

### ANDROID APPLICATION USER GUIDE



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### WELCOME

Thank you for choosing the Peoplesafe Android application. This user guide provides instructions on the use of the software functions. Please read these instructions carefully and note that any changes made to the Peoplesafe application may change the functions of the software.

#### **OUR CONTACT DETAILS**

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#### DISCLAIMER

It is important that you follow the instructions in this user guide carefully. Peoplesafe cannot be held liable for the nonperformance of the Android application or the Alarm Receiving Centre (ARC) and any ensuing consequences, if you do not follow proper usage.

Deliberate false alarms or hoax activations are in breach of the Terms & Conditions and can result in termination of the service.

## **INSTALLATION**

The following instructions guide you through the installation process.

#### DOWNLOAD

Download and install the Peoplesafe App on your smartphone from Google Play Store.

#### **SET-UP**

Upon opening the application, you will be presented with the 'Terms and Conditions' screen. Click the 'Agree' button to confirm your acceptance and to proceed.

If you do not agree to the Terms & Conditions, the application will not function correctly and will close down.

You will also be presented with other permissions to accept once the application is verified. Please accept all permissions or else the application will not function correctly.

After logging in to the app for the first time,

please activate the necessary permissions by going to your phone settings, selecting Peoplesafe from the list of apps and then selecting Location. Ensure this is set to 'Always' so that the GPS can be updated within the Peoplesafe app.







#### LOG IN

When presented with the log in screen, enter your Nexus username and password, tap Next and then enter your mobile phone number to request a verification code.

These fields are required to help you to log in to the App and allow the ARC to identify you in the event of an Alarm being raised.

If you don't have an account or have difficulties logging in please contact your account administrator, or the Peoplesafe Support team.

Alternatively, tap Sign in with Microsoft to login using your organisation's single sign on credentials.

#### VERIFICATION

Once you receive your verification code, enter the code in the allocated box. Then press Done to complete your setup.

You will receive this verification code via SMS text message, sent from Peoplesafe, to the phone number that was entered at the previous stage.

If the wrong phone number was entered, the verification code will not be sent to the correct handset. Please ensure the phone number is in the correct format and is the correct number for the handset, when entered.

After the verification process is complete, you will have access to the application and all of its services, such as setting activity timers and leaving activity information.

Installation is now complete.





# ADDITIONAL SET-UP

#### **SMART BUTTON SET-UP**

If the additional Smart Button accessory has been purchased, the following instructions will explain how to connect it to the Peoplesafe application. If you have not purchased the accessory, please proceed to section 5.

## CONNECTING SMART BUTTON WITH THE APPLICATION

To begin Smart Button set-up, the device must be switched on by pressing and holding the button for 10 seconds. Please note – should you need to switch the device off, press and hold the button for 30 seconds until three beeps are heard, followed by the LED flashing.

Navigate to the Bluetooth settings on your smartphone handset, ensuring Bluetooth is switched on. Select the Smart Button name from the list of devices available for pairing. This will be similar to the one in the screenshot to the right. Once the device has been selected, the handset will ask to be paired with the device. In order to pair correctly, a PIN number must be entered. (The default PIN code is '0000').

Once the handset has successfully paired with the Smart Button, return to the handset's main menu and launch the 'Peoplesafe' application. When the main status screen appears, select the 'cog' menu button in the top right corner of the application to access the general features menu. Select the 'Bluetooth' option to connect to the new Smart Button.



Beneath the 'Device' heading by default it will show 'none', as you have not yet connected the Smart button accessory with the application itself. Click on the box that says 'none' to open a list of available Smart button devices that the phone is able to connect to. If there are lots of Bluetooth devices within range, you can use the V.ALRT Filter toggle so that the drop down only shows Bluetooth Buttons designed to be paired with the Peoplesafe app.

Select the device name that was originally paired with the phone. Once selected beneath the 'Device' heading, it will show which device the application is now connected to and its percentage battery life.





To disconnect from a Smart Button, press 'Disconnect Device' and then select 'Yes' when the pop up appears.

## APPLICATION FEATURES

#### MANUAL POSITION

This option is used to manually send your GPS location via Data to Peoplesafe, where it will be accessible for the Alarm Receiving Centre and the Peoplesafe Portal This information is stored against your profile and is accessible in the case of an alarm, or when a location report is requested.

