that allows it to achieve its objectives and maintain its competitive advantage, as such, we must generate the mechanisms necessary to protect it guaranteeing its integrity throughout time.

Information, throughout its life cycle, must be available, be unambiguous and catalogued in a manner that is consistent with its value, importance and the privacy required by its nature.

This policy and the guidelines that support it define the following basic principles:

- We generate a culture aimed towards the secure use of information and the means that support it by employees, contractors and third parties, through the strengthening of knowledge and

the development of competencies that allow mitigation of cybersecurity risks; as well as strengthening of the necessary technical capacity.

- From the Senior ITS Office and the Information Security Office we developed together with all areas in the Corporation processes to manage risks to allow us to identify and assess the different threats and vulnerabilities which information may be exposed to, including the technological platform and the industrial control systems. As a result, control and treatment measures that support the achievement of the Corporation's objectives are defined and implemented.
- We promote the adequate use of the technological resources provided by Frontera, which must be used only to carry out the purpose for which they were assigned; said resources must be used in a way that protects copyright and intellectual property and in no case may be used for any illegal activity or use that is not aligned with our corporate values. In addition, Frontera reserves the right to access the corporate assets and the technological services provided by the Corporation.
- We comply with all laws, regulations, and contractual requirements, as well as with the internal guidelines provided to manage confidential information and/or personal information guaranteeing its integrity, confidentiality, and access only by authorized personnel.
- All directors, officers, employees (temporary, fixed term or permanent), consultants, contractors, subcontractors, interns, seconded staff, remote-workers, apprentices, or any other person that works for (hereinafter “**Frontera Personnel**”), regardless of location, must be discrete when speaking about their work at Frontera, especially when meeting at public places or when surrounded by others who should not have access to this type of information.
- For execution of services, the Corporation’s contractors, subcontractors or third parties, must comply with **A-SCM-CC-007 INFORMATION SECURITY ANNEX** and the confidentiality clauses defined in the contracts.
- Projects developed by the Corporation that affect information security or the technological or mission critical platforms, must include, from their initial stages, the assessment of aspects related to the information security architecture in accordance with the defined guidelines.
- Frontera has defined monitoring and control mechanisms to minimize impact generated by information security incidents. All Frontera Personnel must report information security or cybersecurity incidents, suspicious events, breach of regulations and improper use of assets they identify which may affect the Corporation.
- Define, implement, operate and continuously improve an Information Security Management System, fostered by the Corporation's senior management.

## **2.2. INDUSTRIAL CYBERSECURITY**

The Corporation is committed to industrial cybersecurity to protect risk receptors (business, reputational, relationship, security, health and environment) against the potential consequences that

Industrial Control and Automation Systems (ICAS) can cause in the Corporation's industrial processes in the event of a cyber event. To achieve this goal, Frontera establishes this policy to define the objectives that the Industrial Cybersecurity Program should follow, which are described below:

- Ensure the effectiveness of industrial cyber risk management by mitigating the risk and keeping it at an acceptable level.
- Create and maintain a strong culture of industrial cyber risk.
- Apply international standards to mitigate industrial cyber risk.<sup>1</sup>

### **3. SCOPE AND MONITORING**

The scope of this policy is to protect all information assets and critical mission infrastructure in the Corporation's different production fields, to ensure that information security and cybersecurity risks are managed in a structured and adaptable manner to changes in the technological and business environment. Likewise, this policy is mandatory for all Frontera personnel, contractors, subcontractors, or third parties regardless of their location.

The board of directors of the Corporation (the "**Board**") is the body responsible for the approval hereof and this policy shall be reviewed by the Information Security Office according to a programmed schedule to identify opportunities for improvement. Unscheduled reviews shall occur because of material changes to the business practices, changes to the technological infrastructure and/or the industrial process, or due to new legal or regulatory requirements that impact information security or the industrial cybersecurity.

### **4. COMPLIANCE**

In case of breach, the Corporation reserves the right to apply the disciplinary measures and sanctions defined by Labour Laws, the Internal Work Rules, the Code of Business Conduct and Ethics or as defined by the terms and conditions of contracts entered with Frontera Personnel.

All Vice presidents, Directors and Senior Managers are responsible for guaranteeing compliance of the Information Security Policy in their teams.

### **5. VALIDITY**

This Policy is subject to approval by Frontera's Board of Directors, which shall be responsible for its maintenance and periodic review. The most recent revision of this Policy was approved on December 5, 2023.

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<sup>1</sup> *International standards correspond to the application of ISA / IEC -62443 Industrial Cybersecurity*

## **SCHEDULE A: Key Rules for Information Security Compliance**

Considering the evolution of technology, the ease with which information can be managed and the advance of collaborative work, the confidentiality and integrity of information becomes more relevant and each collaborator at Frontera is responsible for avoiding risks that may impact the organization's reputation or the loss of information.

We remind you that as users of the information and technological platforms provided by Frontera you must consider, at least, the following rules:

1. Do not use technological solutions that require licensing without prior authorization of ITS. All licenses must be authorized by the company and managed by ITS.
2. Do not deliver or publish, under any circumstance, confidential internal use information to third parties without proper approval. For example, databases with personal information, ongoing projects, reserved financial information, corporate images, among others.
3. Inadequate use of external devices may risk the security of information, such as USB and external hard drives.
4. Loaning passwords to access the network or corporate information systems is not allowed.
5. Do not share virtual workspaces with unauthorized personnel. In addition, storing information locally on corporate equipment and sharing information on personal clouds, such as personal Dropbox, OneDrive and Google Drive accounts, is prohibited.
6. Be careful with external emails, webpages, messages or networks that may expose the company to cyberattacks.
7. Permissions assigned over corporate information are the responsibility of each user, who must guarantee proper access and use of this information.

For compliance of the above rules all collaborators have the support of the Senior ITS Office and the Information Security Office, who will provide guidance on management thereof.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, we remind you that compliance of these rules is mandatory, and breach thereof may cause the application of disciplinary measures and sanctions, as per Labour Laws, the Internal Work Rules and the Code of Business Conduct and Ethics.