

# DECIUS TNO FORGE

## U.S.-PRIMARY COMPREHENSIVE LEGAL NOTICE AND SUPPLEMENTARY PRC CROSS- BORDER REFERENCE

*Sensitive Content Warning, Third-Party Asset Declaration,  
United States Primary Framework, Vercel Operational Analysis,  
and Supplementary Mainland-China Risk Notice*

**Primary United States Framework (English)**

**中国大陆相关法律的辅助性、条件性风险说明 (中文)**

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### STATUS OF THIS DOCUMENT

This document is a source-grounded public notice, operational-facts declaration, and cross-border regulatory analysis based on the facts stated below. It is not individualized legal advice from counsel admitted in every potentially relevant jurisdiction, does not create permission for third-party materials, and cannot make an otherwise unauthorized use lawful. The Operator has stated that the Site is principally developed and administered while the Operator is physically present in the United States and that the deployment is maintained through Vercel outside mainland China. United States federal law and Vercel's contract are therefore the primary direct reference for this Notice and the Site's present operating risk. That factual posture does not mechanically choose the governing law for every third-party claim. Mainland-China law is addressed only as a supplementary, issue-specific layer where a mandatory, extraterritorial, conflict-of-laws, jurisdictional, access, or user-side rule may validly reach a particular matter.

### 本文件的性质

本文件依据下述真实运营事实、美国现行联邦法律、Vercel 现行合同规则以及中国大陆相关现行法律形成。作者陈述本站主要在其身处美国期间开发和管理，并通过 Vercel 在中国大陆境外维持部署。因此，就本公告和当前网站运营风险而言，美国法和 Vercel 规则构成主要直接框架；中国大陆法律仅作为辅助性、条件性风险层。该事实结构不等于美国法自动支配每一个第三方争议。本文件不凭空产生第三方授权，不把原本不合法的使用变为合法，也不构成作者选择中国法、接受中国法院管辖或承认本站属于中国大陆境内平台。

# EXECUTIVE LEGAL ARCHITECTURE / 法律框架结论

## CORE CONCLUSION

Under the current facts, United States federal copyright and trademark law and Vercel’s contractual policies are the primary and direct website-level compliance layers. This conclusion rests on the Operator’s principal U.S. operational presence, the Vercel relationship, the foreign deployment, and the nature of the Site’s own conduct; it does not rest on server location alone. Mainland-China law is not the Site’s default governing law merely because mainland users can access the Site. It is properly treated as a supplementary and conditional layer. That conclusion is narrower than saying PRC law can never be asserted: personal-information processing directed at mainland natural persons, protection sought in China for intellectual-property rights, a legally sufficient jurisdictional connection, practical access restrictions, or a mainland user’s own downstream publication may create a separate PRC-law issue.

## 核心判断

根据当前事实，美国联邦著作权法、联邦商标法以及 Vercel 的合同和可接受使用规则，是本站运营层面最直接、最现实的框架。这一判断基于作者主要在美国进行开发和管理、与 Vercel 的直接合同关系、境外部署以及本站自身复制、展示和技术传送素材的行为，而不是仅凭服务器位置作出。仅因中国大陆用户可以访问本站，并不会当然使中国法成为默认准据法，也不会当然使本站成为中国大陆境内互联网信息服务平台。中国大陆法律更适合被列为辅助性、条件性风险层。但“辅助性”不等于“绝对无关”：个人信息处理、在中国请求知识产权保护、法定民事管辖连接、访问阻断和中国大陆用户本人站外传播，仍可能形成独立问题。

## Regulatory relevance matrix / 监管相关性矩阵

| Legal or operational layer                          | Current classification          | Reason and change trigger                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Operator’s principal U.S. operational presence      | PRIMARY FACTUAL CONTACT         | The Operator has stated that the Site is principally developed and administered while physically present in the United States. This is a material contact, but not a universal choice-of-law clause.                                                         |
| U.S. federal copyright and trademark                | PRIMARY AND DIRECT              | The Site itself reproduces, displays, organizes, and technically delivers an embedded third-party asset library. U.S. copyright, fair use, compilation, trademark-confusion, and secondary-liability principles are the principal public-law reference.      |
| Vercel Terms, AUP, and enforcement                  | PRIMARY AND DIRECT              | Vercel may apply its contract, intellectual-property rules, content restrictions, removal powers, and suspension discretion independently of a court judgment.                                                                                               |
| U.S. state publicity, privacy, defamation, contract | CONDITIONAL                     | These issues depend on the depicted person, forum, publication context, and operator status. This document does not invent a state-law clause for all disputes.                                                                                              |
| PRC ICP filing and mainland hosting regime          | GENERALLY NOT TRIGGERED         | No mainland server, hosting arrangement, operating entity, or ICP claim. A mainland launch, entity, access provider, or local distribution channel would trigger fresh review.                                                                               |
| PRC personal-information and network-data rules     | CONDITIONAL                     | No accounts or hosted user works, but infrastructure logs may exist. Extraterritorial rules require statutory connecting facts and actual processing.                                                                                                        |
| PRC civil IP law and jurisdiction                   | CONDITIONAL                     | A claimant may seek protection in China and invoke conflict-of-laws or jurisdiction rules on particular facts. Publication of this notice is not consent.                                                                                                    |
| Mainland user downstream publication                | USER-SIDE AND LOCATION-SPECIFIC | A mainland user who later publishes, mass-distributes, or monetizes an export acts outside the Site and may be governed by local law and platform rules.                                                                                                     |
| Mainland access, filtering, and performance         | REAL PRACTICAL CONTROL LAYER    | PRC authorities may direct technical measures against prohibited information originating outside the PRC, and mainland networks or intermediaries may restrict access. This affects reachability without converting the Site into a mainland-hosted service. |

NO ABSOLUTE IMMUNITY CLAIM

The Site does not state that overseas hosting, free access, absence of profit, a content warning, or the author’s curatorial role makes the project immune from copyright, trademark, hosting-policy, data, jurisdictional, or other claims. Those facts materially shape the analysis and reduce some categories of risk, but they do not create rights that the Operator does not possess.

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本站不声称境外部署、完全免费、无任何盈利、敏感内容提示或者作者仅为素材整合者，就能使项目当然免于著作权、商标、托管平台、数据、管辖或其他争议。这些事实会显著影响法律评价，但不会凭空产生作者原本不享有的权利。

CORE OPERATIONAL FACTS / 核心运营事实

The following are factual representations concerning the project as of the Effective Date. If any changes, especially monetization, advertising, donations, server-side uploads, public galleries, analytics, accounts, cloud hosting, or mainland-China deployment, this Notice must be reviewed before launch.

| Fact                                                       | Project statement                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Entirely free, unpaid, and noncommercial                | No access fee, subscription, export fee, paywall, advertising, sponsorship, affiliate revenue, donation, tip, commission, asset sale, paid API, or other consideration. The author receives no compensation tied to traffic, exports, or downstream fan works.                                                                         |
| 2. No ownership claim over embedded assets                 | No embedded third-party flag, portrait, photograph, icon, interface graphic, map asset, font, music file, sound file, or other third-party asset is claimed as created or owned by the project author.                                                                                                                                 |
| 3. Unpaid asset integrator and technical organizer         | The author acts as an unpaid software developer, technical integrator, curator, cataloguer, classifier, metadata organizer, search-system designer, and interface implementer. The description is factual, not a legal safe harbor.                                                                                                    |
| 4. Original contribution is limited                        | The author’s contribution consists of independently written code, editor workflows, technical architecture, database schema, indexing, taxonomy, search, metadata, normalization, and original selection or arrangement. It does not extend to underlying assets.                                                                      |
| 5. Principal U.S. operation and overseas Vercel deployment | The Operator has stated that the Site is principally developed and administered while physically present in the United States. There is no mainland-China server, PRC operating entity, domestic hosting arrangement, or claimed ICP filing. These contacts matter, but they are not universal immunity or an automatic choice of law. |
| 6. No server-side user-content hosting                     | No public uploads, user-content repository, gallery, social feed, cloud project page, or server-hosted publication system.                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 7. Local exports and independent downstream acts           | Users download outputs to their own devices. Later publication, mass distribution, monetization, or archiving elsewhere is independently chosen by the user.                                                                                                                                                                           |
| 8. U.S. primary, PRC supplementary                         | For this Notice and the present operating structure, U.S. federal law and Vercel policies are the principal website-level reference. PRC law is addressed only for conditional extraterritorial, IP, jurisdictional, blocking, and user-side issues; no universal governing-law conclusion is claimed.                                 |
| 9. No official affiliation                                 | No affiliation, sponsorship, authorization, approval, or endorsement by Paradox Interactive AB, Hearts of Iron IV, The New Order: Last Days of Europe, any mod team, or asset creator.                                                                                                                                                 |
| 10. No claim of zero data processing                       | No account system or intentional collection of user works. Vercel may nevertheless generate traffic data, telemetry, logs, and usage statistics.                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 11. Vercel is a separate direct layer                      | This notice does not override Vercel’s Terms or AUP. Vercel may remove or suspend a project under its contract and policies.                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| 12. Voluntary rights contact                               | Rights concerns may be sent to linture9@gmail.com. The address is not represented as a registered DMCA agent and receipt does not concede ownership, infringement, law, jurisdiction, or damages.                                                                                                                                      |

