

19.-21.09.2023

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Name of Main Exhibitor:

European Pavilion Application for Main Exhibitor

Please send in along with the completed list of products (Forms 1.30/1.31)!

Deadline: 19 May 2023

1.10

1 Main exhibitor

1.1 Address:

Name of Company: (English)

Name of Company: (Chinese)

Address: (English)

Street Name:

House Number:

Additional info
(e.g., building, floor, room):

Address: (Chinese)

Street Name:

House Number:

Additional info
(e.g., building, floor, room):

Postcode, Town:

State, Country:

Tel.: + / /

Fax: + / /

E-Mail:

Website:

Owner/Managing Director:
(please give first and last name)

Mr. Ms.

Contact person (exhibitor) for the event is:

Mr. Ms.

Job Title:

Tel.: + / /

Fax: + / /

Mobile phone: + /

E-Mail:

1.2 We are a/an: (please tick only one box)

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturer | <input type="checkbox"/> Trade media |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Importer | <input type="checkbox"/> Wholesaler /distributor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trading company | <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial representative |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Service provider | <input type="checkbox"/> Others |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Association/institution | |

2 Stand request

2.1 Space Requirement (please tick appropriate box):

European Pavilion Package (min. 9 sqm)

EUR 315 / sqm

See included services in 1.10 European Pavilion Specifications

Size Requested: _____ sqm

2.2 Advertisements & Packages

Logo in Catalogue Alphabetical List of Exhibitors

FREE

Catalogue Ad (1 page, full colour)

EUR 580

3 Exhibits

Please fill in the list of products (Forms 1.30/1.31) and enclose it to your registration form!

Please tick your products/services on the enclosed list of products.

PLEASE NOTE:

Payment terms & schedule:

If the application is received by the organiser, an invoice of the said amount will be issued and sent to you. This invoice is to be paid in full before commencement of the event according to the terms of payment as indicated on the invoice.

If an exhibitor fails to pay according to the abovementioned terms and payment schedule, the organiser reserves the right to release without notice to the exhibitor the stand space reserved for exhibitor and any deposits paid are non-refundable.

Cancellation terms & schedule:

Refer to "Special conditions of participation at CIHS 2023"

Data Protection Notice:

You can read our Data Protection Notice in the complete participation documents and at any time under www.koelnmesse.com/data-protection-notice. We would like to stay in touch with you in the future, in order to keep you appropriately informed of events and similar services. That's why we would like to ask for your consent to contact you via electronic media.

I hereby permit and agree that Koelnmesse Co. Ltd., may pass on my personal data to its parent company Koelnmesse GmbH and its subsidiaries and commercial agents and may use the data entered on this form from the aforementioned persons for sending me information by e-mail about future similar trade fairs/events/ platforms organized in China and abroad. A list of the subsidiaries and commercial agents of Koelnmesse GmbH, as well as further details about data protection, can be found in the complete document containing the participation documents. It can also be accessed at any time at www.koelnmesse.com/data-protection-notice. I can withdraw my consent at any time in the future (by sending an e-mail to dataprivacy@koelnmesse.de)

By signing and returning the application form, we acknowledge that the Special Conditions of Participation as well as the stipulations of the Exhibitor Service Manual (in particular the technical regulations and the supplements contained in the order forms) are binding for our company.

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Place, date, legally binding signature and company stamp of the main exhibitor

A) European Pavilion Package

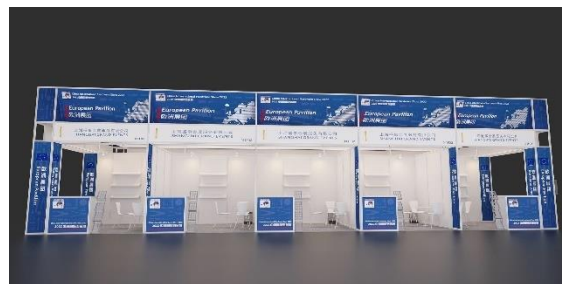
General setting up and dismantling of the stand, incl. all additional costs consisting of:

Entitlements	*9 sqm
Carpet	As per stand space
Booth partition walls (rear and side walls)	As per stand space
Fascia Board with Company Name and Booth Number in English & Chinese	On all open sides
Lockable info. counter	1
Round table	1
Chair	3
Wastepaper basket	1
Flat shelf	3
Brochure rack	1
Single phase socket (up to 500w)	1
Longarm spotlight (100w)	2
Daily booth cleaning	Included in package

Booth facilities listed above are subject to change at the discretion of the organisers without prior notice. If exhibitors do not want any item in the booth package, they must accept that the cost of the package will not change and there will be no compensation by other equipment.

Additional furniture and electrical items can be rented from the official stand contractor. Please place your order by completing the respective forms in the Exhibitor Service Manual and returning these by the stipulated deadline.

***The picture of Standard European Pavilion is for reference only. The organiser reserves the right to make changes without prior notice.**



B) Added-value Services

Entitlements	
Onsite business matchmaking	European Pavilion Exclusive
Free access to CIHS @home	From registration day till 31 of Oct., 2023
Marketing promotion	all-year round
CIHS 2023 onsite media interviews	1



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Name of Main Exhibitor:

**Enclosure to the Application
 for Main Exhibitor**

Invoice address/
 address for correspondence

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1 Alternative invoice address

If the **invoice** should be sent to an address other than the one given in Form 1.10, please enter it below:

Company Name:
 (incl. legal form, such as "Limited", "Corporation" etc.)

