

TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. The term 'Organizers' shall mean Expo International, Expo Next, Events & More having its registered office in Mumbai. The term 'Exhibitor' shall include all employees, staff and agents of any company, partnership firm or the individual to whom the space has been allocated for the purpose of participation.

2. **PARTICIPATION:** Application for participation is to be made in the prescribed exhibit space booking form. Acceptance of participation will be at the sole discretion of the organizers.

3. **TERMS OF PAYMENT:** All payments are to be made by means of a crossed Cheque/DD, payable at Mumbai. Outstation payments are to be made by means of DD only. Full payment to be made at the time of booking itself.

4. **ALLOCATION OF STALL:** Allocation will be on first come first serve basis, on receipt of completed exhibit space booking form with requisite payment. Subleasing of any part of the stall is strictly prohibited and illegal. One fascia will be displayed per stall booking form. The display of goods shall be in accordance with that mentioned in the booking form. Any other products sold/displayed will be confiscated and the organizers reserve the right to close the entire stall and claim monetary compensation in the case of defaulters.

5. **STALL INTERIORS:** While the exhibitors are free to decorate their stall, they should not cause any damage to the walls, panels and floors through use of nails, painting or any other such activity.

6. **FORFEITURE AND RE-ALLOTMENT OF STALLS:** In the event of cancellation, no refund of advance paid will be made under any circumstances.

7. **MODIFICATIONS:** Any changes in the stall structure, provision of facilities etc. are to be undertaken by the approved contractors only. External/Internal decorators are allowed to decorate the stall with written permission from the organizers. Any additional facilities and changes required in the stall can be co-ordinated by the organizers, which will be provided at extra cost. The request for the same should be given in writing in the appropriate forms to the organizers on or before one month in advance. No alteration to the size or the position of the participants stall can be made without prior written approval to the organizers. The exhibitor shall have no right whatsoever to use/block any area of the exhibition other than the area allocated to him. The organizers reserve the right to modify the layout of the stall, gangways and pathways etc. No equipment can be operated which emits excessive noise/smoke. The participants are requested to make sure that the fellow participants are not disturbed when using audio-video presentation. No banner etc. will be allowed in the exhibition premises or on the roads in vicinity unless their design specifications, installation and location have been approved by the organizers, without which a penalty will be levied.

8. **NON-OCCUPANCY:** Every participant shall occupy the full stall area allotted to him. In case of non-occupancy of stall space, the organizers reserve the right to sell the stall/space (confiscate/reallot) and the amount paid stands forfeited. The participants shall not assign, subject or grant license in respect of the whole or a part of the stall. No cards, advertisements or printed matter of persons or firms who are not bonafide participants of this event may be presented or distributed from any stall.

9. **SECURITY:** The organizers will make general security arrangements

only. However, participants should take all possible precautions and will be responsible for the security of their goods and stall displays. Individual security arrangements should be made only through an approved agency and the guard on duty must be introduced to the organizers. No claims on theft/loss will be entertained by the organizers. Security arrangements are participants' responsibility.

10. **BUSINESS LICENSE/TAX:** It is the participant's responsibility to obtain necessary licenses for making any sales and transacting other businesses and pay taxes, levies, duties etc. on their own. The organizers are not liable for any such taxes, levies, duties or consequential penalties as may be incurred by the exhibitor.

11. **INSURANCE:** Participants will have to insure their exhibits, display materials against loss, damage, theft, fire, rain, cyclone & earthquake or any other causes, whatsoever. The organizers shall not be liable/responsible in any way for personal injuries and material damage of the exhibitor or his staff, agent invitees, or licensee and damages to the exhibits, however caused.

12. **CONSEQUENTIAL LOSS:** In case of the exhibition being cancelled or suspended in whole or in part for causes not in the organizers' control, the organizers do not accept any consequential liability in any such eventuality. And refund will not be made under any circumstances. The organizers reserve the right to change the venue and dates of the exhibition without assigning any reason, whatsoever and refund will not be applicable in such cases.

13. The organizer will endeavour or ensure supply of essential services at the venue. As the supply of such services is not within the control of the organizers, the organizers are not liable for any loss or damage. If any such service shall wholly or partly fail or ceases to be available, no refund partly or wholly will be made.

14. **VIOLATION OF RULES:** In the event of the violation of the rules or if the exhibitor indulges in activities against the guidelines, the organizers reserve the right to close down the stall of the participant immediately.

15. **VACATION OF SPACE:** The allotted space will have to be vacated within 23:00 hrs, on the last day of the exhibition. No material will be taken out of the premises without valid exit gate pass from the organizers which will be issued during the closure of the exhibition. Any verbal agreement by the organizers concerning any aspect of this contract of the event is not valid unless confirmed in writing. The organizers shall have the right to make any changes or add any new clauses in the rules and regulations as they deem desirable.

16. Any commitment given by the personnel of the organizers must be mentioned in the booking form, otherwise the same will be deemed to be null and void.

17. **SALES TAX REGULATION:** All tax liabilities arising out of sale of goods will be the responsibility of the Exhibitor only and the Organisers will in no way be responsible for the same. Any participant whose turnover exceeds Rs. 5,00,000 in any financial year are supposed to get registered under MVAT 2002

18. **DISPUTES:** Any dispute between the organizers and the participant is subject to jurisdiction of the courts of Mumbai city only.