## 法律研究状态与适用边界

本文件以美国法为主要框架，不是因为 Vercel 能自动决定所有争议的准据法，而是因为网站通过美国托管服务商在中国大陆境外部署，最直接的问题集中于美国联邦著作权、商标以及 Vercel 合同层面。美国版权局现行《美国版权法》汇编收录了截至 2025 年 12 月 18 日的修法；美国最高法院于 2026 年 3 月 25 日作出的 *Cox Communications, Inc. v. Sony Music Entertainment*, 607 U.S. 583 (2026)，被用于分析用户站外传播可能涉及的次级责任边界。

Vercel 条款把部署内容列入客户的 Your Content，要求客户对内容承担责任并作出权利保证，同时保留删除、暂停或终止项目的权力。其加利福尼亚法律条款只调整作者与 Vercel 之间的合同关系，不能自动决定第三方权利人的请求。

中国大陆法律被放在辅助性和条件性位置。现行《互联网信息服务管理办法》第二条围绕在中华人民共和国境内从事互联网信息服务建立制度；Vercel 不提供中国大陆境内托管。当前无境内服务器、运营主体、接入安排、ICP 号、用户上传和公共托管，因而普通境内备案与平台运营制度一般不符合当前事实。但现行《网络安全法》第五十二条允许对来源于境外的法定禁止信息采取阻断传播措施，第七十七条对境外危害中国网络安全的活动保留追责和制裁条款；个人信息域外规则、涉外知识产权、司法管辖、访问限制以及中国大陆用户本人站外传播仍可能形成条件性问题。2026 年 7 月公开的《互联网信息服务管理办法（修订草案征求意见稿）》仍属草案，不作为本文件认定当前义务的依据，只列为未来变化观察项。

## FIRST-VISIT NOTICE / 首次访问提示

### English entry notice

#### IMPORTANT SENSITIVE-CONTENT AND THIRD-PARTY-ASSET NOTICE

This website contains a large library of historical, fictional, alternate-history, political, military, extremist, authoritarian, collaborationist, disputed-regime, and other sensitive symbols and images. Some material may be offensive, disturbing, or politically sensitive. Inclusion is for a wholly free and noncommercial fan-creation and worldbuilding tool and does not constitute endorsement, advocacy, glorification, affiliation, authorization, or official approval. No embedded third-party asset is claimed as created or owned by the project author. The author acts only as an unpaid software developer and asset integrator. The Site is principally developed and administered while the Operator is in the United States, is hosted through Vercel outside mainland China, does not operate a mainland-China server or user-content platform, and does not host user-created works. Users who export and later distribute works elsewhere are independently responsible for that downstream use. If you do not wish to encounter such content, leave the Site.

Recommended buttons: “I Understand and Continue” / “Leave This Website”. Link the full legal notice below the buttons. The acknowledgment documents notice; it is not a blanket waiver of nonwaivable rights.

### 中文进入提示

#### 重要敏感内容与第三方素材提示

本网站内置大量来源于真实历史、架空历史、政治军事题材及相关创作社区的旗帜、人物肖像、极端主义标识、争议政权标识、战争图像和其他敏感素材，部分内容可能引起不适或具有政治敏感性。相关内容仅用于完全免费、完全非商业的同人创作与世界观编辑工具，不代表作者对任何意识形态、政权、组织、暴力行为或现实政治主张表示认同、宣传、赞美、授权或官方背书。全部内置第三方素材均非作者本人创作或所有；作者仅作为无偿的软件开发者和素材整合者。本站主要由作者在其身处美国期间开发和管理，并通过 Vercel 部署在中国大陆境外；本站不在中国大陆设置服务器、运营主体、用户投稿或公共作品托管功能。用户导出后在其他平台公开或大规模传播的，应自行对该站外行为负责。如不愿接触此类内容，请关闭并离开本站。

建议按钮：“我已知悉并继续访问” / “离开本站”。按钮下方直接链接完整声明。该确认用于证明已经提示，不是对依法不能放弃权利的概括放弃。

## PART I - UNITED STATES LEGAL NOTICE

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### U.S. LEGAL POSITION IN ONE SENTENCE

The project is a wholly free and unpaid technical integration tool that makes no ownership or licensing claim over the embedded third-party assets; its noncommercial status and curatorial purpose are material facts, but they are not automatic immunity, and each direct or downstream use must be evaluated on its own facts.

### 1. Purpose, scope, and nature of this Notice

This United States version is a public statement of operational facts, sensitive-content warning, third-party-rights notice, hosting-platform analysis, and downstream-use warning for the Site. It is drafted principally under United States federal copyright and trademark law. Applicable state law may separately govern privacy, publicity, defamation, contracts, and other matters.

This document is not a license from any third-party rights holder, not an admission that any particular asset is protected or infringed, not a guarantee that any particular use is fair use, and not a substitute for legal advice concerning a specific dispute or planned distribution.

#### 1A. Overseas Vercel deployment and primary website legal framework

The Operator has represented that the Site is principally developed, maintained, and administered while the Operator is physically present in the United States. The Site is deployed through Vercel infrastructure outside mainland China. The Operator does not maintain a mainland-China server or PRC operating entity for the Site, does not represent the Site as a mainland-China-hosted internet information service, and does not display or claim an ICP filing number. Vercel publicly states that in-country hosting in mainland China requires an ICP license and local compliance and that Vercel does not offer such in-country hosting.

Taken together, the Operator's principal U.S. operational presence, the Vercel relationship, the foreign deployment, and the Site's own reproduction, display, organization, and technical delivery of assets support using United States federal law as the primary public-law reference for this Notice and treating mainland-China domestic filing and platform rules as generally outside the current structure. No single fact, including server location, mechanically determines every issue. Copyright choice of law, personal jurisdiction, forum, contractual obligations, privacy and data rules, and the law governing a user's later publication remain issue-specific.

The Chinese-language part is a supplementary risk notice. It is not an election of PRC law, consent to PRC jurisdiction, admission that the Site is operated within mainland China, or agreement that domestic PRC platform duties apply merely because a person in mainland China can reach the Site. The Site reserves objections concerning governing law, jurisdiction, service, recognition, and enforcement.

#### 1B. Vercel contract and platform enforcement are direct operational constraints

Vercel's Terms of Service and Acceptable Use Policy apply directly to the deployment. Under the current Terms, the customer is responsible for software, code, data, text, content, and other materials submitted in connection with the service and represents that it owns the content or has the permissions, releases, rights, or licenses required for the relevant activity. Vercel also reserves broad authority to remove or disable content and, for Hobby-plan deployments, to disable or terminate a project.

Vercel's current Acceptable Use Policy prohibits infringement or misappropriation of intellectual property, hate speech, promotion or enablement of violence or terrorism, and offensive or otherwise illegal content. Historical, critical, fictional, and alternate-history context is important, but a public disclaimer does not compel Vercel to host the Site and does not override Vercel's interpretation or enforcement of its policies.

The Operator should preserve offline backups, maintain a responsive rights-contact email, keep controversial symbols in clear historical or fictional context, avoid praise, recruitment, fundraising, or calls to real-world violence, avoid marketing the Site as a means of evading rights, and respond promptly to specific complaints. These are continuity and risk-control measures, not admissions that any particular item violates policy.

## **1C. Vercel’s California clause does not select law for all third-party claims**

Vercel’s Terms state that the agreement between Vercel and its customer is governed by California law and contain a dispute-resolution framework for claims between those parties. That clause governs the Operator-Vercel contractual relationship. It does not automatically choose California law for a copyright owner’s claim, a trademark owner’s claim, a depicted person’s claim, a mainland-China user’s downstream publication, or a foreign court’s conflict-of-laws analysis.

This Notice therefore does not invent a universal state-law clause or venue provision for all disputes. United States federal copyright and trademark law are treated as the primary substantive reference; state and foreign law remain dependent on the claim, forum, parties, conduct, and legally sufficient connections.

## **1D. Public notice, not a manufactured waiver**

The first-visit acknowledgment documents notice of sensitive content, third-party ownership boundaries, unofficial status, and downstream-use risk. It is not drafted as a broad transfer of user rights, hidden indemnity, or waiver of rights that cannot lawfully be waived. If future account, upload, payment, cloud, or community features require an enforceable user contract, a separate affirmative clickwrap agreement should be prepared for that feature.

