Dear Sir / Madam,

We present to you the thirtieth edition of our Software Licensing Bulletin, which highlights information on Microsoft® SQL licensing.

- If you have a dual boot system running two separate instances of Windows Desktop OS then you require two Windows Desktop OS licenses. However, if you have Windows upgrade license covered with SA (Software Assurance), you may run up to four OS instances in a virtual environment.
- Team foundation server bought as part of MSDN includes production use rights for one SQL Standard Server. The Windows server license needs to be acquired separately to install TFS as this is a production use.
- Windows server license does not have license mobility feature even if it is covered with SA. It cannot be transferred to any other server before 90 days.
- SQL 2014 requires SA if deployed in an environment with a passive failover server to remain compliant.
- An exchange server does not require a SQL server for its operations.
- A server acting as a multiplexor to query a SQL data base requires SQL CAL for each unique end user.

We hope the bulletin was informative. We would be happy to arrange for any additional information that you may require on the subject. Please write to us at in-fmkpmgccsbulletin@kpmg.com, for any queries or feedback.

Regards,
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