

# NH Global Credit Policy



















# Global Credit Policy and its importance

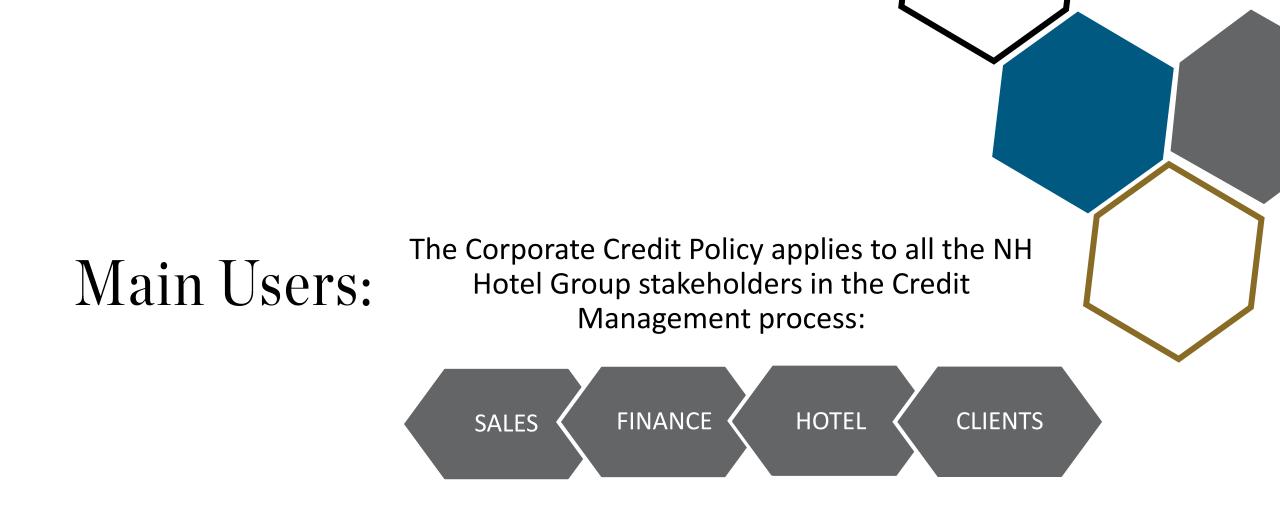
"Are clear and written *guidelines* that set the terms and conditions on credits, customer qualification criteria, procedure for making collections, and steps to be taken in case of customer non-compliance."

Ensure cash flow is maximized.

Limit bad debts and risk

Better control of our Account Receivables.

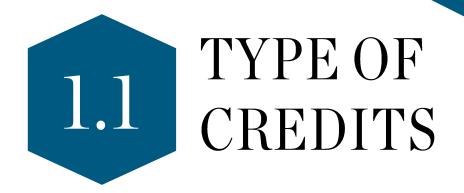
Company financial resources are optimized to achieve organizational goals.





# Type of Credits

The Corporate Credit Policy split the credit lines based on three dimensions: Customer location; Business location (hotels) and total amount requested.



#### CHAIN LEVEL

Main invoicing amount is in NH Worldwide.

APPROVAL LIMITS						
APPROVER	<100 <b>K€</b>	>100 <b>K€</b>				
HQ Credit Manager	X	X				
HQ Credit & Risk Committee		X				



# TYPE OF CREDITS

#### **COUNTRY LEVEL**

Main invoicing amount is in hotels within the same Country.

APPROVAL LIMITS							
APPROVER	<100K€	<200K€	<300K€	>300K€			
BU Credit Manager	X	X	X	X			
BU Credit & Risk Committee		X	X	X			
HQ Credit Manager			X	X			
HQ Credit & Risk Committee				X			



# TYPE OF CREDITS

#### HOTEL LEVEL

Main invoicing amounts is in a specific hotel.

APPROVAL LIMITS							
APPROVER	<6K€	<20 <b>K€</b>	<100K€	>100K€			
Hotel Manager	X	X	X	X			
Regional Op. Manager		X	X	X			
BU Credit Manager			X	X			
BU Credit & Risk Committee				X			





# STEPS TO IMPROVE THE CREDIT CONTROL

**Step before starting the Credit process** 

# CUSTOMER ANALYSIS BY SALES



#### **BUSINESS RELATION**

Analyze the expected business with this client.