## **2. Sensitive content and complete separation from ideology**

The Site may display historical or fictional flags, portraits, insignia, propaganda-style graphics, military symbols, authoritarian and collaborationist regimes, extremist symbols, disputed borders, and politically sensitive terminology. Their presence is descriptive, contextual, archival, referential, critical, or functional within an alternate-history creation tool.

Inclusion does not signify endorsement, advocacy, praise, normalization, recruitment, fundraising, affiliation, or political support. The Site is not a platform for real-world extremist organization, threats, unlawful incitement, targeted harassment, impersonation, or coordination of unlawful activity.

## **2A. Sensitive political expression does not create a right to private hosting**

The Site’s contextual display of controversial symbols is not itself a statement that the Operator supports those symbols. At the same time, constitutional restrictions on government censorship do not create a contractual right to remain hosted by a private service. Vercel may apply standards stricter than minimum limits imposed on government action. Historical context and a conspicuous disclaimer are relevant facts, not a guarantee against private-platform moderation.

## **2B. United States speech context and legal limits**

Under the First Amendment, the government generally may not suppress expression merely because an idea is offensive or disfavored. Decisions including *Matal v. Tam*, 582 U.S. 218 (2017), and *Iancu v. Brunetti*, 588 U.S. 388 (2019), illustrate that offensive expression is not automatically outside constitutional protection. The Site relies on context: historical, fictional, critical, referential, and creative use rather than real-world endorsement.

That principle is not unlimited and does not convert all conduct into protected speech. True threats, unlawful incitement under the *Brandenburg* standard, targeted harassment, material support prohibited by applicable federal law, criminal coordination, and infringement of private rights may be regulated. The First Amendment also restrains governmental action; it does not compel Vercel or another private platform to host content.

## **3. Entirely free, unpaid, and noncommercial operation**

As of the Effective Date, the Site is entirely free, entirely unpaid, and entirely noncommercial. It charges no access fee, subscription, export fee, download fee, paywall, asset-license fee, commission, advertising charge, sponsored-placement fee, affiliate fee, donation, tip, or other consideration. The project author receives no compensation from operation of



the Site; no revenue tied to traffic, impressions, clicks, downloads, exports, or user reach; and no royalty, referral payment, revenue share, ownership interest, or other financial benefit from a user's later fan work or distribution.

The word "noncommercial" describes actual operation. It does not assert tax-exempt status, charitable status, nonprofit corporate status, or a blanket legal exemption. Under 17 U.S.C. § 107(1), commercial or nonprofit character is one part of the first fair-use factor, but no single factor decides fair use. Complete absence of monetization is a material fact, not automatic immunity.

### CHANGE CONTROL

If the Site later accepts advertising, sponsorship, paid access, donations, tips, commissions, paid downloads, commercial licenses, or any other financial consideration, this section must be revised before that change is introduced. The legal analysis of a monetized version may be materially different.

## 4. The author's limited role: unpaid asset integrator and curator

With respect to the embedded library, the Operator acts only as an unpaid software developer, technical integrator, curator, cataloguer, classifier, metadata organizer, search-system designer, normalization processor, and interface implementer. The Operator did not create and does not claim to own any embedded third-party flag, portrait, photograph, focus icon, national-spirit icon, ideology icon, minister portrait, map asset, interface graphic, font, music file, sound file, or other third-party material.

The phrase "asset integrator" is descriptive only. It is not a statutory category, safe harbor, license, or special exemption under the Copyright Act. It explains what the author contributed and what the author expressly does not claim.

## 5. Definition and uncertain legal status of Third-Party Materials

"Third-Party Materials" means all embedded or referenced material not independently authored by the Operator, including game and mod assets, fan-made assets, historical photographs, portraits, flags, insignia, interface components, fonts, audio, maps, and related metadata supplied by or derived from outside sources.

The legal status of individual materials may differ. Some may be in the public domain, consist primarily of unprotectable facts or familiar symbols, be used under an express or implied license, be protected by copyright or trademark, be subject to personality rights, or have incomplete or disputed authorship information. Public availability, community circulation, historical significance, or inclusion in a mod does not by itself prove unrestricted permission.

The Operator does not make a blanket representation that all Third-Party Materials are copyrighted, uncopyrighted, licensed, unlicensed, public domain, fair use, or freely reusable. Any rights that legally exist remain with the applicable rights holders.

## 6. Original project layer and compilation limits - 17 U.S.C. §§ 101 and 103

The Operator may claim rights only in material independently created by the Operator, including source code, technical documentation, original written text, database architecture, taxonomy, metadata, indexing, search functions, editor workflows, and any original selection, coordination, or arrangement that satisfies the applicable originality standard.

Under 17 U.S.C. § 101, a compilation may be protected when preexisting materials or data are selected, coordinated, or arranged so that the resulting whole is an original work of authorship. Section 103(b) limits any compilation or derivative-work copyright to material contributed by the compiler and does not imply an exclusive right in preexisting material. Section 103(a) further provides that protection does not extend to a part in which preexisting material has been used unlawfully.

Any protectable rights in the project's code, taxonomy, metadata, or arrangement therefore do not convert the author into the owner of underlying flags, portraits, icons, interface graphics, fonts, music, or other assets. This distinction is consistent with *Feist Publications, Inc. v. Rural Telephone Service Co.*, 499 U.S. 340 (1991).

## **6A. Functional ideas, original code, and expressive interface components**

The Operator independently wrote the Site’s code, data structures, and functional workflows. Copyright does not protect an abstract idea, procedure, process, system, method of operation, concept, principle, or discovery merely because it appears in software. That distinction does not mean every visual screen, border, icon, newspaper layout, portrait frame, animation, graphic texture, or other expressive interface component is unprotected.

The U.S. Copyright Office recognizes that computer programs and copyrightable screen displays may contain distinct expressive authorship. The Site therefore makes no blanket statement that exact reproduction of another project’s screen graphics or visual assets is categorically free to use. The narrower position is that original code and functional workflow are distinguished from third-party expressive assets; rights in the former do not transfer ownership of the latter.

Where the Site recreates a general visual language or functional arrangement, the analysis may differ from copying a specific protected graphic, texture, icon, portrait, or screen image. No single label such as “UI component,” “style,” or “function” decides that issue without examining the particular element.

## **7. No asset license, sublicense, assignment, or clearance - 17 U.S.C. § 106**

The Copyright Act reserves to a copyright owner, subject to statutory limitations, exclusive rights including reproduction, preparation of derivative works, public distribution, and public display. Access to the Site does not grant a license, sublicense, assignment, waiver, permission, or legal clearance to exercise those rights in Third-Party Materials.

The Operator cannot sell or license ownership that the Operator does not have. A technical ability to select, edit, combine, or export an asset is not a legal representation that the asset may be used for every purpose, territory, platform, or commercial context.

## **8. Fair use: a reserved legal position, not a blanket declaration - 17 U.S.C. § 107**

The Operator does not declare that every asset, every interface reproduction, every export, or every downstream use is fair use. Section 107 requires a case-specific analysis of purpose and character, nature of the copyrighted work, amount and substantiality, and market effect. Noncommerciality is relevant but not conclusive.

The Site’s free operation, fan-creative purpose, historical and referential context, metadata, search, classification, and absence of direct market substitution may support some arguments. Countervailing facts may include use of entire creative assets, a searchable high-quality library, close reproduction of expressive screens, or a use that substitutes for a market the rights holder could reasonably exploit. No single formulation decides all items.

The Operator reserves all arguments concerning fair use, public-domain status, lack of protectability, facts and ideas, express or implied permission, expiration, de minimis use, estoppel, acquiescence, misuse, and other limitations or defenses. Nothing in this Notice admits that any particular asset is protected or that any use is infringing.

## **9. No server-side user-content hosting and no § 512(c) claim for the embedded library**

The Site does not provide accounts, public user uploads, public galleries, cloud projects, social feeds, or server-hosted publication of user-created works. The embedded library is selected and integrated by the Operator, not stored at the direction of users.

Section 512(c) concerns storage of material at the direction of a user and requires compliance with statutory conditions. The Operator does not claim that registering a contact address, posting a takedown notice, or using a hosting service automatically places the operator-selected embedded library within that safe harbor. The rights-contact process below is voluntary and targeted, not represented as a complete statutory notice-and-counter-notice system.

## **9A. No accounts or hosted user works; no assertion of zero data processing**

The Site does not offer user accounts, server-side user uploads, public galleries, or cloud-hosted user projects. Users may select local files for browser-side processing, and the Operator does not intentionally collect or publish those user-created works. This substantially narrows the user-content and privacy profile.



