Notice to Suppliers

Rolls-Royce Supplier Minimum Cyber Security Standards (Version 2)

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Scope/Applicability: All Rolls-Royce suppliers and partners

Dear Supplier,

A change has been made to Rolls-Royce's cyber security standards for suppliers with the inclusion of the Artificial Intelligence (AI) security requirements.

At Rolls-Royce, the protection of our data, systems, and operations is paramount. In line with our ongoing commitment to cyber resilience and responsible technology use, we are releasing an important update to the Rolls-Royce Supplier Minimum Cyber Security Standards (MCSS) (version 2) with the addition of a new section, "AI Security" (please refer to the [Global Supplier Portal Cyber Security Requirements page](#)).

This update reflects the growing significance and impact of AI technologies in business operations. As such, it is critical that all AI applications used within our supply chain are implemented responsibly, securely and with full transparency to protect sensitive and customer data and uphold the integrity of our operations.

All suppliers must comply with the MCSS (version 2) AI security requirements if they are using systems, tools, or models to process Rolls-Royce data and/or provide goods or services to Rolls-Royce.

Action Required:

Suppliers must ensure that any AI system used in the provision of services to Rolls-Royce meets applicable AI security standards and risk management practices as outlined in the updated Supplier Minimum Cyber Security Standard (version 2), Section F: AI Security.

Suppliers must not deploy or use AI solutions in connection with Rolls-Royce business or process Rolls-Royce data, without prior notification and approval.

If your organisation is currently utilising or plans to utilise any AI tools or models in the provision of goods or services to Rolls-Royce, you must promptly notify your usual point of contact. Please provide details of the AI systems in use, including their purpose, architecture, and any third-party integrations.

Your cooperation is essential to maintain a secure and resilient supply chain. Rolls-Royce appreciates your support and your continued partnership in upholding the highest standards of security. If you have any questions, please get in touch with your usual Rolls-Royce point of contact.

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