#### **REVENUE**

The credit requested amount must be in accordance with the business and the client, based on the estimated volume of sales.



#### **PAYMENT TERMS**

NH Credit Policy settled 30 days payment terms. Credit Manger will review exceptions

**FIT FOR CREDIT?** 



KICK OFF CREDIT REQUEST



The credit requestor must be able to include all the document requested in each category.

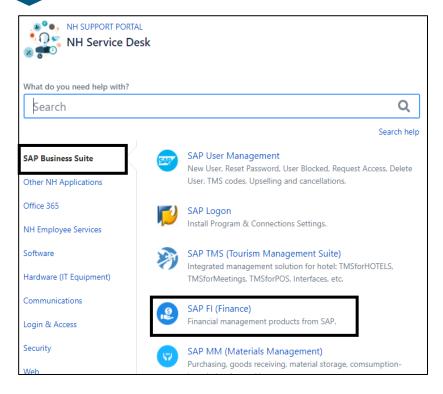
Otherwise, the credit manager will not be able to process the request and the JIRA return to the requestor delaying the process.

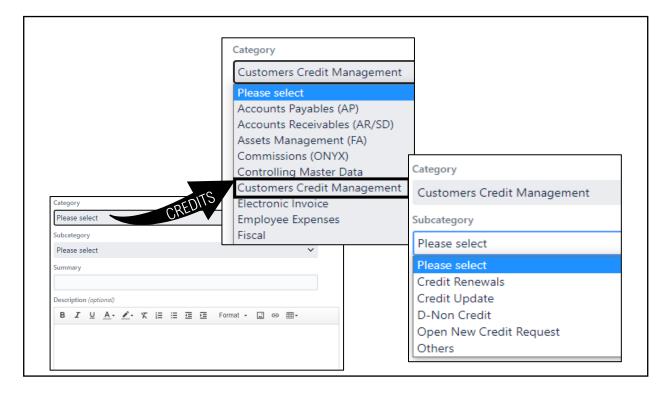


If everything is correctly done, this process will be quickly close.

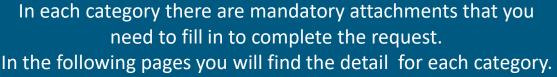
#### **OPENAJIRA**

NH Support Portal main page shows the links to all customer portals projects whom you have access rights, the most recent categories that you used and the search help bar.











Request that don't have all the mandatory information and attachments will be rejected.



JIRA REQUEST PROCESS

## CUSTOMER CREDIT MANAGEMENT

**Category** > Customers Credit Management

#### CHOOSE A SUBCATEGORY ACCORDING TO YOUR NEEDS...

Open New Credit Request

Credit Update:

To modify an agreement already approved.