The Site nevertheless does not claim that no data of any kind are processed. Vercel states that its systems may generate traffic data, telemetry, service logs, and usage statistics. Cookies or local storage used to remember the content-warning acknowledgment, security records, DNS data, or future analytics may also have legal significance. A separate privacy notice and data-law review are required before enabling operator-accessible analytics, accounts, email collection, behavioral profiling, cloud storage, server-side uploads, or expanded processing.

Mere accessibility from mainland China does not by itself establish every element of the PRC Personal Information Protection Law's extraterritorial test. Purposeful offering to mainland natural persons, analysis or evaluation of their behavior, and actual processing of personal information are relevant facts. The absence of accounts and intentional user-work collection reduces practical exposure but does not justify a zero-data assertion.

## 10. Local export and independent downstream publication

Users may export images, maps, posters, interfaces, news pages, events, portraits, focus trees, project files, or mod-related files to their own devices. The Site does not choose the destination platform, title, accompanying text, audience, territory, commercial model, or scale of later distribution.

A user's later posting, republication, archive, download repository, mass distribution, sale, monetization, or other dissemination is a separate act chosen and carried out by that user. Export is a technical function, not a license to underlying assets or a representation that downstream distribution is lawful.

## 11. Special warning regarding large-scale fan-work dissemination

- 11.1. The Site's own complete noncommerciality does not automatically characterize a user's later conduct. Advertising, sponsorship, paid subscriptions, commissions, merchandise, paid downloads, or traffic revenue create different facts.
- 11.2. Even without payment, repeated, complete, high-resolution, searchable, or bulk distribution of substantial third-party material may present different fair-use and market-effect questions from limited fan commentary or a single transformative work.
- 11.3. Private experimentation, limited noncommercial publication, a downloadable asset archive, and commercial distribution should not be treated as legally identical.
- 11.4. The Site does not preapprove, supervise, sponsor, endorse, or legally clear downstream fan works.
- 11.5. Users must not identify outputs as official, licensed, authorized, certified, or endorsed without actual written authority.
- 11.6. Before broad or commercial dissemination, users should identify assets, preserve source information, provide required attribution, obtain permissions where needed, and review destination-platform and local-law requirements.

## 12. Direct use by the Site versus downstream user conduct; no inducement or circumvention - 17 U.S.C. §§ 501, 1201-1202; Cox v. Sony (2026)

Two legal questions must be kept separate. First, the Site's own display, technical delivery, and integration of the embedded library must be evaluated as conduct of the Site itself. Second, a user's later publication or mass distribution is separate downstream conduct that may raise secondary-liability questions. A rule governing liability for another person's infringement does not decide whether the Site's own use is authorized, fair, public domain, licensed, or infringing.

In *Cox Communications, Inc. v. Sony Music Entertainment*, 607 U.S. 583 (2026), the Supreme Court held that a service provider is contributorily liable for a user's infringement only when the provider intended the service to be used for infringement, shown through affirmative inducement or a service tailored to infringement. Mere knowledge that some users may infringe is insufficient. The decision builds on *Sony Corp. of America v. Universal City Studios, Inc.*, 464 U.S. 417 (1984), and *Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios Inc. v. Grokster, Ltd.*, 545 U.S. 913 (2005).

The Site is not promoted as piracy, license-evasion, asset-ripping, or bulk-infringement infrastructure. It does not instruct users to violate rights, promise that exports are legally cleared, select or host the destination of later publications, supervise downstream audiences, or receive financial benefit from downstream conduct. It has substantial lawful and noninfringing uses, including original worldbuilding, historical reference, private experimentation, commentary, parody, research, layout design, and use of user-created or lawfully available materials.

The Site does not bypass, decrypt, remove, deactivate, or impair technological access controls; manufacture or market circumvention tools; knowingly falsify copyright-management information; or intentionally remove such information to induce, enable, facilitate, or conceal infringement. It does not provide a playable copy of *Hearts of Iron IV* or any

referenced mod and does not authorize bypass of purchases, licenses, platform requirements, technical protection measures, or access controls.

### **LIMIT OF THE SECONDARY-LIABILITY ANALYSIS**

Cox, Sony, and Grokster concern liability for another person's infringement. They do not immunize the Site's own reproduction, display, distribution, or technical delivery of an embedded asset. Direct use of each asset remains subject to ordinary copyright analysis, including ownership, protectability, license, public-domain status, statutory limitations, and fair use.

## **13. Trademarks, names, and avoidance of false affiliation - 15 U.S.C. § 1125(a)**

Names, logos, titles, trade dress, and other source identifiers associated with Paradox Interactive, Hearts of Iron IV, The New Order, mod teams, and other projects may be protected by trademark or unfair-competition law. References are used to identify subject matter, compatibility, source tradition, or community context.

Section 43(a) of the Lanham Act addresses uses likely to cause confusion regarding affiliation, connection, association, origin, sponsorship, or approval. The Site expressly disclaims official status and should not use a third party's corporate logo or official project logo as its own primary source identifier in a manner likely to create confusion.

Complete noncommerciality is relevant context but is not permission to create false affiliation. Users likewise may not label generated works as official, licensed, authorized, or endorsed without actual authority.

## **14. Portraits, names, likenesses, and statements about persons**

The library may contain portraits and names of historical figures, public figures, fictionalized persons, and living persons. Their presence does not imply endorsement by the depicted person, family, estate, employer, government, or representative.

Rights of publicity, privacy, false endorsement, and defamation vary significantly by state. Users who publish works involving living persons, fabricated quotations, purported official communications, or commercial endorsements must evaluate the relevant law and publication context.

## **15. Source labels, attribution, and metadata**

Source names, asset labels, historical descriptions, author fields, tags, and rights notes are maintained on a best-efforts basis and may be incomplete, outdated, mistranslated, or mistaken. Attribution does not create permission, and absence of attribution does not deny another person's authorship or ownership.

A creator or rights holder who can provide corrected attribution, provenance, licensing information, or a more accurate source path is encouraged to contact the project. Verified corrections may be added without implying that every other entry has been legally cleared.

## **16. Voluntary rights complaint and targeted-removal procedure**

A person who believes a specific asset or use infringes a right may send a notice to [linture9@gmail.com](mailto:linture9@gmail.com). Notices may be in English or Chinese. To allow meaningful review, the notice should include:

- the complainant's name and reliable contact information;
- identification of the claimed work, mark, likeness, or other right;
- the legal or factual basis for the claim and, where applicable, evidence of ownership or authority to act;
- the exact Site page, asset name, asset ID, file path, screenshot, or other information sufficient to locate the material;
- the action requested, such as attribution correction, replacement, restriction, or removal; and
- a good-faith statement that the information supplied is accurate.

The Operator may request clarification, temporarily disable an item, correct attribution, replace an item, remove an item, or decline an unsupported request. Because the Site does not host user-submitted public content, this is a voluntary operational process and is not represented as the statutory § 512(c) notice-and-counter-notice system.

## **17. Removal is not an admission; all legal positions are reserved**

Any correction, restriction, replacement, or removal may be made to reduce uncertainty, preserve community relations, comply with hosting requirements, or avoid unnecessary dispute. Such action is not an admission of ownership, infringement, damages, willfulness, jurisdiction, governing law, or legal liability.

Continued availability likewise is not a final determination that a material is unprotected, licensed, fair use, or lawful in every context. The Operator reserves all factual, procedural, and substantive positions available under applicable law.

## **18. No warranty of rights clearance or universal legality**

The Site, asset metadata, source labels, editing functions, and exports are provided as available. The Operator does not warrant that every asset is correctly attributed, every source chain is complete, every material is lawful for every use, every export complies with every platform rule, or this Notice eliminates all risk.

The Site's free and noncommercial character, the author's limited integrator role, and absence of user hosting are important facts. They do not substitute for asset-by-asset analysis where a dispute arises.

## **19. Vercel-specific contractual exposure**

Vercel's current Terms classify deployed code, data, information, and content as the customer's "Your Content," place responsibility for that content on the customer, and require representations concerning ownership or required permissions. Vercel also receives a broad license to operate the service and may remove content or terminate deployments.

A public disclaimer cannot make a contractual representation factually true if it is not true. The project's no-ownership statement, noncommercial purpose, contextual presentation, source ledger, and targeted-removal practice improve transparency and may reduce conflict, but they do not rewrite Vercel's contract. The Operator should maintain backups and a migration plan.

Vercel also states that traffic data, telemetry, logs, and usage statistics may be generated as System Data. The Operator should not state that the Site processes no data at all. If operator-accessible analytics, email collection, accounts, feedback forms, or other tracking are activated, a separate privacy notice and data review should be completed before launch.

## **20. Updates and contact**

Update this Notice before any material change in monetization, donations, advertising, server-side uploads, public galleries, cloud storage, asset sales, official relationship status, deployment location, mainland-China infrastructure, accounts, analytics, or personal-data processing.

