

# ELLIOTTS CLEANING & PROPERTY SERVICES HOLIDAY HOME CLEANING SERVICES AGREEMENT

THIS CLEANING SERVICES AGREEMENT (the "Agreement") is dated:

#### DATE STAMP OF BOOKING CONFIRMATION EMAIL

**CLIENT** 

(the "Client")

CONTRACTOR

**Elliotts Cleaning & Property Services** 

(the "Contractor")

# Holiday Home Changeover & Guest Management Support – Terms & Conditions

These Terms & Conditions ("the Agreement") apply to all holiday home changeover and guest management services provided by **Elliotts Cleaning and Property Services LTD** ("Elliotts", "we", "our", "us") to the property owner or manager ("the Client"). By using our services, the Client agrees to be bound by the following terms.

### 1. Scope of Services

Elliotts provides professional holiday home services, including:

- Full **changeover cleaning** and housekeeping between guest stays.
- Linen and towel change, laundering, and restocking.
- **Property preparation**, including replenishment of agreed consumables (e.g., tea, coffee, toiletries).
- Guest management, including check-in, check-out, welcome communications, and key handover.
- Minor maintenance tasks, reporting of damages, and liaison with contractors if required.
- Pet care services and gardening/outdoor care, if requested and agreed in advance.

Any additional services not listed must be agreed in writing before work is undertaken.

# 2. Booking & Scheduling

- All bookings must be made directly with Elliotts via email or phone.
- Changeovers will be scheduled in line with guest departure and arrival times. Unless otherwise agreed:
  - Check-out must be completed by 10:00 AM.

- Check-in will be scheduled from 4:00 PM.
- Clients must notify Elliotts of confirmed guest bookings as early as possible to ensure staff availability.
- Last-minute requests (less than 48 hours' notice) may be accepted but cannot be guaranteed and may incur an additional surcharge.

# 3. Access to Property

- Clients must provide safe and secure access to the property, ideally via a lockbox system.
- If the property is inaccessible at the agreed time, the full service fee will still apply.
- Elliotts is not liable for delays caused by incorrect codes, faulty locks, or restricted access.

# 4. Payment Terms

- Payment Method: The only accepted form of payment is Bank Transfer.
- Invoice Issuance: Invoices are issued on the day of each changeover.
- Payment Due: Payment is due immediately on receipt of the invoice.
- Late Payments: Overdue payments may incur:
  - Interest at **2% per month** on the outstanding balance.
  - An administration fee of £25 per reminder.
  - Suspension of services until payment is received.
- **Non-Payment**: If payment is not received, Elliotts reserves the right to terminate services and pursue outstanding amounts through legal channels.

# 5. Client Responsibilities

- Provide accurate booking information, including guest arrival/departure dates and special requirements.
- Notify Elliotts in advance of other contractors or third-party services scheduled at the property. Working around others may require extra time or cost adjustments.
- Inform Elliotts of any known property issues (broken appliances, leaks, damages) before a guest check-in.
- Ensure the property is insured for use as a holiday let and compliant with local laws, including fire, health, and safety regulations.

#### 6. Cancellations & Amendments

- Services cancelled with less than 24 hours' notice will be charged in full.
- Cancellations due to property access issues (e.g., faulty locks, missing keys) will also incur
  the full service fee.
- If a confirmed booking is rescheduled, Elliotts will make all reasonable efforts to accommodate the change, but availability cannot be guaranteed.

#### 7. Service Standards & Re-Cleans

- Elliotts guarantees services will be delivered to a professional standard.
- If a task is not completed satisfactorily, the Client must notify Elliotts within **24 hours of service**. A re-clean or correction will be arranged at no additional cost.
- Claims made after 24 hours are not eligible for free re-service.

# 8. Liability & Insurance

• Elliotts holds public liability insurance and is covered for accidental damage caused by staff.

- Elliotts is not responsible for:
  - o Pre-existing damage or wear and tear.
  - Damage caused by guests or third-party contractors.
  - Loss of rental income due to guest complaints or cancellations, unless directly caused by Elliotts' negligence.
- Any damage caused by Elliotts staff must be reported in writing within 48 hours of discovery.

# 9. Guest Management Services

- Elliotts can assist with guest communications (arrival times, check-in instructions, local information, problem reporting).
- Elliotts will not be responsible for refund decisions, rental pricing, or contractual arrangements between the Client and booking platforms (Airbnb, Booking.com, etc.).
- Guest-related disputes (e.g., damage claims, deposits, refunds) remain the sole responsibility of the Client.

#### 10. Additional Services & Pets

- Pet care services, gardening, shopping, or replenishment services can be provided but must be agreed in advance.
- Additional charges will apply for these services and will be itemised on invoices.
- Where pets are present in the property, the Client must notify Elliotts beforehand to allow for appropriate cleaning times and staffing.

# 11. Health, Safety & Legal Compliance

- Elliotts staff reserve the right to refuse or withdraw services if they feel unsafe due to property conditions, guest behaviour, or hazards.
- The Client must ensure compliance with UK holiday let regulations, including fire safety, smoke alarms, CO detectors, and electrical safety testing.

#### 12. Data Protection

- Elliotts processes Client and guest information only for service delivery.
- All personal data is handled in accordance with our **Privacy Policy** and UK GDPR regulations.

# 13. Changes to Terms

- Elliotts may update or amend these Terms & Conditions with reasonable notice.
- Updated terms apply to all future services.

## 14. Termination of Agreement

- Either party may terminate this Agreement with **30 days' written notice**.
- Elliotts reserves the right to terminate immediately in cases of repeated cancellations, non-payment, or misuse.
- Any outstanding invoices remain payable on termination.