

## BRITISH NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE LICENCE FOR UK LIBRARIES

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- 12.2. If either party to this Licence is prevented or delayed in the performance of any of its obligations under this Licence by Force Majeure and if such party gives written notice thereof to the other party specifying the matters constituting Force Majeure together with such evidence as it reasonably can give and specifying the period for which it is estimated that such prevention or delay will continue, then the party in question shall be excused the performance or the punctual performance as the case may be as from the date of such notice for so long as such cause of prevention or delay shall continue.

## 13. ASSIGNMENT

- 13.1. Save as provided herein, neither this Licence nor any of the rights under it may be assigned or sub-licensed by the Authorised Institution without obtaining the prior written consent of the other Publisher. In any permitted assignment, the assignor shall procure and ensure that the assignee shall assume all rights and obligations of the assignor under this Licence and agrees to be bound to all the terms of this Licence.

## 14. GOVERNING LAW AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION

- 14.1. This Licence shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law and the parties irrevocably agree that any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Licence will be subject to and within the jurisdiction of the English courts.
- 14.2. The parties agree to use best efforts to resolve disputes in an informal manner, by decision of the Managing Director of the Publisher and the Authorised Institution . Where the parties agree that a dispute arising out of or in connection with this Licence would best be resolved by the decision of an expert, they will agree upon the nature of the expert required and together appoint a suitable expert by agreement.
- 14.3. Any person to whom a reference is made under Clause 14.2 shall act as expert and not as an arbitrator and his decision (which shall be given by him in writing and shall state the reasons for his decision) shall be final and binding on the parties except in the case of manifest error or fraud.
- 14.4. Each party shall provide the expert with such information and documentation as he may reasonably require for the purposes of his decision.
- 14.5. The costs of the expert shall be borne by the parties in such proportions as the expert may determine to be fair and reasonable in all circumstances or, if no determination is made by the expert, by the parties in equal proportions.

## 15. NOTICES

- 15.1. All notices required to be given under this Licence shall be given in writing in English and sent by courier or special delivery to the relevant addressee at its address set out below, or to such other address as may be notified by either party to the other from time to time under this Licence, and all such notices shall be deemed to have been received three days after posting where sent by special delivery or on despatch in the case of despatch by courier. Copies of notices are to be sent to JCS Online Resources.

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- 16.1. This Licence, Schedules and Annexes constitute the entire agreement between the parties relating to the Licensed Work and supersede all prior communications, understandings and agreements (whether written or oral) relating to its subject matter and may not be amended or modified except by agreement of both parties in writing.
- 16.2. The Schedules and Annexes shall have the same force and effect as if expressly set in the body of this Licence and any reference to this Licence shall include the Schedules and Annexes.
- 16.3. The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Licence shall not affect the continuation in force of the remainder of this Licence.
- 16.4. The rights of the parties arising under this Licence shall not be waived except in writing. Any waiver of any of a party's rights under this Licence or of any breach of this Licence by the other party shall not be construed as a waiver of any other rights or of any other or further breach. Failure by either party to exercise or enforce any rights conferred upon it by this Licence shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any such rights or operate so as to bar the exercise or enforcement thereof at any subsequent time or times.

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Each applicable Fee shall be **due and payable 30 days** after receipt by the Licensee of an invoice for such fee from JCS Online Resources Limited acting on behalf of the Publisher.

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With effect from 1 August 2022

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I	101 - 150K	£1,861.01
H	151 - 200K	£2,215.38
G	201 - 400K	£2,628.82
F	401 - 500K	£2,865.07
E	501 - 600K	£3,189.38
D	601 - 700K	£3,602.81
C	700 - 1000K	£4,311.56
B	1001 - 1,300K	£5,256.56
A	>1,300K	£5,847.19

#### PER SEAT PRICING:

Number of seats	Annual Fee
5 Seats	£926.21
10 Seats	£2,255.12

*All prices exclude VAT.*

## ANNEX 2 – FORM

### The Form

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Order Details

The Form

Your Order

Please read and accept the licence(s) below:

Product	Licence Period	Licence Fee
British Newspaper Archive 5 seats - Public Libraries	12 Months	

- I am authorised to confirm acceptance of the Licence(s) above on behalf of my institution/organisation.
- I have read and understood the terms of the Licence(s).
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