Rights, attribution, and legal correspondence: linture9@gmail.com. Use a subject line beginning with "[RIGHTS NOTICE - DECIUS TNO FORGE]".

## 第二部分 - 中国大陆相关法律的辅助性、条件性风险说明（境外网站版本）

项目：Decius TNO Forge | 网站：<https://deciustnoforge.com> | 境外部署：Vercel | 联系邮箱：[linture9@gmail.com](mailto:linture9@gmail.com) | 版本：6.0  
| 生效日期：2026 年 7 月 28 日

### 本部分的核心定位

美国联邦著作权法、美国联邦商标法以及 Vercel 的合同和平台政策，是本站当前最直接的法律与运营框架。中国大陆法律在本文中仅作为辅助性、条件性风险层，用于说明普通 ICP 备案和境内平台义务为何通常不符合当前境外部署事实，以及个人信息域外规则、涉外知识产权、民事管辖、访问限制和中国大陆用户本人站外传播在何种条件下仍可能产生影响。本部分不构成选择中华人民共和国法律、接受中国法院或主管机关管辖，也不构成承认本站属于中国大陆境内互联网信息服务平台。

### 一、中文说明的功能与语言关系

本部分以中文向中国大陆访问者、素材作者和权利人说明本站的实际运营结构与跨境风险。它不是中国大陆境内网站的服务协议，不把中国法设定为全部争议的默认准据法，也不把本站自我定性为境内网络信息内容平台。

第一部分英文美国法声明是网站运营层面的主要法律说明。中文部分与英文部分在陈述部署位置、收费模式、素材权属、用户上传、数据处理或导出机制等事实时，应作一致理解。任何翻译差异均不得被解释为作者主动放弃管辖异议、承认侵权、承认损害、同意境外判决执行或者扩大任何第三方权利。

### 二、当前境外运营事实

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### 三、为什么美国法和 Vercel 规则属于主要、直接层

作者主要在美国进行网站开发和管理，且本站自身在 Vercel 上复制、存储、展示、编排和技术传送内置第三方素材，因此美国联邦著作权法对本站自身行为具有直接分析价值。本站对 Paradox Interactive、Hearts of Iron IV、The New Order 及其他名称和标识的使用，还可能触及美国联邦商标与虚假关联规则。

与此同时，Vercel 与作者之间存在直接合同关系。Vercel 可以依据其服务条款和可接受使用政策处理知识产权投诉、敏感内容、仇恨或暴力相关内容以及其他政策问题。该层面的项目限制、下架或终止，并不需要以某国法院先作出侵权判决为前提。

因此，本站最现实的直接约束不是“会不会先被中国大陆主管机关认定为境内网站”，而是美国知识产权规则、具体权利人的主张以及 Vercel 的合同执行。

## 四、Vercel 的加利福尼亚法律条款只调整作者与 Vercel 的合同

Vercel 服务条款约定其与客户之间的协议适用加利福尼亚州法律，并包含特定争议解决机制。该约定只在作者与 Vercel 的合同关系范围内发生作用。

它不会自动决定第三方素材作者的著作权请求、商标权人的混淆请求、现实人物的人格权益请求、中国大陆用户的站外传播行为或者外国法院的涉外法律适用分析。因此，本文不把“使用 Vercel”写成所有争议当然适用美国法的捷径。

## 五、ICP 备案与当前结构的匹配程度

现行《互联网信息服务管理办法》和《非经营性互联网信息服务备案管理办法》围绕在中华人民共和国境内提供互联网信息服务建立许可和备案制度。官方办事指南将“在境内提供非经营性互联网信息服务”解释为境内组织或个人利用网站提供服务。Vercel 则明确表示其不提供中国大陆境内托管，在中国大陆境内托管需要 ICP 许可及本地合规。

根据当前无境内服务器、无境内托管或接入安排、无境内运营主体、无 ICP 号且网站由境外 Vercel 部署的事实，本站通常不属于通过中国大陆境内托管体系办理普通 ICP 备案的结构，也不应冒用或虚构 ICP 备案。

这个结论不是永久判决。若未来使用中国大陆服务器、境内 CDN 或接入资源，设立境内运营主体，由境内主体或个人正式面向公众持续运营，或者通过境内应用商店、小程序、域名接入、商业支付和本地化服务落地，应当在线上重新审查 ICP 备案、增值电信业务许可及相关内容管理义务。

### 更准确的表述

在当前事实下，普通中国大陆境内 ICP 备案和境内平台运营制度一般不符合本站的部署结构；不能据此写成“中国大陆在任何情况下都绝对无权处理任何相关问题”。

## 五 A、2026 年修订草案不是现行法

国家互联网信息办公室于 2026 年 7 月再次公开征求《互联网信息服务管理办法（修订草案征求意见稿）》意见。草案第九十二条拟规定，境外组织、个人向中国境内提供互联网信息服务时应遵守中国法律、行政法规和国家有关规定。该文本截至本公告生效日仍为征求意见稿，没有生效日期，不能作为已经生效的许可、备案、处罚或普遍域外监管义务写入本站当前结论。

该草案说明未来规则可能进一步明确对境外服务的连接方式。因此，本站把它列为监测事项：如其正式通过，必须根据最终文本、实施日期、配套程序和本站届时功能重新审查，而不是提前假定草案原文必然生效。

## 六、不按中国大陆境内用户内容平台自我定性

本站没有用户账号、服务器端投稿、公共评论、社交互动、公开作品画廊、云端项目托管或用户内容推荐系统。用户在本地浏览器中选择文件并导出，不等于作者建立了面向公众的用户内容存储和传播平台。

因此，本文不主动承认本站承担中国大陆境内用户内容平台通常涉及的实名、内容审核、算法推荐、用户信息存储、公众账号、社区治理或境内日志留存等全部义务。若功能结构发生变化，需另行分析，不能继续依赖本段。

## 七、境外部署并非对所有中国法问题的绝对豁免

中国法是否可能被主张，必须区分法律适用、司法管辖、行政监管、实际执行和用户本人行为。某一规则在文字上具有域外适用条款，不等于任何中国大陆机关都能无条件直接控制任何境外网站；反之，没有境内服务器也不等于所有跨境连接自动消失。



就本站而言，普通境内网站许可和备案的直接相关性较低；数据域外规则、涉外知识产权、民事管辖以及访问限制具有条件性；中国大陆用户本人在境内的下载、发布、群发、经营或商业化，则是用户侧的本地行为。

七 A、《网络安全法》第五十二条和第七十七条：阻断能力与有限域外追责

现行《中华人民共和国网络安全法》第二条以在中华人民共和国境内建设、运营、维护和使用网络以及网络安全监督管理为一般适用范围。对本站而言，这支持区分境内网络运营义务与境外网站本体。

同法第五十二条同时明确：主管部门发现法律、行政法规禁止发布或者传输的信息时，可以要求网络运营者停止传输并采取处置措施；对来源于中华人民共和国境外的上述信息，可以通知有关机构采取技术措施和其他必要措施阻断传播。因此，即使本站不属于境内托管平台，中国大陆仍可能在境内网络层面影响可访问性。该条体现的是境内阻断和中介措施，不等于中国大陆当然取得对境外作者全部运营活动的日常许可管辖。

同法第七十七条规定，境外机构、组织、个人从事危害中华人民共和国网络安全活动的，依法追究责任；造成严重后果的，可以采取冻结财产或其他必要制裁措施。该条门槛是“危害网络安全”并在严重后果情形下涉及制裁，不能把普通免费同人编辑器的存在直接等同于该条所称活动。本站仍不作绝对排除，因为具体内容、行为、后果和连接事实可能改变评价。

八、中国大陆相关监管层级矩阵

| 事项               | 当前层级       | 依据当前事实的说明                                                                      |
|------------------|------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 普通 ICP 备案与境内托管制度 | 当前一般不触发    | 无境内服务器、境内托管或接入安排、境内运营主体和 ICP 号。境内落地后必须重申。                                      |
| 境内用户内容平台义务       | 当前一般不符合事实  | 无账号、服务器端上传、公共画廊、云端项目、站内发布和推荐。                                                  |
| 个人信息保护法域外适用      | 条件性且当前暴露较低 | 需要存在境外处理境内自然人个人信息并满足向其提供产品或服务、分析其行为等连接。无账号和无主动收集会降低暴露，但日志意味着不能宣称绝对零处理。         |
| 网络数据安全域外规则       | 条件性        | 《网络数据安全条例》第二条含有个人信息域外规则和损害国家安全、公共利益或公民组织权益的境外活动条款。                             |
| 中国知识产权实体法        | 条件性        | 权利人在中国请求保护时，被请求保护地规则可能连接中国法。是否侵权仍需个案分析。                                        |
| 中国法院民事管辖         | 条件性        | 需存在法定连接。信息网络传播权案件中，服务器和被告住所均在境外时，原告发现内容的终端所在地在特定条件下可被视为侵权行为地。                  |
| 中国大陆行政直接执行       | 对网站本体较低但非零 | 无境内实体、服务器、收款和资产会降低对境外网站本体实施许可、现场检查、罚款和直接强制执行的可操作性；但不排除法定域外条款、境内中介措施或对境内主体采取措施。 |
| 中国大陆用户站外传播       | 用户侧直接风险    | 用户在境内公开、大规模、商业或其他方式传播，是用户自行实施的本地行为。                                            |
| 访问、过滤与性能         | 现实且可直接发生   | 《网络安全法》第五十二条为阻断境外来源法定禁止信息提供明确依据。境外网站可能被限速、过滤、阻断或不稳定访问；这不等于本站已成为境内备案服务。         |