Address:

Street Name: _____

House Number: _____

Additional info
 (e.g., building, floor, room): _____

Postcode, Town: _____

State, Country: _____

Tel.: + / /

Fax: + / /

E-Mail: _____

Contact person (exhibitor) for the event is:

Mr. Ms. _____

Job Title: _____

Tel.: + / /

Fax: + / /

Mobile phone: + /

E-Mail: _____

Note:

If the invoice recipient does not make payment, the registered company (main exhibitor) is liable for payment!

2 Alternative correspondence address

If **correspondence** should be sent to an address other than the one given in Form 1.10, please enter it below:

Company Name:
 (incl. legal form, such as "Limited", "Corporation" etc.)

Address:

Street Name: _____

House Number: _____

Additional info
 (e.g., building, floor, room): _____

Postcode, Town: _____

State, Country: _____

Tel.: + / /

Fax: + / /

E-Mail: _____

Website: _____

Contact person (exhibitor) for the event is:

Mr. Ms. _____

Job Title: _____

Tel.: + / /

Fax: + / /

Mobile phone: + /

E-Mail: _____

X

Place, date, legally binding signature and company stamp of the main exhibitor

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Name of Main Exhibitor:

Application for Co-exhibitors*
Please send in along with the completed
list of products (form 1.30/1.31)!

1.20

We hereby register companies represented by us on our stand according to the Conditions of Participation

If you wish to register more companies, please photocopy the blank form first.

1 Co-exhibitor

1.1 Address:

Name of Company: (English)

Name of Company: (Chinese)

Address: (English)

Street Name:

House Number:

Additional info
(e.g., building, floor, room):

Address: (Chinese)

Street Name:

House Number:

Additional info
(e.g., building, floor, room):

Postcode, Town:

State, Country:

Tel.: + / /

Fax: + / /

E-Mail:

Website:

Owner/Managing Director:
(please give first and last name)

Mr. Ms.

Contact person (exhibitor) for the event is:

Mr. Ms.

Job Title:

Tel.: + / /

Fax: + / /

Mobile phone: + /

E-Mail:

1.2 The company is a/an: (please tick appropriate box):

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturer | <input type="checkbox"/> Trade media |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Importer | <input type="checkbox"/> Wholesaler /distributor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trading company | <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial representative |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Service provider | <input type="checkbox"/> Others |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Association/institution | |

1.3 The represented brand(s) is/are as follows:

Please note:

The application for a co-exhibitor is EUR 260, including a basic entry in our marketing materials, wherever relevant, according to the Special Conditions of Participation. The co-exhibitor is not permitted to re-locate, exchange, share or in any other way make the stand space allocated to him completely or partially accessible to third parties, without the prior consent of the organizer. The acceptance of this application for co-exhibitor is subjected to the sole discretion of the organizer.

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By signing and returning the application form, we acknowledge that the Special Conditions of Participation as well as the stipulations of the Exhibitor Service Manual (in particular the technical regulations and the supplements contained in the order forms) are binding for our company.



Place, date, legally binding signature and company stamp of the main exhibitor



Name of Main Exhibitor:

List of Products:
 Must be returned by
 – Main exhibitor
 – Co-exhibitor
 – Additionally represented companies
 Please complete and return with application

1.30

Client number (to be filled out by organiser)

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Name of main exhibitor:
 (Please also fill in if co-exhibitor / additionally represented company is indicated)

Name of co-exhibitor / additionally represented company:
 (Please fill in a separate list of products for each co-exhibitor / additionally represented company)

(Please tick the appropriate box, multiple responses possible)

We Would Like to Exhibit in The Following Main Product Categories:

Tools

- Hand Tools
- Power Tools
- Machine Tools
- Pneumatic Tools
- Grinding Abrasives
- Welding Tools
- Tool Accessories

DIY and Building Hardware

- Building Material & Components
- Fasteners
- Nails, Wire & Mesh
- Decorative Metalware
- Furniture Hardware

Lock, Work Safety and Accessories

- Locks & Keys
- Security Equipment & Systems
- Work Safety & Protection

Garden Tools

Processing Equipment

- Metal Processing Equipment
- Testing Equipment
- Surface Treatment Equipment
- Pump & Valve

Others, please specify:

Our Target/Sales Markets are:

Asia

- China
- Japan
- South East Asia
- India
- Middle East

Europe

- Germany
- Western Europe
- Northern Europe
- Southern Europe
- Russia
- Turkey
- Others Eastern Europe

The Americas

- USA
- Canada
- Mexico
- Colombia
- Brazil
- Others Central America
- Others South America

Africa

- South Africa
- West Africa
- East Africa
- North Africa

Oceania

- Australia
- New Zealand
- Others Oceania

Global Opportunities

We are interested in the following Koelnmesse trade fairs around the world. Please send us further information:

