# DEFENCE BANK INTERNATIONAL MONEY TRANSFERS

# TERMS AND CONDITIONS

**Effective 24 January 2019** 



#### 1. General

- 1.1 You signify your agreement to these terms and conditions (IMT terms) when you first request we provide you with an international money transfer (IM Transfer)
- 1.2 Italicised words have a special meaning as explained at the end of these *IMT terms* or in the *general account terms*.

#### 2. Applicable terms and conditions

- 2.1 These IMT *terms* as amended from time to time apply each time *we* make an *IM Transfer at your* request.
- 2.2 Subject to sub clause (3) the *general account terms* also apply when *we* make an *IM Transfer* at *your* request and debit *your nominated account* with the Australian dollar equivalent of the amount of the *IM Transfer*
- 2.3 The provisions in the *general account terms* dealing with *mistaken internet payments* do not apply to *IM Transfers*.
- 2.4 To the extent of any inconsistency between the *general account terms* and these IMT *terms*, these *IMT terms* prevail.

#### 3. We are the provider of IM Transfers

- 3.1 We provide the IM Transfers to you and your dealings are with us.
- 3.2 We have entered into an arrangement with Western Union Business Solutions (Australia) Pty Limited (WUBS) for them to assist us in facilitating the making of IM Transfers.
- 3.3 When we act on *your* request to make an *IM Transfer* WUBS will make that transfer on *our* behalf.
- 3.4 You do not have a realationship with WUBS. Your relationship is solely with us.

# 4. Requesting an IM Transfer

- 4.1 You may request we make an IM Transfer via online banking, mobile banking or in person at one of our branches.
- 4.2 When *you* request an *IM Transfer you* must provide *us* with all the information and documentation *we* require.

- 4.3 Before *you* are able to request an *IM Transfer* via online banking or mobile banking you must first apply for and register for the *IM Transfer* service.
- 4.4 We may cancel or block your access to make an IM Transfer via online banking or by mobile banking at any time, for any reason, in our absolute discretion.
- 4.5 We may accept or reject any request by you for an IM Transfer in our sole and absolute discretion.
- 4.6 If we decline a request to make an IM Transfer we do not have to give any reason why your request was declined.
- 4.7 You must read and understand the clauses of these terms respectively headed "IMPORTANT WARNING AND DISCLAIMER" and "Our Liability in Respect to IM Transfers" before you request an *IM Transfer*.

#### 5. Quote for and making an IM Transfer

- 5.1 When *you* request an *IM Transfer*, *we* will provide *you* with a quote for the making of the *IM Transfer* which *you* may accept.
- 5.2 When you accept a quote for the provision of the IM Transfer that constitutes:
  - (a) *your* acceptance of the IMT terms applicable at the time of acceptance of the quote;
  - (b) *your* authority for *us* to make the *IM Transfer* for *you*, and
  - (c) your authority for us to debit the amount of the IM Transfer requested (in Australian dollar equivalent) to your nominated account including the cost of any applicable fees and charges payable to us as advised to you.
- 5.3 We do not have to make an *IM Transfer* if there are insufficient funds in *your nominated account*.

# 6. Fees and Charges

- 6.1 Fees and charges relating to making *IM Transfers* and other *IM Transfer* services *we* provide may apply and are detailed either on the quote *we* provide to *you* in respect to an *IM Transfer* or in *our fees and charges brochure* as amended from time to time.
- 6.2 There may be fees and charges on *your nominated account* that also apply.

#### 7. Accuracy of information provided

- 7.1 *You* are responsible for the completeness and accuracy of the information *you* provide to in relation to a request for an *IM Transfer*.
- 7.2 If you believe you have made a mistake when providing information in relation to an *IM Transfer* request, you should contact us immediately.