九、《个人信息保护法》第三条的域外连接

《中华人民共和国个人信息保护法》第三条规定，境外处理中国境内自然人个人信息，在以向境内自然人提供产品或者服务为目的、分析评估其行为或者法律行政法规规定的其他情形下，可能适用该法。免费服务仍可能属于“产品或者服务”，因此不能仅以“没有收费”排除该条。



但是，该条仍要求存在个人信息处理以及法定目的连接。本站没有账号、用户上传、云端项目和主动收集用户作品的功能。仅仅可以从中国大陆访问，并不当然证明作者对境内自然人实施了行为分析或收集。中文界面、面向中国大陆宣传、可访问的统计面板、邮件列表、行为分析或精准运营，可能成为更强的连接事实。

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## 十、《网络数据安全条例》第二条的条件性域外规则

自 2025 年 1 月 1 日起施行的《网络数据安全条例》第二条，一方面将境外处理境内自然人个人信息且符合《个人信息保护法》第三条第二款的活动纳入适用范围，另一方面规定境外网络数据处理活动损害中国国家安全、公共利益或者公民、组织合法权益的，依法追究法律责任。

该条文字范围较宽，但不能直接推导出对任何境外网站的无条件、即时和全面控制。是否构成网络数据处理、是否存在法定损害、由何机关处理、如何送达、如何执行，均依具体事实和程序。本站当前无用户数据库和主动行为分析，会降低实际数据监管暴露；Vercel 基础设施日志仍应如实披露，不宜写成“绝对不处理任何数据”。

## 十一、涉外知识产权法律适用

《中华人民共和国涉外民事关系法律适用法》第四十八条规定，知识产权的归属和内容适用被请求保护地法律；第五十条规定，知识产权侵权责任适用被请求保护地法律，当事人在侵权行为发生后可以依法协议选择法院地法律。

因此，某一权利人若在中国请求保护其著作权、商标权或其他知识产权，中国法可能成为该具体请求的实体法依据。服务器在境外、网站免费和作者无盈利，会影响事实与责任评价，但不能机械排除被请求保护地连接。

本文件不承认任何具体素材必然在中国受保护，也不承认任何具体行为必然侵权。作品资格、权利人身份、保护期限、授权、公有领域、独创性、法定限制、行为发生地和损害证据均应个案判断。

## 十二、中国法院民事管辖与信息网络传播权特别规则

中国法院是否具有管辖权，与中国法是否可能作为实体法适用是两个问题。涉外民事诉讼需要满足法定管辖连接、有效送达和其他程序条件。作者发布中文声明，不等于同意中国法院管辖。

信息网络传播权案件存在特别管辖规则。最高人民法院相关规定及指导性案例指出，侵权行为地可以包括实施被诉行为的网络服务器、计算机终端等设备所在地；当侵权行为地和被告住所地均难以确定或者在境外时，原告发现侵权内容的计算机终端所在地在一定条件下可以被视为侵权行为地。

这一规则解决的是案件由何地法院受理的问题，不等于原告当然拥有权利，也不等于侵权、损害、主观过错和赔偿自动成立。作者仍可对管辖、送达、权利基础、行为性质、法律适用、证据和其他抗辩提出意见。

## 十三、实际监管和执行能力的层级

在无中国大陆运营主体、服务器、银行收款、商业收入和可供执行资产的情况下，中国大陆行政机关对本站实施境内许可、备案、罚款和现场检查的直接操作空间通常低于境内网站。外国判决或中国判决在境外的执行还涉及送达、承认执行、资产所在地、国际协助和当地程序。

但“直接执行较弱”不等于“实际影响为零”。《网络安全法》第五十二条明确允许对来源于境外的法定禁止信息通知有关机构采取技术措施和其他必要措施阻断传播。中国大陆还可能通过网络访问限制、过滤、DNS 或连接层措施影响境内可访问性；境内平台、应用商店、支付机构、搜索渠道、社交媒体或其他中介也可能依法或依其规则处理相关链接和内容。对境内用户、合作方或资产的措施同样不需要先控制境外服务器。

监管强度更准确的描述是：对境外网站本体的日常备案和平台许可直接性较低；对中国大陆访问、境内传播者、境内中介和具体涉外争议仍可能产生现实影响。

## 十四、完全免费、无偿、非商业的法律意义与限度

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本站不作“互联网上能找到即可以自由用”“同人项目全部属于合理使用”“不盈利即自动免责”“历史素材均无版权”或者“制作组不会投诉所以无需分析”的概括性法律声明。

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作者同时保留依法主张公有领域、缺乏独创性、事实或思想不受保护、许可、默示同意、法定限制、合理使用、合理引用、保护期限届满、权利瑕疵、禁止反言、权利滥用和其他抗辩的权利。

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### 三十、结论与联系方式

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## APPENDIX A - UNITED STATES LEGAL AUTHORITIES

Research status: official federal statutory materials, U.S. Copyright Office guidance, USPTO guidance, and cited Supreme Court decisions available as of July 28, 2026. This appendix identifies principal authorities used to draft Part I; it is not exhaustive and does not replace asset-specific analysis.

- **17 U.S.C. §§ 101 and 103** - Define compilations and derivative works and limit protection to the compiler's original contribution, without creating rights in preexisting assets. <https://www.copyright.gov/title17/92chap1.html>
- **17 U.S.C. § 106** - Lists exclusive rights including reproduction, derivative works, distribution, public performance, and public display. <https://www.copyright.gov/title17/92chap1.html>
- **17 U.S.C. § 107** - Requires case-specific evaluation of four fair-use factors; noncommerciality is relevant but not dispositive. <https://www.copyright.gov/title17/92chap1.html>
- **17 U.S.C. § 501** - Defines direct infringement and helps separate the Site's own use from downstream user conduct. <https://www.copyright.gov/title17/92chap5.html>
- **17 U.S.C. § 512(c)** - Addresses storage of material at the direction of users. The Site does not rely on this provision for its operator-selected built-in library. <https://www.copyright.gov/512/>
- **17 U.S.C. §§ 1201-1202** - Address circumvention of technological protection measures and copyright-management information. <https://www.copyright.gov/title17/92chap12.html>
- **15 U.S.C. § 1125(a)** - Addresses confusion regarding affiliation, connection, association, origin, sponsorship, or approval. <https://uscode.house.gov/view.xhtml?req=15+usc+1125>
- **Feist Publications, Inc. v. Rural Telephone Service Co., 499 U.S. 340 (1991)** - Requires originality in selection or arrangement and confirms that facts are not protected as such. <https://tile.loc.gov/storage-services/service/ll/usrep/usrep499/usrep499340/usrep499340.pdf>
- **Campbell v. Acuff-Rose Music, Inc., 510 U.S. 569 (1994)** - Requires balancing fair-use factors and rejects automatic treatment of commerciality as conclusive. <https://tile.loc.gov/storage-services/service/ll/usrep/usrep510/usrep510569/usrep510569.pdf>
- **Sony Corp. of America v. Universal City Studios, Inc., 464 U.S. 417 (1984)** - Recognizes the importance of substantial noninfringing uses in secondary-liability analysis. <https://tile.loc.gov/storage-services/service/ll/usrep/usrep464/usrep464417/usrep464417.pdf>
- **Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios Inc. v. Gorkster, Ltd., 545 U.S. 913 (2005)** - Addresses inducement of infringement and active promotion of infringing use. <https://tile.loc.gov/storage-services/service/ll/usrep/usrep545/usrep545913/usrep545913.pdf>
- **Google LLC v. Oracle America, Inc., 593 U.S. 1 (2021)** - Applies fair use in a software context and emphasizes the purpose and character of the particular use. [https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/20pdf/18-956\\_d18f.pdf](https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/20pdf/18-956_d18f.pdf)
- **Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts, Inc. v. Goldsmith, 598 U.S. 508 (2023)** - Explains that adding new meaning or expression does not by itself decide the first factor; the specific use and purpose matter. [https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/22pdf/21-869\\_87ad.pdf](https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/22pdf/21-869_87ad.pdf)
- **Cox Communications, Inc. v. Sony Music Entertainment, 607 U.S. 583 (2026)** - Holds that contributory liability for a user's infringement requires intent shown through inducement or a service tailored to infringement; mere knowledge that some users infringe is insufficient. It does not decide direct liability for operator-selected assets. [https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/25pdf/607us2r22\\_k4lo.pdf](https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/25pdf/607us2r22_k4lo.pdf)
- **U.S. Copyright Office, Fair Use Index** - Explains the four-factor, case-specific nature of fair use and that noncommercial use is not automatically fair. <https://www.copyright.gov/fair-use/>
- **U.S. Copyright Office, Section 512 Resources** - Explains distinct safe harbors and that § 512(c) concerns material stored at the direction of a user. <https://www.copyright.gov/512/>
- **U.S. Copyright Office, Circular 61** - Distinguishes program code and copyrightable screen displays and confirms that protection does not extend to preexisting material outside the claimant's contribution. <https://www.copyright.gov/circs/circ61.pdf>
- **USPTO, Likelihood of Confusion** - Explains that confusingly similar marks used for related goods or services may create source, sponsorship, or affiliation confusion. <https://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/search/likelihood-confusion>
- **Matal v. Tam, 582 U.S. 218 (2017)** - Confirms that government generally may not suppress an idea merely because it is offensive; it does not compel private hosting. [https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/16pdf/15-1293\\_1o13.pdf](https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/16pdf/15-1293_1o13.pdf)
- **Iancu v. Brunetti, 588 U.S. 388 (2019)** - Invalidates a viewpoint-discriminatory federal trademark restriction on immoral or scandalous expression; it does not immunize unlawful conduct or bind a private platform. [https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/18pdf/18-302\\_e29g.pdf](https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/18pdf/18-302_e29g.pdf)
- **Counterman v. Colorado, 600 U.S. 66 (2023)** - Addresses the constitutional threshold for true-threat prosecutions and distinguishes protected expression from punishable threats. [https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/22pdf/22-138\\_43j7.pdf](https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/22pdf/22-138_43j7.pdf)