- Germany, Cologne | EISENWARENMESSE
- Germany, Cologne | Asia-Pacific Sourcing
- Germany, Cologne | The Tire Cologne
- Germany, Cologne | Intermot
- Germany, Cologne | spoga + gafa
- Italy, Bergamo | International Hardware Fair Italy
- India, New Delhi | International Hardware Fair India

I hereby permit Koelnmesse GmbH, as well as its responsible subsidiary abroad and its commercial agents, to send me information by e-mail about future similar trade fairs/ events/platforms that are organized in Germany and abroad. A list of the subsidiaries and commercial agents of Koelnmesse GmbH, as well as further details about data protection, can be accessed at any time at www.koelnmesse.com/data-protection-notice. I can withdraw my consent at any time in the future (by sending an e-mail to dataprivacy@koelnmesse.de).

This consent is voluntary and applies only in the event that I have indicated my interest in one or more trade fairs by placing a check mark.



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Name of Main Exhibitor:

List of Products

Must be returned by

- Main exhibitor
 - Co-exhibitor
 - Additionally represented companies
- Please complete and return with application



Name of main exhibitor:

(Please also fill in if co-exhibitor / additionally represented company is indicated)

Name of co-exhibitor / additionally represented company:

(Please fill in a separate list of products for each co-exhibitor / additionally represented company)

List of products (please tick appropriate box, multiple responses possible)

Tools

<input type="checkbox"/> 010010 Hand Tools
<input type="checkbox"/> 010020 Power Tools
<input type="checkbox"/> 010030 Machine Tools
<input type="checkbox"/> 010050 Pneumatic Tools
<input type="checkbox"/> 010060 Grinding Abrasives
<input type="checkbox"/> 010070 Welding Tools
<input type="checkbox"/> 010080 Tool Accessories

Processing Equipment

<input type="checkbox"/> 040010 Metal Processing Equipment
<input type="checkbox"/> 040020 Testing Equipment
<input type="checkbox"/> 040030 Surface Treatment Equipment
<input type="checkbox"/> 040040 Pump & Valve

Garden Tools

<input type="checkbox"/> 050010 Garden Tools
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DIY and Building Hardware

<input type="checkbox"/> 020010 Building Materials & Components
<input type="checkbox"/> 020020 Fasteners
<input type="checkbox"/> 020030 Nails, Wire & Mesh
<input type="checkbox"/> 020070 Decorative Metalware
<input type="checkbox"/> 020080 Furniture Hardware

Others

<input type="checkbox"/> 060010 Media
<input type="checkbox"/> 060020 Services / Association

Lock, Work Safety and Accessories

<input type="checkbox"/> 030010 Locks & Keys
<input type="checkbox"/> 030020 Security Equipment & Systems
<input type="checkbox"/> 030040 Work Safety & Protection

General Section of the Conditions of Participation

I Registration

Registration can be carried out electronically or by post.

1. Electronic registration process

By completely filling in the registration forms and clicking on the button "Submit binding application" on the website you declare your intention to participate in the event (Registration).

Immediately after the dispatch of your binding registration you receive an automatic confirmation of receipt at the e-mail address you have supplied. This confirmation of receipt simply documents the fact that your registration has been received by the organiser and does not give rise to a contract between you and the organiser.

By dispatching the registration, you acknowledge the General and the Special Sections of the Conditions of Participation and the Exhibitor Service Manual as binding.

2. Postal registration process (insofar as provided)

To indicate your intention to take part in the event, you must return to us a completely filled in and signed registration form (Registration). Alternatively you can scan the completed and signed participation documents and send them to us via e-mail to the e-mail-address given in the registration form. A digital signature can also be provided instead of the scanned signature.

By signing and returning the registration form, you acknowledge that the General and the Special Sections of the Conditions of Participation and the Exhibitor Service Manual as binding.

3. You can download the Conditions of Participation from the event homepage or from the Exhibitor Portal. You also have the option of requesting the Exhibitor Service Manual in printed form at any time.

4. The registration is binding on you as of its delivery to Koelnmesse. It cannot be subject to provisos or reservations; in particular requests for specific stand locations do not constitute a condition for participation.

5. The registration can only be revoked prior to your receipt of the acceptance / stand area confirmation when this is permitted by the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation. In this case, you have to pay a fee as stipulated in the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation.

II Acceptance

1. The organiser decides on your participation on the basis of the stipulations valid for all of the participants in the event (acceptance/stand area confirmation).

There are no legal obligation on the organiser to admit your registration. In the event that the organiser receives more registrations corresponding to the admission requirements prior to the deadline for submission of registrations than there is available exhibition space, the organiser will decide which applications for registration are approved according to the organiser's reasonable discretion.

If you have previously failed to fulfil your financial obligations to the organiser or have not fulfilled them punctually, your company can be excluded from acceptance.

2. The contract comes into force with the confirmation of acceptance/stand area confirmation, both of which are valid with or without signature.

3. Validity of the acceptance

The acceptance/stand area confirmation only applies to the respective event, the company registered and named in the acceptance and the products and services registered. Products and services that do not correspond to the Index of Goods may not be exhibited or offered.

