

Website Terms of Use

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If you engage the Company or any of its Members to plan travel, it is your responsibility to obtain and carry a valid passport, visa(s), and all other documents required by applicable government regulations. When traveling domestically or internationally, the U.S. Transportation Security Administration (TSA) and U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) advise that everyone carry acceptable identification in order to board a flight. Acceptable identification can be found at <http://www.tsa.gov/traveler-information/acceptable-ids>; examples are DHS-designated enhanced driver's license, Passport, a foreign government passport. The name, date of birth and gender that appears on the identification card must exactly match the same such data that is listed on airline ticket(s) and booking records. You acknowledge any failure to strictly comply with these requirements may result in denied boarding or an undue delay at an airport security checkpoint causing you to miss flight(s), and subsequent scheduled travel bookings on cruises and tours.

Travel to certain destinations may involve greater risk than others. The Company urges you to remain informed on a daily basis as to current news events, as well as to review travel prohibitions, warnings, announcements and advisories issued by the United States Government prior to booking travel to international destinations. Information on health and safety conditions in various countries and the level of risk associated with travel to particular international destinations can be found at <http://www.state.gov>, <http://www.tsa.gov>, <http://www.dot.gov>, <http://www.faa.gov>, <http://www.cdc.gov>, and <http://www.cbp.gov>. The Smart Traveler Enrollment Program (STEP) is a free service provided by the U.S. Government to U.S. citizens who are traveling to, or living in, a foreign country. STEP allows you to enter information about your upcoming trip abroad so that the Department of State can better assist you in an emergency. Registration is recommended and provided by going to <https://step.state.gov/step/>.

BY OFFERING FOR SALE TRAVEL TO PARTICULAR DESTINATIONS, THE COMPANY DOES NOT REPRESENT OR WARRANT THAT TRAVEL TO SUCH POINTS IS ADVISABLE OR WITHOUT RISK, AND SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR COSTS, DAMAGES, OR LOSSES THAT MAY RESULT FROM TRAVEL TO SUCH DESTINATIONS.

The Company will not be in breach of these terms and conditions or otherwise be liable to you, for any failure or delay in performing an obligation under this Agreement that is due to any of the following causes, to the extent beyond its reasonable control: acts of God, accident, riots, war, terrorist act, epidemic, pandemic, quarantine, civil commotion, breakdown of communication facilities, including web host and internet service provider, breakdown or malfunction of equipment, destruction of or serious damage to facilities, natural catastrophes including, but not limited to extreme weather events, floods and volcanic eruptions,

governmental acts or omissions, changes in laws or regulations, national strikes, fire, explosion, generalized lack of availability of raw materials or energy, and any other unforeseen circumstance which is beyond the control of the Company. THE PURCHASE OF TRAVEL INSURANCE IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED ON ALL TRIPS.

TRAVEL INSURANCE IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE COST OF YOUR ITINERARY TO PROTECT AGAINST THIRD PARTY SUPPLIER DEFAULT/BANKRUPTCY PROTECTION, DELAY, INTERRUPTION, MISSED CONNECTION FOR CRUISES, CANCELLATION, MEDICAL EMERGENCY TRANSPORTATION/EVACUATION & REPATRIATION, BAGGAGE & PERSONAL EFFECTS/LOST LUGGAGE & BAGGAGE DELAY, ILLNESS, JOB LOSS PROTECTION AND CHANGE OF PLANS, ACCIDENTAL DEATH AND DISABILITY, TRAVEL ACCIDENT/SICKNESS MEDICAL EXPENSES, AND MORE. PROPER INSURANCE MAY PROTECT YOU FROM FINANCIAL LOSS IN ALMOST ALL CIRCUMSTANCES. The purchase of travel insurance is not required in order to purchase any other product or service offered by the Company or its Members.

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- (c) you represent that this Agreement can bind you, or if you are acting on behalf of another entity, you have the authority to bind that entity; and

(d) you represent that you are at least eighteen (18) years old. To determine your compliance with this Agreement, We may monitor your access and use of our Services in accordance with our Privacy Policy. If you do not agree with all the provisions of this Agreement, do not access or use our Services.

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To access the Site, We may ask you for registration details or other information consistent with our Privacy Policy. As a condition of your use of the Site, you agree that all the information you provide on the Site is accurate and complete.

We have the right to suspend or terminate any account and disable any username or password at any time at our sole discretion.

5. **User Contributions.** From time to time, certain content may be posted on the Site by The Travel Society, LLC, or certain of their subsidiaries, affiliates, suppliers, licensors, and licensees. None of those parties are in any way liable for this Site or any content thereon and do not endorse, and are not responsible for, any information, materials, products, services, or opinions contained on this Site.

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7. **Termination.** We may terminate or suspend your access to the Site immediately, without prior notice, for any reason, including breach of these Terms of Use. We are not

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To the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, in no event shall the Company or its suppliers be liable for any special, incidental, indirect, or consequential damages whatsoever (including, but not limited to, damages for loss of profits, loss of data, or other information, for business interruption, for personal injury, loss of privacy arising out of or in any way related to the use of or inability to use the Service, third-party software and third-party hardware used with the Service, or otherwise in connection with any provision of this Terms), even if the Company or any supplier has been advised of the possibility of such damages and even if the remedy fails of its essential purpose.

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11. **Reservation of Rights; Changes to these Terms.** At our sole discretion, we reserve the right to change these Terms and Conditions at any time. Updated versions of the Terms will be provided to Clients, posted on our site, and immediately posted.

12. **Governing Law.** The laws of the State of Colorado govern these Terms of Use. You hereby consent to the exclusive jurisdiction and venue of courts in Colorado in all disputes arising out of your use of the Site.

13. **Severability.** Suppose any part of these Terms and Conditions is determined to be invalid or unenforceable under applicable law, including, but not limited to, the warranty disclaimers and liability limitations set forth above. In that case, the invalid or unenforceable provision will be deemed superseded by a valid, enforceable provision that most closely matches the intent of the original provision, and the agreement shall continue in effect.

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