## APPENDIX B - 中国大陆辅助性与跨境分析的主要依据

研究状态：本附录列明截至 2026 年 7 月 28 日用于起草第二部分的主要现行官方资料。它不把本站定性为中国大陆境内平台；其目的在于区分境内 ICP 与平台运营制度、特定域外数据规则、涉外知识产权与管辖规则、实际访问限制以及中国大陆用户本人实施的站外传播。

- **Vercel 官方说明：Accessing Vercel-hosted sites from mainland China** - 说明中国大陆境内托管需要 ICP 许可和本地合规，Vercel 不提供中国大陆境内托管，并提示境内访问可能出现性能与可靠性问题。 <https://vercel.com/kb/guide/accessing-vercel-hosted-sites-from-mainland-china>
- 《互联网信息服务管理办法》第二条、第四条 - 现行制度围绕在中华人民共和国境内从事互联网信息服务建立经营许可和非经营备案。 [https://www.cac.gov.cn/2000-09/30/c\\_126193701.htm](https://www.cac.gov.cn/2000-09/30/c_126193701.htm)
- 《中华人民共和国网络安全法》第二条、第五十二条、第七十七条（2026 年 1 月 1 日起施行的修订文本） - 第二条规定一般境内适用范围；第五十二条允许对来源于境外的法定禁止信息采取阻断传播措施；第七十七条规定境外危害中国网络安全活动的追责和严重后果制裁。 [https://www.cac.gov.cn/2025-12/29/c\\_1768735112911946.htm](https://www.cac.gov.cn/2025-12/29/c_1768735112911946.htm)
- 《互联网信息服务管理办法（修订草案征求意见稿）》第九十二条（2026 年 7 月再次征求意见） - 草案拟规定境外组织、个人向中国境内提供互联网信息服务时遵守中国法；截至本文件生效日仍未生效，仅作为未来变更观察项。 [https://www.cac.gov.cn/2026-07/03/c\\_1784822399677167.htm](https://www.cac.gov.cn/2026-07/03/c_1784822399677167.htm)
- 《非经营性互联网信息服务备案管理办法》第五条及官方办事指南 - 针对在中华人民共和国境内提供非经营性互联网信息服务的备案，并由官方办事指南说明境内组织或个人利用网站提供服务的结构。 <https://banshi.beijing.gov.cn/pubtask/task/1/110000000000/9fc01cfc-0070-4c12-be1e-24308db98e42.html>
- 《中华人民共和国个人信息保护法》第三条 - 境外处理境内自然人个人信息，在以向境内自然人提供产品或服务、分析评估其行为等特定情形下可能适用。 [https://www.cac.gov.cn/2021-08/20/c\\_1631050028355286.htm](https://www.cac.gov.cn/2021-08/20/c_1631050028355286.htm)
- 《网络数据安全条例》第二条 - 规定境内网络数据处理的一般范围、个人信息保护法所列境外处理情形，以及特定境外网络数据活动的责任连接，自 2025 年 1 月 1 日起施行。 <https://xzfg.moj.gov.cn/front/law/detail?LawID=1734>
- 《中华人民共和国涉外民事关系法律适用法》第四十八条、第五十条 - 知识产权的归属和内容以及侵权责任以被请求保护地为重要连接。 <https://gongbao.court.gov.cn/Details/5556b6c60575c047bb77100af04a09.html>
- 《中华人民共和国民事诉讼法》涉外民事诉讼管辖规定 - 涉外案件是否由中国法院受理，需要符合法定连接和程序要求。 [https://www.gov.cn/yaowen/liebiao/202309/content\\_6902528.htm](https://www.gov.cn/yaowen/liebiao/202309/content_6902528.htm)
- 最高人民法院指导性案例 223 号及信息网络传播权司法解释第十五条 - 服务器与被告住所地均难以确定或位于境外时，原告发现侵权内容的终端所在地在特定条件下可被视为侵权行为地；该规则涉及管辖，不等于实体侵权自动成立。 <https://www.court.gov.cn/shenpan/xiangqing/421192.html>
- 《中华人民共和国著作权法》第十条、第十五条、第二十四条、第二十六条、第五十三条至第五十四条 - 涉及复制、信息网络传播、汇编、法定限制、许可和侵权责任。仅在中国法依法适用于具体事项时作为依据。 [https://www.ncac.gov.cn/xxfb/flfg/flfg\\_532/202103/t20210309\\_50530.html](https://www.ncac.gov.cn/xxfb/flfg/flfg_532/202103/t20210309_50530.html)
- 《中华人民共和国著作权法实施条例》第三条 - 说明组织、咨询、提供物质条件或其他辅助工作不视为创作；该条不能免除辅助者自身使用作品所需的个案分析。 [https://www.ncac.gov.cn/xxfb/flfg/flfg\\_532/200701/t20070109\\_50528.html](https://www.ncac.gov.cn/xxfb/flfg/flfg_532/200701/t20070109_50528.html)
- 《中华人民共和国民法典》第一千一百六十九条 - 涉及教唆、帮助他人实施侵权行为时的责任。 [https://www.moj.gov.cn/pub/sfbgw/zwgkztzl/2025nianshuanti/2025mfdxcy/2025mfdxcy\\_mfdql/202505/t20250507\\_518708.html](https://www.moj.gov.cn/pub/sfbgw/zwgkztzl/2025nianshuanti/2025mfdxcy/2025mfdxcy_mfdql/202505/t20250507_518708.html)
- 最高人民法院关于信息网络传播权纠纷的司法解释 - 区分直接提供、共同提供、教唆和帮助，并列明明知或应知、主动选择推荐、合理措施及直接获利等因素。 <https://www.court.gov.cn/fabu/xiangqing/282671.html>

## APPENDIX C - VERCEL CONTRACT AND PLATFORM MATERIALS

This appendix identifies the most direct nonjudicial operating constraints. Vercel can enforce its contract and policies independently of whether a rights holder would ultimately prevail in litigation.