The assignment of a stand area is carried out by the organiser in accordance with the exhibition topic area within the event to which the products you have registered belong.

Exhibitors do not have a right to have a stand area assigned to them of a particular shape, in a particular hall or a specific area within a hall. The exhibitor can specify a minimum and a maximum stand area during registration. Any acceptance by Koelnmesse that is within the specified size range is according to contract. Deviations from the average value of the specified desired sizes of up to 20% are also according to contract. An agreement is necessary in the case of greater deviations outside the desired size. This agreement is granted at the latest with the payment of the participation price.

The organiser is entitled to revoke the acceptance if it was granted on the basis of incorrect statements or if the participant subsequently fails to meet the conditions for acceptance.

4. Change after acceptance

The organiser is entitled to relocate or close entrances and exits, and to make structural changes to the trade fair halls for good cause (e.g. fire, fire protection, other hazard prevention) and taking into account your legitimate interests after acceptance without you deriving any rights from such changes.

In individual cases with good cause and taking into account your legitimate interests, the organiser is furthermore entitled to subsequently assign a different stand area to the one already allocated in the acceptance and to change the size and dimensions of the stand area. If the size of the stand area is reduced, the difference in the participation fee will be refunded to you.

In the event that the date or location of the event has to be changed due to good cause and this change can reasonably be expected of you then the corresponding changes must be accepted; the acceptance/stand area confirmation is replaced by the organiser's corresponding notification of the changes. A change of location means a change to a location outside the exhibition centre.

You will immediately be notified should the stand area not be available for reasons beyond the organiser's control. In this case, you have the right to receive a refund of the participation fee.

In such cases, there is no entitlement to claim damages that go beyond this refund.

5. Rights of withdrawal

The organiser may withdraw from and terminate the contract if there is good cause. Such good cause is particularly the case if an application has been submitted to initiate insolvency proceedings on you or if the organiser determines that your application shall be rejected due to your lack of assets. You must notify the organiser immediately if this is the case.

It is no longer possible for the exhibitor to withdraw a registration after the acceptance/stand area confirmation has been received.

As an exhibitor, you bear the sole risk for the following complications: products that are planned for the exhibition cannot be imported as a result of the legal regulations valid at the event location or for other reasons; products arrive at the event location late, damaged or not at all (e.g. because they have become lost or are affected by transport or customs delays); you, your staff, your stand personnel or the personnel charged with the construction of your stand are delayed or prevented from arriving at the event location, e.g. due to the refusal of a visa. You remain obligated to pay any and all costs that have been agreed upon.

The organiser can consent to a request for release from the contract by way of exception if the stand area made available can be assigned to a third party in return for payment. Unless specified otherwise in the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation, the organiser is then authorized to demand a flat-rate amount of 25% of the participation fee for the costs incurred without further evidence. If the stand area cannot be transferred to a third party for a fee, the contract remains in force and the participation fee must be paid in full. The occupation of the stand area that is not reserved by another participant who has already been admitted to the event and assigned a stand area is not considered to be a rental to a third party against payment, as two areas were merely exchanged.

If the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation stipulate that you must purchase a Marketing Package, the specified price has to be paid in the event that you withdraw from the contract and the admission ticket vouchers have been provided therein. This does not affect your liability for catalogue fees, stand construction fees or other costs, particularly if they involve services from third parties or have arisen due to services that have already been provided.

The co-exhibitor fee must be paid in full in the event a company that has been accepted as a co-exhibitor does not participate.

III Construction, design and operation of the stands

1. As an exhibitor, you are responsible for ensuring that your trade fair participation, and especially the construction and design of your stand, comply with all the legal standards valid in the Peoples' Republic of China as well as the regulations of these conditions and the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation and the Exhibitor Service Manual including any hygiene regulations. This also applies to the persons working on behalf of the exhibitor, who must be supervised to ensure that they adhere to the stipulations.

2. Additional regulations, especially those of an event-related nature, can be found in the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation and in the Exhibitor Service Manual.

3. Any additional technical services that may be required, in particular the installation of electricity, water and safety measures, the hiring of local personnel, etc., can be ordered from the Exhibitor Portal and are invoiced separately. Orders placed by third parties (in particular by stand construction companies) in connection with the construction, furnishing and design of your stand area are considered to have been commissioned by the exhibitor and at the exhibitor's expense.

4. The registered and authorized products must be on display at the stands for the entire duration of the event. Stand personnel must also be in attendance throughout this entire time. Clearing the trade fair stand before the official end of the event represents a serious breach of these Conditions of Participation and entitles the organiser to pursue claims for damages and to exclude your company from future participation in events of the Koelnmesse Group.

5. Products and services may only be presented within the stand area listed in the acceptance/stand area confirmation. You may not distribute products, flyers and other advertising materials in other areas of the exhibition centre without first receiving the organiser's written permission.

6. The legal stipulations of the Peoples' Republic of China need to be complied with during the presentation and sale of products and services. Products that are not intended to be offered or are not approved for sale worldwide or any particular county must bear a corresponding note or a country-specific label.

