Safe Standard® – Country Annex: South Sudan / Republic of South Sudan (2025.1 Public Template)

Valid only for rentals occurring within South Sudan.

ENGLISH VERSION

- 1. National Legal Basis Relevant South Sudanese laws: Civil law principles (Transitional Constitution + general contract doctrines) Contract Act (based on mixed common-law and civillaw principles) Consumer protection rules no unified nationwide statute Electronic Transactions & Digital Commerce emerging framework Product Safety & Standards South Sudan National Bureau of Standards (developing) Civil Procedure Act (varies by court level) Jurisdiction: typically the court where the rental occurs. Private rental agreements are valid if parties consent and terms are lawful.
- 2. Tax and Reporting Rental income is taxable. No nationwide VAT system implemented. General guidelines: Business income tax may apply depending on local rules Record keeping recommended: minimum 5 years
- 3. Liability and Insurance Liability requires: negligence or fault provable actual damage causation Gross negligence or intentional acts cannot be excluded. Template limits (unless overridden by mandatory law): USD 270 per rental USD 900 for Mobility Recommended insurance: Public liability insurance (where available) Equipment/business insurance
- 4. Consumer Rights & Withdrawal No 14-day EU-style withdrawal rule. Refund rules: Before handover: according to agreement After handover: only if item is defective, unsafe or unusable
- 5. Data Protection No comprehensive national data-protection law. General confidentiality norms apply. Safe Standard® stores no personal data; Stripe processes all payments externally.
- 6. Enforcement & Cross-Border Cases Handled by local civil courts. Foreign judgments require recognition through local procedure. Arbitration permitted if both parties agree in writing.
- 7. Use of Templates in South Sudan Annex is internal reference only. Steps: 1. Rental Agreement (Country: South Sudan) 2. Focus Checklist at handover 3. Photo Rule No notes = No damage = No photos 4. Damage Invoice if required 5. Annex is NOT shared with the renter.