

Is thecapital.co.za legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 90/100

thecapital.co.za

Verdict

90

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

thecapital.co.za appears legitimate.

Our checks found nothing pointing to fraud. Ordinary care still applies when you pay or sign in.

Not Scam

Safe for Login

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-08-01 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 55%.

What this site appears to be

Homepage for The Capital Hotels, Apartments & Resorts in South Africa, offering accommodation bookings, serviced apartments, events, special deals, loyalty membership, and hotel-apartment investment information.

Evidence status and limitations

Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN

- Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	None flagged it VirusTotal	CLEAR
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	14 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	12 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Never archived No public history of this site	WATCH
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by YE2	NOTED

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- VirusTotal and Google Safe Browsing had no flags for this domain; its hosting IP carries AbuseIPDB reports below the confidence level TrustSniffer treats as a flag.
- The operator behind the site could not be independently connected to a real-world brand or person.

Full analysis

Overview

The CAPITAL Hotels, Apartments & Resorts website is a South African hospitality platform presenting hotel rooms, serviced apartments, events, conferences, special offers, loyalty membership, reservations, and related hotel-apartment investment information. Its primary business model is accommodation and hospitality services, with optional investment-related content.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No contradictions were observed across the supplied pages and technical checks. The homepage presents a coherent hospitality business model, with booking, contact, and newsletter forms rather than concealed credential or payment-capture mechanisms. Independent reputation checks found no malicious detections, phishing indicators, or confirmed blacklist findings. The site's established registration history further supports continuity of identity.

- Homepage: South African hotel, serviced-apartment, events, reservations, and loyalty content with no reported red flags.
- Homepage forms: Three ordinary forms identified—booking availability, contact, and newsletter signup—with no sensitive form or untrusted destination.
- Domain registration: Registered 2014-05-15 (~12.22 years old) through FirstNet.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site provides hospitality and accommodation information, while its investment-related content warrants ordinary confirmation of the applicable legal and commercial terms before participation. The supplied evidence does not establish a specific licensing claim or registration number for that investment information; this is a transparency item, not an indication of impersonation or fraud. No broker-dataset match was identified, and the site's legal, contact, property, and booking presentation is consistent with an established operating business.

- Homepage: Identifies The CAPITAL Hotels, Apartments & Resorts South Africa and presents accommodation, events, reservations, and investment-related information.
- Hosting infrastructure: Served on AS209242, CLOUDFLARESPECTRUM — Cloudflare London, LLC, US.
- Transport encryption: TLS certificate issued by YE2, DV validation, valid to 2026-09-28.

What to Verify Next

For any investment-related engagement, confirm the relevant authorization and contractual disclosures with the applicable South African registry or competent authority. For routine accommodation use, validate reservation details through the site's published booking and contact channels.

- Homepage: Accommodation is presented as the primary commercial function, with investment information described as optional.
- Homepage forms: Booking availability and contact workflows are available for direct confirmation of reservations.
- Page analysis: No login form, hidden form, wallet connection, or credential-exfiltration behavior was detected.

Summary Verdict

The website presents as a legitimate, established, and trustworthy hospitality operator with a coherent business purpose and no observed scam or impersonation contradictions. Normal interaction, including account login where offered and standard booking use, is appropriate.

Infrastructure Integrity

The site is protected by Cloudflare CDN/WAF infrastructure, with observed traffic terminating at Cloudflare edge addresses rather than an exposed origin. This provides a meaningful defensive layer against routine abuse and origin exposure, while remaining a mitigating infrastructure signal rather than proof of legitimacy.

Closing Assessment

Standard hospitality use may proceed normally; investment-related activity should be limited to terms and authorizations that have been independently confirmed.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-01 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	UNVERIFIED
Identity score	30/100
Identity verification confidence	50%

- No on-site identity signals detected

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of thecapital.co.za.

- The request stayed on thecapital.co.za. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under FirstNet. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by azure-dns.com, across 4 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2027-05-15. NOTED
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARESPECTRUM, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	FirstNet
Hosting	CLOUDFLARESPECTRUM - Cloudflare London, LLC, US
Country	US
Server IP	141.193.213.11
Name servers	ns1-08.azure-dns.com, ns2-08.azure-dns.net, ns3-08.azure-dns.org, ns4-08.azure-dns.info
SSL issuer	YE2
SSL expiry	2026-09-28
Domain age	12.2 years
Domain expiry	2027-05-15
Archive first seen	Not available
Archive snapshots	0
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 14 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about thecapital.co.za at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.

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