Credit Renewals

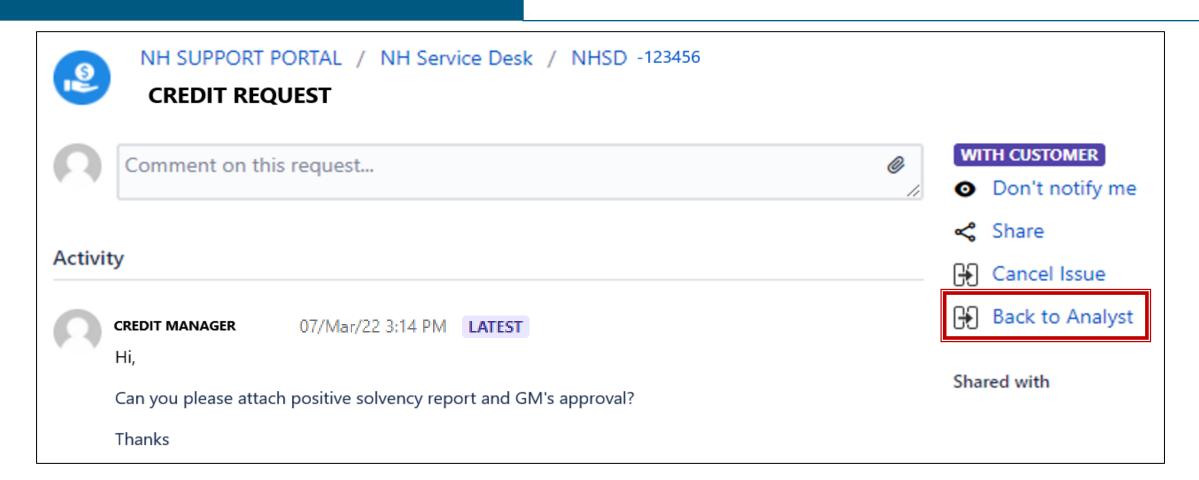
Others





#### IMPORTANT REMARK

Many times, the credit manager asks for more information or to attach a document in the JIRA in order to proceed with the opening or analysis of the credit. It is very important when answering, to <a href="CLICK ON BACK TO ANALYST">CLICK ON BACK TO ANALYST</a>; in this way the credit manager will know that request has already been completed and that the JIRA is back to "pending analysis" status.





2.2 SOLVENCY

Solvency is the ability of a company to meet its longterm debts and financial obligations. It is a way of testing a company's ability to pay off their debts in the future, hence measuring the risk of our exposure to them.

> "The only goal of an organization is to <u>make money</u>, now and in the future; the remaining objectives are mere means to achieve this goal." E. Golfratt – The Goal

# RATING & SCORING COMPANIES

These are our partners that allow us to screen our clients, actively monitor risk changes, radically streamline the reporting process, and drive operational efficiency through automation.

They provide comprehensive, continuously updated data integrated to help us manage our risk.

WORLWIDE dun & bradstreet (800 clients)



dun & bradstreet

dun & bradstreet

#### BU SOUTHERN EUROPE

- **Spain:** Dun & Bradstreet
- Portugal: Dun & Bradstreet
- France: Dun & Bradstreet
- Italy: Innolva

#### BU NORTHERN EUROPE

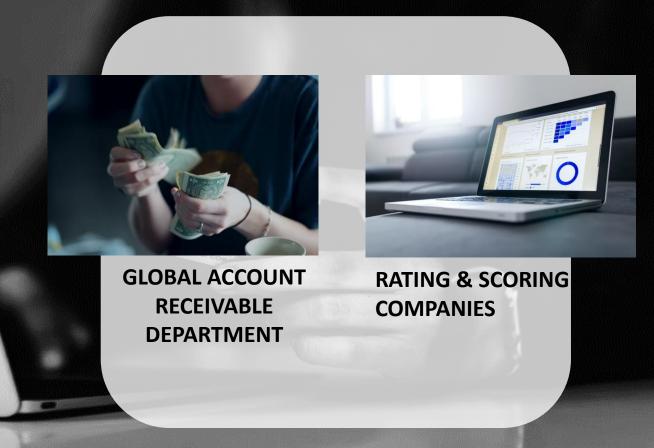
- Netherlands: Creditsafe
- Belgium: Creditsafe
- Luxenburg: Creditsafe
- United Kingdom: Creditsafe
- **Ireland:** Creditsafe
- **Denmark:** Creditsafe
- Austria: Ihd
- Germanv: Ihd
- Switzerland: Ihd
- Hungary: Ihd
- Czechia: Ihd
- Romania: Creditreform