# 8. Cancelling recalling and reversing an IM Transfer

- 8.1 When *you* accept *our* quote for the making of an *IM Transfer*, the *IM Transfer* will generally be made by *us* immediately thereafter and *you* will not be able to cancel the request once the quote has been accepted by *you*.
- 8.2 You have no right to request that we recall or reverse an IM Transfer once made
- 8.3 Generally an *IM Transfer* once made cannot be recalled or reversed. However, *you* may still request that *we* make contact with *WUBS* to request that they attempt to recall or cancel the *IM Transfer. We* will notify *you* of the response of *WUBS* to any such request made
- 8.4 *Your* right to cancel or seek a recall or reversal of an *IM Transfer,* or obtain a refund, is governed by these *IMT terms,* not the *general account terms.*

# 9. Daily Limits

- 9.1 We may impose limits on the individual and aggregate value of *IM Transfers* permitted.
- 9.2 These limits may be different from limits that apply to other payment types.
- 9.3 These limits will be notified to *you* from time to time.
- 9.4 *We* are not required to notify *you* of limit changes in advance.
- 9.5 We will inform you of any applicable limits on request.

#### 10. IMPORTANT WARNING AND DISCLAIMER

- 10.1 By requesting an *IM Transfer you* acknowledge and agree that the *IM Transfer* is undertaken solely at *your* own risk.
- 10.2 Neither we, nor WUBS or any of their or our subsidiary companies or agents are liable for any

delay, rejection, blocking, mistake or omission which may occur directly or indirectly relating to the *IM Transfer's* payment, transmission, misinterpretation when received, any failure to identify the payee or a failure to make a payment to the intended recipient (however caused) or the application of any applicable laws or regulatory constraints.

- 10.3 In sending IMTs, WUBS may use correspondent and/ or intermediary banks around the world to forward and process payments. Some of these banks may levy other processing charges which may vary between banks and countries. Where applicable, these charges are deducted from the transmitted funds and will result in the beneficiary receiving a lesser amount than that transmitted.
- 10.4 It is important to note that IMT transactions are subject to applicable laws and regulatory constraints. *You* acknowledge and accept that:
  - (a) funds may be delayed or services may be unavailable based on certain transaction conditions, including amount sent, destination country, currency availability, regulatory and foreign exchange issues, required receiver action(s), identification requirements, agent location hours, differences in time zones, or selection of delayed options. Additional restrictions may apply.
  - (b) applicable laws prohibit banks and money transmitters from doing business with certain individuals and countries. WUBS screens all transactions against lists of names provided by the governments of the countries in which WUBS does business, including the US Treasury Department's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) and the European Union. If a potential match is identified, WUBS investigates the transaction to determine whether the name matched is the individual on the relevant list. On occasions. you or recipients of the IM Transfer are required to provide additional identification or information, delaying transactions. You agree to comply with any request we

make to provide additional identification or information. This is a legal requirement for all transactions processed by *WUBS* (inclusive of transfers that originate and terminate outside of the US).

#### 11. Our Liability in Respect of IM Transactions

- 11.1 You agree that subject to your rights, which are implied by law and which cannot be excluded by these IMT terms, neither we nor WUBS will (other than in the case of fraud, negligence or wilful default) be liable for any loss or damage you may suffer or liability which you may incur as a direct or indirect consequence of any of the following:
  - (a) the provision or non-provision of any *IM Transfer;*
  - (b) the processing or failure to process a request for an *IM Transfer* or any other services related to an *IM Transfer*
  - (c) a breakdown or interruption in any computer system, online banking or mobile banking or the availability of the *IM Transfer* services due to circumstances which are not under our direct control;
  - (d) corruption of data or any breakdown or interruption to *your* computer or any other equipment utilised to access *online banking*, *mobile banking* or the *IM Transfer* services;
  - (e) any error or delay in the execution of any *IM Transfer* instructions *you* provide to *us* if the error or delay is due to circumstances not under *our* or *WUB's* direct control, or
  - (f) a refusal to receive or action any *IM Transfer* request made by *you* or to provide *IM Transfer* services to *you*.
- 11.2 You agree that in the event of a breakdown or interruption to the IM Transfer services or any failure or an error in any transmission of information in respect of the provision of IMT services or online banking or mobile banking, neither we nor WUBS will (other than in the case of fraud, negligence or wilful default) be liable for any resulting loss except that we will:

- (a) reverse any erroneous entry to *your nominated account* caused by the malfunction
- (b) refund any charges or fees imposed as a result; and
- (c) re-transmit any information and/or repeat any interrupted service or process, as appropriate.
- 11.3 Under no circumstances will we or WUBS be liable for any consequential, indirect or economic loss or damage which may be suffered by you.
- 11.4 Neither *we* nor *WUBS* are responsible for any direct, indirect or consequential loss suffered by *you* or any other person as a result of:
  - (a) any error or omission in the instructions and information you provide when requesting an *IM Transfer*, or
  - (b) any delay, rejection, blocking, mistake or omission which may occur directly or indirectly relating to an IM Transfer payment's transmission, misinterpretation when received, any failure to identify the payee or a failure to make a payment to the intended recipient (however caused) or the application of any applicable laws or regulatory constraints.

# 12. Privacy and confidentiality

- 12.1 In order to provide *you* with *IM Transfer* services, *we* will need to disclose *your* personal information to *WUBS* and they in turn will need to disclose *your* personal information to their service providers, correspondent banks and others.
- 12.2 If we do not disclose *your* personal information to *WUBS* and they in turn to their service providers, correspondent banks and others, *we* will not be able to provide *you* with *IM Transfer* services.
- 12.3 You agree to us disclosing to WUBS, and they in turn to their service providers, correspondent banks and others involved in IM Transfer services such personal information relating to you as is necessary in order for us to facilitate the provision of IM Transfer services to you.

#### 13. Amendment of Terms

13.1 We may amend these IMT terms at any time and from time to time. You consent to us notifying you of any changes electronically by text message or by email or by posting notice of the change on our website. The current IMT terms will always be available for you to view on our website.

#### 14. Communication via SMS or *your* Mobile Device

Without limiting any other means of communicating with *you* under the general account terms, *we* may communicate with *you* by sending an SMS to the phone number of the mobile device *you* have provided to *us*, an email to the email address *you* have provided to *us* or by writing to *you* at the address *you* have provided to *us*. The SMS or notice may include a link to detailed information on *our* website.

#### 15. Severability

If any provision or part of a provision of these *IMT terms* is illegal, invalid or unenforceable, it will be severed from these *IMT terms* and the remaining provisions (or parts of provisions) will continue in full force and effect.

#### 16. Definitions

Expressions italicised in these *IMT terms* have the meanings set out below:

*DPS Conditions of Use* means the Defence Bank Products and Services Conditions of Use;

Fees and charges brochure means the document on our website (and available at branches) which sets out our general fees and charges including for the making of IM Transfers

**General account terms** means the *DPS Conditions* of *Use*;

*IMT terms* means the terms and conditions contained in this document which govern the making of *IM Transfers* and the provision of *IM Transfer* services to *you*;

*IM Transfer* means the transfer of money to an overseas recipient which may involve the conversion of currency from one denomination to another;

*IM Transfer services* means the making of International Money Transfers utilising the services of *WUBS* services;

*Mistaken internet payments* has the same meaning as given to this expression in the *general account conditions*;

**Mobile banking** means the facility offered by us which enables you to access *online banking* via the Defence Bank App for mobile devices.

**Nominated account** means an account *you* hold with *us* which *you* nominate is to be debited with the payment amount for any *IM Transfer* and associated applicable fees charges;

Online banking means the facility offered by us which enables you to request transactions and other services offered by us via our website as defined in the general account conditions;

WUBS means Western Union Business Solutions (Australia) Pty Limited (ACN 150 129 749);

"we" and "us" means Defence Bank Limited' and

"you" and "your" means the person requesting the IM Transfer.

#### 17. Contact Us

It's easy and convenient to contact *us*. 1800 033 139 (8am to 8pm AEST weekdays) visit *your* local Defence Bank branch defencebank.com.au info@defencebank.com.au

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