#### THE RAKOPS RIVER LODGE TERMS and CONDITIONS

#### About us

The Rakops River Lodge is a family owned lodge situated in Boteti Central Botswana, overlooking the Boteti River with all your needs in one place to explore the Central Kalahari Game Reserve, Makgadikgadi Game Reserve and the Boteti region. Conveniently located 10km outside the Rakops Village

We offer single, double and family accommodation as well as a fully licensed restaurant. We provide the following activities; Cycling, fishing (during fishing season only) and walking. Game drives into the Central Kalahari Game Reserve and the Makgadikgadi Game Park will be offered from February 2016.

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#### Room availability

All rooms are subject to confirmation of availability. Should we have room availability, we shall notify you as soon as possible.

In the unlikely event that we cannot accommodate you due to reasons beyond our control on our end, we will contact you immediately via email and provide you with a solution.

# Reservations **Policy**

A minimum deposit of 50 % will secure your booking, Cancellations made 90 days in advance - 70% of payment paid, 89 - 30 days in advance - 50% of payment paid. Cancellations made less than 30 days in advance - no refund of payment paid. Applicable to full or part cancellations.

When you click to make a reservation with us legal obligations arise and your right to refund of monies charged to your credit card or paid in any other way agreed by us, are limited by our terms & conditions. You must not make any reservations through this site unless you

understand and agree all our terms and conditions. Once payment is made and the room is confirmed, it is deemed that you have read and understood the terms and conditions for such purchase. If you have any queries please contact us before making any bookings@rakopsriverlodge.comfor any service through this website.

## **Cancellation Policy**

Cancellations made 90 days in advance - 70% of payment paid, 89-30 days in advance-50% of payment paid. Cancellations made less than 30 days in advance- no refund of payment paid. Applicable to full or part cancellations.

## Disclosure of outlet country at time of payment

## **Example:**

FNB Botswana



## **Payment Options and Pricing**

All transactions will be processed in Botswana Pula (BWP).

Rakops River Lodge reserves the right to change pricing at any time without prior notice.

#### **Credit Card**

WeacceptMasterCard and Visa credit cards. If you do not have a credit card please utilize one of the other payment options, or simply log off and return to the site at a later time to complete your reservation.

### **EFT (Electronic Fund Transfer)**

One of the most widely used ways of sending money online. Once you have added enough items to your shopping cart, proceed to "Checkout" and follow the order processing instructions. Select the option to pay via EFT. You will then have to load Rakops River Lodge as a beneficiary on your Internet banking and use the unique order number in the reference line for your payment. This should ensure speedy processing and delivery of your selected products.

**Banking Details:** 

Bank: FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Account Name: Rakops River Lodge

Branch: Kgaleview. Branch Code: 284567

Account No.: 62367916479
Account Type: CURRENT

SWIFT CODE FNBB: FIRNBWGX

## **Direct Deposit**

You may pay for your reservation through a direct deposit. It's exactly the same, as doing an EFT payment, except you'll have to go into your bank and physically make your direct deposit there. Please scan and email or fax through your deposit slip to us on (267) 393 6939 to ensure your payment is confirmed and order shipped as quickly as possible.

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For more information about how to make a reservation, special order requirements and other payment options, please contact our Reservations Team on(267) 7143 4129 or (267) 7322 3852or email bookings @rakopsriverlodge.com

#### **Security Policy**

- 1 Virtual Card Services process all credit card transactions. All credit card transactions are 128 bit Secure Socket Layers (SSL) encrypted. The company registration documents and the site's registered domain name are checked and verified by Thawte, ensuring the cardholder and merchant that nobody can impersonate VCS to obtain confidential information.
- 2 Virtual Card Services is committed to providing secure online services. All encryption complies with international standards. Encryption is used to protect the transmission of personal information when completing online transactions. Virtual Card Services Internet servers are protected by firewalls and intrusion detection systems.
- 3 The Merchant does not have access to credit details.
- 4 Virtual Card Services continually reviews and enhances its security in line with technological changes.

# Monitoring

We have the right, but not the obligation, to monitor any activity and content associated with the Website. We may investigate any reported violation of these Conditions or complaints and take any action that we deem appropriate (which may include, but is not limited to, issuing warnings, suspending, terminating or attaching conditions to your access and/or removing any materials from the Website).

#### Law

The Conditions will be exclusively governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of BOTSWANA whose Courts will have exclusive jurisdiction in any dispute, save that we have the right, at our sole discretion, to commence and pursue proceedings in alternative jurisdictions.

#### **Updating of these Terms and Conditions**

We reserve the right to change, modify, add to or remove from portions or the whole of these Terms and Conditions from time to time. Changes to these Terms and Conditions will become effective upon such changes being posted to this Website. It is the User's obligation to periodically check these Terms and Conditions at the Website for changes or updates. The User's continued use of this Website following the posting of changes or updates will be considered notice of the User's acceptance to abide by and be bound by these Terms and Conditions, including such changes or updates.

#### Consent

I understand that all the designs and trademarks are registered to Rakops River Lodge and hereby accept the terms and conditions. I undertake not to copy/duplicate the trademarks and designs directly or indirectly in anyway and understand the legal implications thereof. Should I be found to be in violation of this agreement I understand that I will be held liable for all legal costs incurred by Rakops River Lodge for any civil action or any legal action deemed necessary against me.

## **Contact Details**

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Botswana

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Fax number: (267) 393 6939