### Cookies

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Our website uses cookies to distinguish you from other users of our website. This helps us to provide you with a good experience when you browse our website and also allows us to improve our site.

A cookie is a small file of letters and numbers that we put on your browser or the hard drive of your computer if you agree. Cookies contain information that is transferred to your computer's hard drive.

We may use the following cookies:

- Strictly necessary cookies. These are cookies that are required for the operation of our website. They include, for example, cookies that enable you to log into secure areas of our website or to identify who you are and to access your account information when you login.
- Analytical or performance cookies. The cookies we use are 'analytical' cookies. They allow us to recognise and count the number of visitors and to see how visitors move around the site when they are using it. This helps us to improve the way our website works, for example by ensuring that users are finding what they are looking for easily
- **Functionality cookies.** These are used to recognise you when you return to our website. This enables us to personalise our content for you and remember your preferences (for example, your choice of language or region).

You can find more information about the individual cookies we use and the purposes for which we use them in the table below:

*Third Party Cookies* Our website also includes third party cookies over which we have no control. These named third parties (detailed in the below table) include analytics services by Google and property search services.

| Cookie          | Domain       | Description  | Duration                 | Туре      |
|-----------------|--------------|--|--------------------------|-----------|
| laravel_session | maslen.co.uk |  | 2 hours                  | Necessary |
|                 |              | laravel uses laravel_session to identify a session<br>instance for a user, this can be changed   |                          |           |
| _ga             | maslen.co.uk |  | 1 year 1<br>month 4 days | Analytics |
|                 |              | The _ga cookie, installed by Google Analytics,<br>calculates visitor, session and campaign data and<br>also keeps track of site usage for the site's analytics |                          |           |
|                 |              | report. The cookie stores information anonymously<br>and assigns a randomly generated number to<br>recognize unique visitors                                   |                          |           |
|                 |              |  |                          |           |

| _gid                  | <u>maslen.co.uk</u> | Installed by Google Analytics, _gid cookie stores<br>information on how visitors use a website, while<br>also creating an analytics report of the website's<br>performance. Some of the data that are collected<br>include the number of visitors, their source, and the<br>pages they visit anonymously. | l day    | Analytics |
|-----------------------|---------------------|---|----------|-----------|
| _gat_UA-*             | maslen.co.uk        |   | 1 minute | Analytics |
|                       |                     |   |          |           |
|                       |                     | Google Analytics sets this cookie for user behaviour tracking   |          |           |
| fbp                   | maslen.co.uk        | Facebook sets this cookie to store and track  | 3 months | Analytics |
| lastExternalRefer     | maslen.co.uk        |   | never    | Other     |
| r erTime              |                     |   |          |           |
|                       |                     |   |          |           |
| lastExternalReferr er | maslen.co.uk        |   | never    | Other     |
| x dismissed           | maslen.co.uk        |   | never    | Other     |

These cookies do not record any personally identifiable information (PII).

# Duration

Except for persistent cookies, all cookies will expire as set out in the table above.

# Managing Cookies

You can block cookies by activating the setting on your browser that allows you to refuse the setting of all or some cookies. However, if you use your browser settings to block all cookies (including essential cookies) you may not be able to access all or parts of our site. You can set your devices to accept all cookies, to let you know when a cookie has been set, or never to receive cookies.

### More Information and questions

You can learn more about cookies and how to manage them at AboutCookies.org

If you have any questions in relation to our use of cookies, please contact info@maslen.co.uk

# CHANGES TO OUR PRIVACY & COOKIES POLICY

We reserve the right to update this Cookies Policy from time to time. Any changes we may make to our privacy policy in the future will be posted on this page and, where appropriate, notified to you by email. Please check back frequently to see any updates or changes to our Privacy and Cookies Policy. This Cookies Policy was last updated on 10/11/2023.

### Important Notes on Protecting your own Data

Please be aware of cybercrime and protecting your own information online, particularly financial information. Do not send unsecure personal information over the internet. We recommend you use encryption software or provide any information to us using the online tools we provide.

Do not respond to emails asking you to pay money. Never make a payment purely in response to an email. Always call the company to validate any payment requests and check the phone number independently from the email (i.e. via a secure web site). If you receive a phone call asking for payment ensure you are satisfied the call is genuine, or else call the company back to check. HL Partnership Limited will not take responsibility if you transfer money to a fraudster in error.