To send a current location report, select the manual position button on the application's main screen. Whilst the handset tries to acquire an up-to-date location, the GPS status will turn yellow. The following notification will appear to



indicate that the application is currently acquiring an updated position.

When a new position is acquired, the handset will vibrate and a pop up message "Position has been logged" will be displayed.

The Connections Status Box will also update the amount of positions sent and the last time the position was updated.



#### LOG ACTIVITY

This feature allows the user to log a timed activity. When the 'Log Activity' button is selected from the main screen, the application will automatically initiate a phone call to the Peoplesafe system.

Once connected, the user is prompted to enter their Activity PIN number. When entered successfully, the system will then request details of the user's activity, followed by the length of time they want to assign to the activity.

If the user wants to cancel or extend a current activity, they can do so by pressing the 'Log Activity' button again. After initiating the phone call and connecting to the Peoplesafe system, the user will be given the option either to extend or cancel their current activity.

#### **TEXT ACTIVITY**

This feature allows the user to log a timed activity via text rather than making a phone call.

When the text activity button is selected from the main screen, the user will be asked to enter their Activity PIN number. When entered successfully, the user will then be asked to input a timed duration in hours and minutes. Following this, the user will also be able to enter details of their activity, up to 256 characters, in the text box and then select text activity to complete the process. The amount of time remaining for the activity will be displayed on the text activity tile on the main application screen.







If the user wants to cancel, extend or update the description of a current activity, they can do so by pressing the text activity button again. The user will then be asked to enter their Activity PIN number. Once entered successfully, the user will get the option of selecting either the 'Extend Activity', End Activity' or 'Update Description' button providing that the description has been changed.

#### **DURESS PIN**

If a user needs to raise an alarm, but situation leaves them unable to use the methods mentioned in section 5.5, they can use the Duress PIN.

To use this feature, the user will need to press the Text Activity tile. Instead of entering their normal Activity PIN when prompted, the user will need to enter either OOOO or 9999, this will then show the message 'The activity has been cancelled' whilst discreetly raising an SOS Alarm to our Alarm Receiving Centre. The phone will then vibrate once the SOS Alarm message has been sent to the ARC.

#### WELFARE CHECK (ADD ON)

The welfare check is an add on that allows users to receive a check-up message if their activity is longer than 15 minutes.

Before setting an activity, users will be given the option to enable the Welfare Check feature as well as the timed interval they would like to receive the check-up message. Users will get a choice of receiving a checkup message at set intervals depending on the activity duration.





When the activity is set, the user will then receive the check-up message "Are you Okay?" at the timed interval selected. If the user selects 'Yes' they will be asked to enter their PIN again and the text activity will continue. The user can also select 'Yes' and then enter a Duress PIN instead if they need to discreetly raise an alarm. If the user selects 'No' or does not respond to the notification within 5 minutes, the activity will overrun and the system will raise an alarm.

#### **CHECK IN/OUT**

Using the Check In/Out features will send a position update to the Peoplesafe Portal, as well as an accompanying message. This feature can be used to let managers know when a worker has started and finished work.



When using the Check In/ Out feature,

the user will also be asked if they wish to Set an Activity, Update the Description of an Activity or Cancel an Activity that is already active.

When the user selects Check In, but does not have an activity open, the user will be asked if they would like to set an activity as well.

If the user has already started an activity and then selects 'Check In' the user will be asked if they want to update the description of their activity.

If the user is in an activity and then selects 'Check Out' the user will then be notified that they are still in an activity and will be asked if they want to cancel that activity.

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SOS ALARM

One of the ways a user can raise an alarm in the event of an emergency is by pressing and holding the 'SOS' alarm button on the main screen of the application. The button must be held for at least 3 seconds to raise an alarm. Alternatively, if the user has the application running in the background whilst the phone is locked, the user can press the 'Power Button' rapidly 4 times to raise an alarm.

If an alarm is raised successfully, the phone will vibrate and automatically initiate a phone call to our Alarm Receiving Centre. The application will also acquire an up-to-date GPS location – or most recently stored location, and send the information to Peoplesafe so the user can be located.

#### SMART BUTTON (ADD ON)

The Smart Button is an add on with two main functions – raising an alarm and updating the handset's current location. When the Smart Button is connected, and paired with the mobile handset, an alarm can be raised

remotely, without the need to interact with the mobile handset. Holding the button down for 2 – 10 seconds and then releasing will raise an alarm. It is possible to manually update the handset's current location by pressing the button once.

