



WEB SHIELD HIGH-RISK VERIFICATION

COMPLIANT HIGH-RISK MERCHANT ONBOARDING

The online adult entertainment industry is a growing market for acquirers - but onboarding merchants in this high-risk sector requires a firm grasp on ever-changing card scheme rules and regulations.

Acquiring merchants deemed 'high-risk' by the card associations can be daunting. Following recent controversies and Mastercard rule changes, this goes double for adult content merchants. Web Shield helps acquirers who want to keep their existing portfolio compliant or are planning on entering this market.

HIGH-RISK VERIFICATION for Web Shield's *InvestiGate* delivers a full compliance review of any adult content merchant.

Our dedicated team of underwriting professionals with more than a decade of experience in high-risk merchant acceptance ensures high-quality analysis.

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KYC & UPLOAD REVIEW

We verify the registration and content upload process for compliance e.g., by checking if a written agreement and age verification are required.

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POLICY ANALYSIS

Our team reviews all available policies on the website to ensure there is moderation, monitoring and a content removal process.

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CONTENT SCAN

Our tried-and-tested web crawler scans the website as well as any backlinks for known content violations according to card scheme rules.

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SUMMARY REPORT

All findings are summarised in a PDF report, with clear indications for which areas are compliant - and which are not.

Onboarding made easy with Web Shield's *InvestiGate*

The *High Risk Verification* is available through our *InvestiGate* onboarding hub, the premiere SaaS solution for underwriting and compliance teams working at merchant acquirers.

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