7. The organiser can require that you remove products that do not correspond to the Index of Goods, the presentation of which would not comply with legal stipulations of the Peoples' Republic of China or that may cause a significant interference with the operation of the trade fair or give rise to a hazard to the safety of exhibitors and visitors due to smells, noises or any other emissions or due to their appearance.

IV Participation fee and other costs/Terms of payment

1. The participation fee for the standardized event services covers the rental of the stand area for the entire duration of the event and the construction and dismantling periods stipulated in the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation; a specific number of exhibitor and work passes; the use of technical and service facilities at the exhibition centre; general hall security; cleaning of the generally accessible hall areas; general hall lighting; and advice on organization, advertising and public relations work for your participation.

In addition, the participation fee includes services provided by the organiser as part of the general visitor marketing activities. At the organiser's discretion, these activities especially include a selection of the following services: Placing of advertisements, direct marketing measures (e.g. publication and dispatch of newsletters and other information to potential visitors by mail, fax, or other means of electronic transmission), provision of an online ticket shop, and event-related Internet domains. The standardized event services also include the provision and supply of energy covered by the flat-rate energy fee; in this respect, please note the corresponding regulations of the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation.

The event services also encompass the inclusion in the list of exhibitors. This is obligatory for each exhibitor, co-exhibitor, group participant and additionally represented company. Please note the corresponding regulations of the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation.

2. Unless the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation provide otherwise, the participation fee does not include the provision of stand partition walls or other special construction elements.

3. The amount of the participation fee and other costs will be calculated on the basis of the dimensions of the allocated stand area and according to the rates specified in the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation. Projections, pillars, installation connections and other fixed objects are not taken into account in the calculation of the allocated floor area, which is deemed to be in accordance with the contract.

4. In the case of two-storey exhibition stands the participation fee for the stand area of the upper storey approved after technical inspection is governed by the regulations in the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation.

5. After your acceptance you will receive an invoice for the participation fee and other costs; the invoice amount is due immediately on receipt of the invoice. This also applies to all amounts that must be paid within the framework of the contractual relationship, and, in particular, to invoices, as stipulated by Item I, Paragraph 5 and Item II, Paragraph 5 of these conditions.

6. Unless the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation provide otherwise, all prices are net fixed prices plus any value added tax and comparable taxes of the event location that may be payable.

7. The organiser shall have the right to increase the various prices to cover the higher costs in the event of an increase in its own production costs as a result of increased costs for manufacturing, procurement and labour as well as energy costs, fees, taxes and other public duties at the event location. The greatest amount that each individual price can rise is limited to 5% if more than 9 months have passed between the time the contract is concluded and the date the event is held, 7.5% if more than 18 months have passed and 10% if more than 24 months have passed.

8. All liabilities must be settled on time in order for you to occupy the reserved stand area.

9. Failure to execute payment on time will result in interest being charged at the rate of [10%] per annum.

Should settlement of the invoice not be effected by the deadline or not be effected in full, the organiser is, in addition, entitled to terminate the contract with you and to otherwise dispose of the stand area.

10. A right of lien in the organiser's favour arising from the organiser's claim in regard to the provision of the stand area attaches to the objects brought to the exhibition centre by you.

11. The exhibitor agrees to an electronic invoicing process. The dispatch of the invoice is carried out electronically via e-mail to the e-mail address supplied by the exhibitor or by post as a paper invoice at the discretion of the organiser. The exhibitor must immediately notify the organiser of any changes to its e-mail address.

12. You are obligated to pay the amount shown on the invoice in the currency shown on the invoice ("billing currency"). If the organiser should be prepared, as a courtesy, to accept settlement of the invoice in a currency other than the billing currency in individual cases, without being under any obligation to do so, the exchange rate of such payment must be based on the buying rate of the billing currency published by the organiser's bank on the date the payment is received. Any exchange rate losses in relation to the billing currency after the invoice becomes due for payment are, therefore, at your expense.

13. Should the exhibitor have any complaints about the invoice, they must be submitted in writing or in the case of electronic invoicing also via e-mail immediately or at the latest within two weeks of receipt. Subsequent objections cannot be considered. A processing fee of €100.00 or equivalent RMB amount will be charged for every change to an invoice after your receipt of the invoice that is made exclusively at your request and without an error on the part of Koelnmesse.

14. Any projections, pillars, installation connections and other fixed objects in the stand area provided do not entitle you to any reduction in the participation fee or other costs.

15. In the event of the organiser not being able to fulfil the contract in whole or in part, you have a claim to a proportional reimbursement of any payments you have made. Further claims are in accordance with the regulations in Item VII of these Conditions of Participation. This does not affect the regulation under Item IX of these Conditions of Participation.

16. You can only exercise a right of withholding or set-off against the receivables arising from the contractual relations insofar as your claims are undisputed or have been determined *res judicata*.

17. In the event that an invoice is sent to a third party at the request of the exhibitor, this does not constitute any waiver of the right to claim the account receivable from the exhibitor. You remain obligated to pay until such time as the account receivable has been settled in full.

V Co-exhibitors, additionally represented companies, group participations

1. Stand areas can only be rented in their entirety and only to one contracting party. You, as an exhibitor, may not relocate, exchange, share or otherwise make available the stand area that was reserved for you to another party in whole or in part without the organiser's prior permission.