#### FALL DETECTION (ADD ON)

The fall detection feature is an add on that enables an alarm to be raised without pressing a button. If fall detection is enabled, it will raise an alarm once it detects three factors – a fall from a height, a period of nonmovement and a change in orientation. When all three

factors have been detected, the smartphone will continuously vibrate to let the user know an alarm is about to be raised. In the event that an alarm is not necessary, simply shake the phone whilst it is vibrating to







cancel the alarm; the phone will stop vibrating to indicate the alarm has been cancelled. If the phone registers all 3 criteria and the alarm does not get cancelled, it will trigger an alarm to the Alarm Receiving Centre.

#### SURECAM (ADD ON)

The SureCam feature is an add on that enables you to link up your Peoplesafe app with your SureCam dash cam. With this feature, if you were to raise an alarm, our ARC will receive not only information from your app and Peoplesafe profile, but also the location of your vehicle and the live dash cam footage.



To use this feature either select the SureCam tile or select the SureCam option from the settings menu. Scan the QR code on your SureCam or enter the serial number to link the app. If you want to link the devices permanently, select the 'Link Device' option. If you want to link the devices for a set amount of time, select the 'Link for set time' option and enter the amount of time you would like to link them for. When the timer is due to end, you will receive a reminder notification where you can choose to extend the time, otherwise the devices will automatically delink when the timer has expired.

If you want to disconnect the devices manually, you can do this by selecting the 'Delink Device' option.

## **GENERAL SETTINGS**

Certain features in the application can be turned on and off via the settings menu. This makes the application customisable to each individual user and their activity. Depending on the user's tile selection, this menu will change to reflect those options not selected as a tile. This menu will also change depending on the features requested prior to setting up your account.

#### **BLUETOOTH**

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Within this menu, Smart Button's features can be enabled and disabled by the user, such as LED alarm confirmation and sound/tone alarm confirmation. The Smart Button's battery percentage is also shown.

#### **VOICE MEMO**

This option allows the user to leave a voice message with useful information about their upcoming activity. However, this is purely for additional information and will not set a timer for the activity duration. The voice memo audio recording will be saved to the user's account and is accessible in the event of an emergency.

#### **USER INFO**

When setting, extending or cancelling activities, you will be prompted to enter a unique activity PIN in order to proceed for security purposes. If you forget your unique activity pin, it can be viewed or refreshed anytime in the application's settings. Click on the settings 'cog' in the top right corner from the application's home screen and select 'User Info'. The application will ask for a PIN to grant access, enter \*#99\*. Once access has been granted, it is possible to view your unique PIN number, phone number and User ID.

#### **ADVANCED SETTINGS**

Further feature settings can be defined and set by Peoplesafe's technical staff.

#### TILE SELECTION MENU

Upon opening the application, you will notice 4 tiles surrounding the SOS Alarm button. These tiles are interchangeable via the settings menu. To change the tiles, simply click the settings in the top right-hand corner and select Tile Selection Menu in the settings list. From here you can customise which tiles you would like displayed on the application home screen.



#### ABOUT

Additional software information and contact/email information for Peoplesafe can be found here, if the user requires customer or technical support.

#### SUPPORT

Information about the application's features can be found here, to help the user utilise the application fully.

#### SURECAM

If you have the SureCam feature enabled on your app, you will be able to find it in the settings menu, if it is not already set as a tile on the main app screen. Here you will be able to link your SureCam dash cam to the app permanently or for a set amount of time.

#### FALL DETECTION

If fall detection is requested prior to setting up your account, it will be available to activate within the tile selection menu at the point of installation. If the fall detection option has been requested once your account has been set up, our team will send the settings remotely and fall detection can then be activated. Similarly, it can also be deactivated by pressing the fall detection tile.

#### FALL DETECTION SENSITIVITY

As one of the parameters of detection is fall from a height, there are three different settings that can be changed for users of different heights, these can be accessed in the settings menu. These are Lower, Low, Medium and High. Low is recommended for taller users, Medium for average height users and High for shorter users; Lower is recommended for users whos fall detection alarm is triggering too easily on Low. Change these settings accordingly to ensure maximum accuracy when using fall detection.



#### FINGERPRINT AND FACIAL RECOGNITION

Enable this feature to use either your fingerprint or face for features that require you to enter your PIN, instead of using your PIN number. This can only be enabled on phones that support fingerprint or facial recognition functionality.

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