- **Vercel, Accessing Vercel-hosted sites from mainland China** - States that in-country hosting in mainland China requires an ICP license and local compliance, that Vercel does not offer in-country hosting, and that cross-border access may be unreliable. <https://vercel.com/kb/guide/accessing-vercel-hosted-sites-from-mainland-china>
- **Vercel Terms of Service, last updated June 1, 2026 - Age and eligibility** - Requires users to be at least 16 and to maintain accurate account information and unique credentials. <https://vercel.com/legal/terms>
- **Vercel Terms - Your Content** - Makes the customer responsible for materials submitted in connection with the service and grants Vercel a broad operational license over that content. <https://vercel.com/legal/terms#3-your-content>
- **Vercel Terms - removal and Hobby plan** - Allows Vercel to remove or disable content and gives it broad discretion to disable or terminate Hobby-plan deployments. <https://vercel.com/legal/terms#4-hobby-plan>
- **Vercel Terms - System Data** - States that Vercel may generate and use traffic data, telemetry, service logs, and usage statistics. <https://vercel.com/legal/terms#104-system-data>
- **Vercel Terms - representations and indemnification** - Requires customer representations concerning rights and compliance and contains an indemnification obligation for claims arising from deployed content or breach. <https://vercel.com/legal/terms>
- **Vercel Terms - California governing law** - Applies to the contract between Vercel and its customer; it does not choose law for all third-party claims. <https://vercel.com/legal/terms#221-law>
- **Vercel Acceptable Use Policy, last updated April 21, 2026** - Prohibits intellectual-property infringement, hate speech, promotion or enablement of violence or terrorism, offensive or illegal content, and other listed activities. <https://vercel.com/legal/acceptable-use-policy>
- **Vercel abuse reporting** - Provides the hosting provider's direct reporting channel for alleged policy violations. <https://vercel.com/abuse>

### IMPORTANT OPERATIONAL MISMATCH

A public disclaimer cannot satisfy a contractual representation that the customer owns deployed content or has all required permissions if that representation is not factually true. The project's noncommercial character, community purpose, no-ownership statement, source records, contextual presentation, and targeted-removal practice are important risk facts, but they do not rewrite Vercel's contract. Maintaining backups and a migration plan is prudent.

## APPENDIX D - REPOSITORY LICENSE EXCLUSION NOTICE

### English notice for LICENSE / README

#### THIRD-PARTY ASSET EXCLUSION

Any software license stated for this repository applies only to source code, technical documentation, original written material, original metadata, and other material independently authored by the project author and expressly covered by that license. It does not apply to third-party flags, portraits, photographs, icons, interface graphics, fonts, music, sound files, game assets, mod assets, historical images, or other third-party materials contained in asset, public, media, static, icon, portrait, flag, audio, or equivalent directories. No ownership, license, sublicense, or permission in those materials is granted by the project author. Rights, if any, remain with their respective rights holders.

### 适用于 LICENSE / README 的中文声明

#### 第三方素材排除声明

本仓库所标注的软件许可，仅适用于作者独立编写并由该许可明确覆盖的程序代码、技术文档、原创文字、原创元数据及其他原创内容。该许可不适用于 asset、public、media、static、icon、portrait、flag、audio 或其他同类目录中的第三方旗帜、肖像、照片、图标、界面图像、字体、音乐、音效、游戏素材、模组素材、历史图像或其他第三方材料。作者不通过该软件许可向任何人主张或授予上述素材的所有权、许可、再许可或使用权限；相关权利在依法存在的范围内仍归其各自权利人所有。

## APPENDIX E - DOWNSTREAM DISTRIBUTION WARNING

### English notice to display near export buttons

#### **EXPORT IS A TECHNICAL FUNCTION, NOT RIGHTS CLEARANCE**

The Site is entirely free, unpaid, and noncommercial; the project author receives no revenue tied to use, exports, or downstream reach; and the author claims no ownership of the embedded third-party assets. Exporting a work does not grant a license to the underlying assets. The Site does not host or publish your output. If you later post, mass-distribute, archive, monetize, sell, or otherwise disseminate it elsewhere, you independently choose that use and are responsible for reviewing copyright, trademark, likeness, attribution, platform, and local-law requirements. Do not describe the output as official, licensed, authorized, or endorsed unless you have actual written authority.

### 建议显示在导出按钮附近的中文提示

#### **导出只是技术功能，不是权利清理**

本站完全免费、完全无偿、完全非商业，作者不从访问、下载、导出、传播规模或用户站外收益中取得任何收入、分成或其他经济利益，并且不主张对任何内置第三方素材享有所有权。导出作品不等于取得底层素材许可。本站不托管或替你发布导出结果。你此后在其他平台公开、大规模传播、建立下载档案、商业化、销售或以其他方式传播的，是你自行选择的站外行为；你应自行审查著作权、商标、肖像、署名、平台规则和当地法律。没有真实书面授权时，不得把作品描述为官方、授权、合作、认证或背书内容。



## APPENDIX F - RIGHTS NOTICE TEMPLATE

Send to: linture9@gmail.com

### English template

Subject: [RIGHTS NOTICE - DECIUS TNO FORGE] [Asset name or ID]

1. Name / organization and reliable contact information:
2. Authority to act, if submitted by a representative:
3. Right asserted (copyright, trademark, likeness, attribution, other):
4. Work, mark, likeness, or right claimed:
5. Basis of ownership, authorship, registration, license, or other authority:
6. Exact Site location, asset name, ID, file path, URL, or screenshot:
7. Explanation of the concern and the specific use challenged:
8. Requested action (correction, attribution, replacement, restriction, removal):
9. Good-faith statement that the information supplied is accurate:

### 中文模板

邮件主题：【权利通知 - DECIUS TNO FORGE】【素材名称或编号】

1. 姓名或组织名称及可靠联系方式：
2. 代理人提交时的授权证明：
3. 主张的权利类型（著作权、商标权、肖像权、署名、更正或其他）：
4. 所主张的作品、标志、肖像或其他权利：
5. 作者身份、权属、登记、许可或代理权限依据：
6. 具体页面、素材名称、编号、路径、网址或截图：
7. 具体问题及所反对的使用方式：
8. 希望采取的措施（更正、署名、替换、限制或删除）：
9. 关于所提交信息真实、准确的善意声明：

## APPENDIX G - IMPLEMENTATION AND CHANGE-CONTROL CHECKLIST

The legal notice is only one layer. The following implementation steps should match the public statements in this document.

1. First-visit notice: show before normal entry, link this PDF, and store only a local acknowledgment value unless a privacy review supports more.
2. Persistent footer: display “Independent, unofficial, free, noncommercial; no ownership claimed in third-party assets” with the rights-contact email.
3. Export warning: place Appendix E near export actions, especially bulk or high-resolution export.
4. Repository license: exclude third-party asset directories from the code license in LICENSE and README.
5. Asset provenance ledger: maintain asset ID, source path, project or mod source, known author, known license, import date, and current status.
6. Rights inbox: monitor linture9@gmail.com; preserve notices, replies, evidence, and action logs.
7. No inducement language: do not advertise the Site as a method to steal, rip, evade licensing, avoid takedowns, or mass-infringe.
8. Sensitive-content context: keep extremist and controversial symbols in historical, fictional, archival, critical, or creation-tool context; avoid real-world recruitment or praise.
9. Vercel continuity: keep offline backups and a migration plan because Vercel may remove or terminate a deployment under its contract and policies.
10. Vercel settings: review the current plan, model-training settings, analytics, logs, and other features; do not assume this notice modifies Vercel’s contract.
11. Privacy trigger: prepare a privacy notice before operator-accessible analytics, accounts, email collection, server uploads, cloud projects, or behavior profiling.
12. Mainland-China trigger: re-review before mainland hosting, CDN, access providers, entities, payment, app stores, mini-programs, or local commercial distribution.
13. Monetization trigger: re-review before ads, donations, tips, sponsorship, subscriptions, paid exports, asset sales, commercial licensing, commissions, or revenue sharing.
14. User-content trigger: re-review before public uploads, galleries, comments, social feeds, cloud storage, public project links, or server-side publication.
15. Official relationship trigger: replace the unofficial statement only if actual written authorization exists and its scope is accurately described.

## FINAL OPERATOR STATEMENT / 作者最终声明

### ENGLISH

As of July 28, 2026, Decius TNO Forge is operated as a wholly free, wholly unpaid, and wholly noncommercial independent fan-creation tool. The Operator has stated that it is principally developed and administered while the Operator is physically present in the United States. It is deployed through Vercel outside mainland China, has no mainland-China server or PRC operating entity, does not claim an ICP filing, and does not host user-created works. The project author does not claim to have created or to own any embedded third-party asset and receives no compensation, advertising revenue, donation, sponsorship, revenue share, royalty, referral payment, or other financial benefit tied to use of the Site or downstream fan works. With respect to those materials, the author is only an unpaid asset integrator, curator, cataloguer, classifier, and technical organizer. The author's own contribution is limited to independently written code, technical architecture, workflows, database and search structure, classification, metadata, and integration. Users who export and later disseminate fan works elsewhere make an independent downstream decision and must evaluate that use under the law and rules applicable to them. United States federal law and Vercel's contract are the primary direct framework. The Chinese-language notice is supplementary and conditional, not a choice of PRC law or consent to PRC jurisdiction.

### 中文

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