2. The use of the stand area by multiple companies is only permissible when the stipulations of the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation permit the participation of co-exhibitors and/or additionally represented companies.

3. A special application must be approved by the organiser before another company (co-exhibitor) can use the stand area to exhibit its own products with its own staff. This also applies to companies that are represented at the trade fair by their own products, but not by their own staff (additionally represented companies). Companies within a corporate group and subsidiaries count as co-exhibitors.

The organiser has the right to require you, as the exhibitor to pay a participation fee and other costs for co-exhibitors. The organiser also has the right to limit the number of co-exhibitors for each exhibitor. In addition, the preconditions specified in Item II of these Conditions of Participation apply for the admission of co-exhibitors and additionally represented companies. These companies are subject to the Conditions of Participation — General and Special Sections as well as to the Exhibitor Service Manual.

If you have a co-exhibitor or additionally represented company exhibit at your stand without first obtaining the organiser's explicit permission, the organiser has the right to cancel the contract with you without prior notice and to have your stand area cleared at your risk and expense. No claims of any kind can be made against the organiser in this case, especially no claims for damages.

After acceptance contractual relationships also exist exclusively between the organiser and the exhibitor, who is responsible for the culpability of its co-exhibitors/additionally represented companies as for its own culpability.

4. When multiple companies wish to participate in the event together on one stand area — a group participation — the General Section and the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation and the Exhibitor Service Manual are binding for every individual company. The registration is carried out by the group organiser, who is responsible for ensuring that the group participants adhere to the Conditions of Participation. After acceptance/stand area confirmation contractual relationships exist exclusively between the group organiser and the organiser. Exceptions exist in the case of individual orders by the group participants of services in their own name and on their own account; these are only permissible on site during the period from the first day of stand construction to the last day of the event in question.

5. If a stand area is jointly assigned to two or more companies, they are jointly and severally liable to the organiser.

VI Right to supervise

1. The organiser exercises the rights to supervise the exhibitors throughout the exhibition centre.

2. The organiser is entitled to have exhibits removed from a stand if their display violates applicable laws, or is morally offensive or not in keeping with the exhibition programme. Advertising of a political or ideological nature is prohibited. In the event of serious offences against the Conditions of Participation, the Exhibitor Service Manual or the legal stipulations, the organiser is entitled to close your stand or have it vacated.

3. The exhibition regulations and rules adopted by the exhibition centre hosting the event apply in their currently valid version.

VII Liability/indemnity

1. The organiser is liable without limit for claims, irrespective of their legal grounds, of intent or gross negligence. The organiser is only liable for simple negligence insofar as essential contractual obligations have been breached, and any such liability is limited to foreseeable damage typical of the contract. Essential contractual obligations shall pertain only to those contractual obligations which are indispensable for the performance of the contract and on the fulfilment of which the exhibitor may rely. Otherwise the organiser's liability for damages is excluded.

The aforementioned limitations and/or exclusions of liability do not apply to a legally mandatory specified strict liability (e.g. arising from product liability) or in the case of loss of life, bodily injury or impaired health.

Insofar as the liability is limited or excluded by the aforementioned regulations, this also applies to the liability of the bodies, employees, legal representatives and vicarious agents and officers of the organiser (also with regard to their respective personal liabilities).

2. A strict guarantee liability on the grounds of initial defects of the area provided is excluded.

3. A reduction of the fee due to material defects shall only be considered if the organiser has been notified in writing during the term of the contract of the intention to reduce the fee. Claims to reduction and/or rights of retention of the exhibitor can only be asserted insofar as they are based on legally determined or uncontested claims.

4. If and to the extent that the organiser provides water, district heating, gas and electricity from the supply networks of utility companies, the exhibitor shall not assert any further claims for damages in the case of liability on the part of the organiser in the event of service disruptions than those to which the organiser is entitled under the relevant provisions vis-à-vis the respective utility company. The exhibitor shall immediately notify the organiser and directly notify the utility company supplying the service of any damage in writing.

5. If the organiser is compelled to temporarily vacate or permanently close the exhibition area or parts thereof, to reschedule the event, shorten or extend it due to force majeure, or for other reasons beyond its control, then the exhibitor is not entitled to any rights, in particular, to claims for damages against the organiser.

6. Liability continues to be subject to the legal burden of proof rules, which are unaffected by this clause.

7. The organiser does not assume any obligation to exercise proper care of exhibits, stand fittings and objects which are the property of the stand personnel. Therefore the organiser does not assume any liability for the loss of objects, equipment, structures and other valuables brought in by exhibitors and third parties, unless Koelnmesse has assumed custody for a fee. The exhibitors are aware of the possibility of hiring hall and stand security personnel for a fee.

The organiser transfers the general surveillance of the trade fair halls and the outdoor areas, the oversight of the exterior grounds, and the checks at the entrances to security agencies and their uniformed guards and non-uniformed personnel.

Every visitor and exhibitor in the trade fair halls must be in possession of a valid admission ticket or exhibitor pass and show it to the aforementioned security personnel upon request. The exhibitor will notify those service providers it has commissioned that they will require an admission ticket (e. g. a constructor's ticket). The surveillance and security of individual stands or parts of stands is not included in this general oversight.