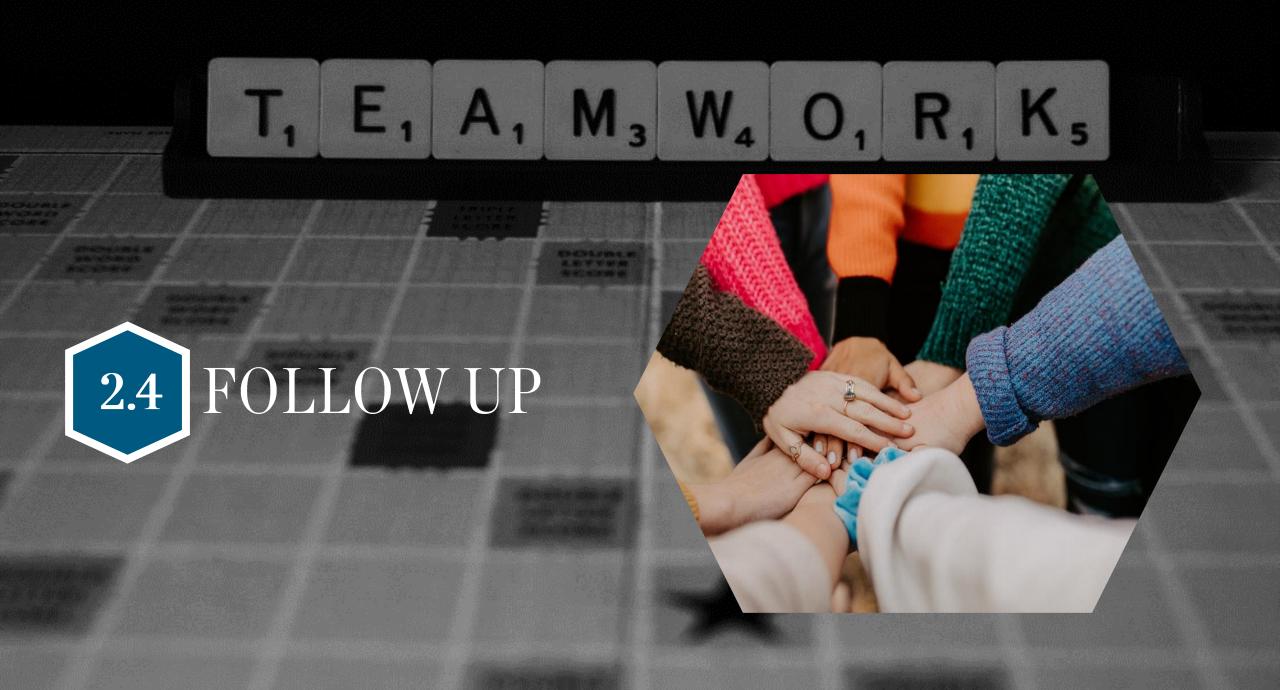
#### **BU AMERICA**

- Mexico: Arbicom
- Colombia: Informa
- Ecuador: Dun & Bradstreet
- Argentina: Dun & Bradstreet
- Chile: Dun & Bradstreet
- Uruguay: Dun & Bradstreet



# 2.3 CLIENT PAYMENT BEHAVIOR







IF EVERYTHING FAILS??...

# RECOVERY SUPPLIERS







#### BUSE

Spain, Italy, Portugal & France:
Intrum

#### **BUNE**

Netherlands, Belgium, Luxenburg, United Kingdom, Ireland & Denmark:

Holthuizen

Austria, Germany, Switzerland, Hungary & Czechia:

**IHD Debt Collection** 

#### **BUAM**

**Colombia & Ecuador:** 

Summa Valor

Mexico:

Arbicom

# INSURANCE COMPANIES





# FAQs & Important Remark

# FAQ 1 How can I see the credit status in TMS?

In CRM transaction: /CCSHT/MT02\_HU



FAQ 2 Should I open a JIRA per PID?

YES, in every case with the following exception:
PID Mother covers, in a credit signed contract, their involved companies's credit risk

## FAQ3

Should I include any additional information in the credit contract?

**YES**, in every case it should be included the billing procedure:

- PID to invoice
- Shipping invoice Address
- Commission Procedure agreed
- Any additional special request Airlines, Groups, MICE...

FAQ 4

Can a credit be authorized receiving a negative solvency report?

**NO**, unless we received a payment guarantee.

## FAQ 5

Which is the credit amount to be requested?

The amount is based on the total revenue & the payment conditions:



- TOTAL ANNUAL REVENUE: 120K EUR
- PAYMENTS TERMS AGREED: 30 days (monthly payments)
- CREDIT TO REQUEST: 120K EUR/12 months = 10K EUR

## FAQ 6

For events, which is the amount to be requested in the JIRA?

Should follow the Group/MICE Policy requirements:

- % Prepaid
- % Credit (amount to be requested)

### FAQ7

When should we renew the credit line already approved?

Renewals should be based on the credit contract agreed shown in CRM review date.





# Talent wins games; but teamwork wins championships. - Michael Jordan