8. In the case of contracts that provide for the procurement of certain items, then, unless otherwise expressly agreed in individual cases, the organiser does not assume the risk of procurement.

9. The organiser does not conclude specific insurance for the stand and the items located at the stand. The organiser recommends that the exhibitor insure its participation risk against the normal insurable risks such as fire, burglary, simple theft, damage, water damage etc. including the risks of transport to and from the event itself and at its own expense and that it ensure adequate insurance cover for the construction, trade fair, and dismantling periods including the periods of transport to and from the event.

All cases of theft and damage must be immediately reported to the police, the organiser and the insurance company.

Stand security personnel may only be hired from the security companies commissioned by the organiser.

10. The exhibitors are also responsible for compliance with all laws, guidelines and other regulations applicable in the Peoples' Republic of China if the content of the organiser's Conditions of Participation deviate from such regulations. They are obligated to inform themselves in good time and comprehensively about the relevant regulations at the event location and to obtain the necessary knowledge.

The organiser is not obligated to provide any notification or information in this regard.

11. As an exhibitor, you are liable to the organiser and third parties for any damage that you, your personnel, your employees or third parties commissioned by you or other third parties that you use to fulfil your obligations culpably inflict on the organiser or third parties. You shall indemnify the organiser in this respect from all claims of third parties. The Exhibitor Service Manual as well as the information contained in the organiser's circulars on questions concerning the preparation and implementation of the event must be strictly observed.

12. The exhibitor shall irrevocably indemnify the organiser from all claims by third parties insofar as these are based on the exhibitor's presentation, the design of the exhibitor's stand, the products presented at the exhibitor's stand, or the intellectual content of these products violating the rights of third parties (in particular, but without being limited to, copyrights, the rights to names and images, trademark rights, competition rights and personal rights) or other statutory provisions. This indemnity obligation encompasses all of the associated costs and expenses (in particular, but without being limited to, warning and legal costs as well as court fees).

VIII Assertion of claims/period of limitation

1. Claims against the organiser that are discernible to the exhibitor — of whatever type — must be submitted to the organiser in writing immediately, normally during the course of the event. The date on which the organiser receives the claim will be the sole criterion for determining if it has been received by the deadline. Claims which are received at a later date cannot be considered. This also applies to claims that would have been discernible with due diligence.

2. Claims against the organiser arising from the contractual relationship as well as all other claims relating thereto shall become statute-barred after 6 months commencing from the end of the month in which the closing date of the event falls.

IX Reservations / force majeure, cancellation of the event

1. The organiser shall have the right to reschedule, shorten, extend or cancel the event, as well as to terminate the event temporarily or definitely, in part or in whole, insofar as such an action is required due to compelling reasons for which it is not responsible or unforeseen events such as force majeure, natural disasters, wars, strikes, terrorist attacks or the large-scale breakdown or obstruction of traffic, supply and/or communication links, epidemics or pandemics. The organiser shall immediately notify the exhibitor of such circumstances, provided it is not also prevented from doing so by force majeure. In such cases, the exhibitor has no claim to recompense for the resulting damages.

2. In case the event is cancelled as a result of one of the cases mentioned in Item IX Paragraph 1, the exhibitor is obligated to cover the costs of the services already provided to the exhibitor if the organiser requests it to do so.

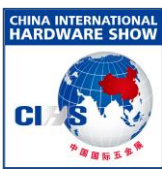
3. Cases of force majeure that prevent the organiser or its service partners from fulfilling some or all of their obligations release the organiser from its obligations until the force majeure ceases. The organiser shall immediately notify the exhibitor of such circumstances, provided the organiser is not prevented from doing so by force majeure as well. Strikes, lockouts, regulatory intervention and the impossibility of providing auxiliary materials such as electricity in sufficient amount are considered to be the equivalent of force majeure, unless they are of short duration or caused by the organiser.

X Final provisions

1. Only those stipulations in Item I Paragraph 1 and Paragraph 2 respectively apply to the contractual relationship. Divergent or supplementary terms from the exhibitor do not become part of the contract even if the organiser does not specifically object to them. This applies especially to diverging conditions of payment.

2. Should some of the provisions be invalid or incomplete, the validity of the remaining provisions and the contract shall not be affected. In this case, the parties to the contract undertake to replace the invalid provision or to fill the gap with a provision that comes closest to fulfilling the economic purpose being pursued by the parties to this contract.

3. Any amendments to the contract must be in text form. The same shall also apply to any amendment or cancellation of the text-form clause itself.



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Conditions of Participation, Special Section [China International Hardware Show 2023]

1 Organiser, event, venue and dates, visitor admission

1.1 Title

The [China International Hardware Show 2023] is being organised by:
Koelnmesse (Beijing) Co., Ltd,
Room 1903 Tower E, Ocean International Center
210 Ciyunsi Beili, Chaoyang District
Beijing 100025
P.R. China
&
China National Hardware Association
Room 903, Suite C Building 5# Baiziyuan,
No.16 Baiziwang Road, Chaoyang District
Beijing 100124
P.R. China
- hereinafter collectively referred to as the "organiser".

The event will be held at
Shanghai New International Expo Centre (SNIEC)
Add: 2345 Longyang Road, Pudong New Area Shanghai P.R.C. 201204

from Tuesday, 19 September 2023 to Thursday, 21 September 2023.

1.2 Opening times

For exhibitors, daily from [08:30 a.m.] to [05:30 p.m.] on 19-20 September; from [08:30 a.m.] to [02:30 p.m.] on 21 September.

For trade visitors only, daily from [09:00 a.m.] to [05:00 p.m.] on 19-20 September; from [09:00 a.m.] to [02:00 p.m.] on 21 September.

1.3 Stand construction and dismantling

1.3.1 General provisions

Work may proceed in the halls and outdoor areas during the general construction and dismantling times from Sunday, 17 September 2023 to Monday, 18 September 2023 insofar as no divergent provision has been specified.

1.3.2 Stand construction Stand construction may begin at 09:00 a.m. on Sunday, 17 September 2023. Construction must be completed by no later than 09:00 p.m. on Monday, 18 September 2023. The aisles must be completely cleared by this time.

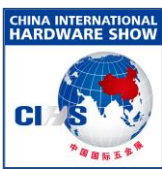
1.3.3 Stand dismantling

Dismantling of the trade fair stand and the goods presentation may not begin before the end of the event at 03:00 p.m. on 21 September 2023. Admission for dismantling personnel: from 03:00 p.m. Trucks will be permitted to enter from 03:00 p.m.

The dismantling times are compulsory and must be adhered to. Moreover, all of the stand construction materials and other objects must have been completely removed from the halls and the outdoor area by these deadlines. Koelnmesse will remove and destroy all materials and objects that remain in the halls or the outdoor area after these deadlines and do so at the respective exhibitor's risk and expense. Koelnmesse will only store such objects in exceptional cases, provided the items left at the exhibition centre are obviously valuable. Koelnmesse's further claims remain unaffected. Claims of whatever kind against Koelnmesse, and in particular claims for damages, are excluded in such cases.

The exhibitor is liable to Koelnmesse for any damages arising as a result of failure to observe these provisions. Should claims be made against Koelnmesse as a result of failure to observe these provisions the exhibitor exempts Koelnmesse from all such claims.

Koelnmesse is entitled to demand payment of a security in the amount stated in the Exhibitor Service Manual and to be refunded after the correct and timely return of the area; there is no entitlement to payment of interest. This security is to guarantee claims arising from the contractual relationship, in particular regarding the timely clearing of the stand area. Furthermore, late clearing of the stand area is a serious violation of the Conditions of Participation. In the event of any violation of this condition, Koelnmesse is entitled to impose a fine of up to €12,850.00 or equivalent RMB amount (depending on the severity of the violation) for each such violation and / or to exclude the exhibitor from subsequent events.



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1.3.4 Insurance

Exhibitors are responsible for taking out public liability insurance against injury to persons and property of others on their stand, along with their exhibits and merchandise moving to and from the show and during the show. Each exhibitor should have a valid and adequate insurance cover of no less than CNY 8 million against public liability. Exhibitors should contact their insurance broker to cover their exhibits and exhibit materials. The Organisers will not be held responsible for any loss of or damage to, exhibits and personal items.

Exhibitors are reminded of their responsibility for their representatives, which also includes their contractors and sub-contractors.

For more details, please refer to China International Hardware Show 2023 Exhibitor Service Manual

1.4 Visitor admission

China International Hardware Show 2023 is a trade fair. Only trade visitors are admitted.

2 Eligibility to participate

2.1 Exhibitors

Only producers that are legally registered are permitted to participate at China International Hardware Show 2023. Such producers must exhibit products that correspond to the focus of the event (see the Products List). You may only participate as an exhibitor if the exhibited products are manufactured or developed by your company itself or developed or produced on its behalf and exclusively marketed or, in the case of services, exclusively provided by your company. You can exhibit for the companies you represent as a sales representative, sales company, association or importer insofar as the goods exhibited are not offered by any other company at the trade fair and you possess the necessary rights to present the exhibits.

Koelnmesse may also require that proof of the nature of the manufacturer's business or of the activities as the manufacturer's sales company or importer be submitted in an appropriate form on demand.

Decisions on company acceptance, eligible products and the location of exhibitor stands will be made by Koelnmesse. In the event of a rejection, you will receive a separate letter.

All exhibited products and services must correspond to the focus of the event. See the accompanying Products List. The products must be new ex works. Products and services that do not correspond to the Products List and used products may not be exhibited or offered.

2.2 Co-exhibitors

The participation of co-exhibitors and / or additionally represented companies at China International Hardware Show 2023 is possible. A special application and acceptance by the organiser is required for the use of the stand area by a co-exhibitor (see Item V of the General Section of the Conditions of Participation).

A co-exhibitor must meet the following conditions to use a stand area:

No more than 2 co-exhibitors can be applied for. The form has to be completely filled in and the main exhibitor has to sign it with a legally binding signature and submit it to Koelnmesse by 19 June 2023 at the latest. Applications that are received by Koelnmesse after this date cannot be taken into account.

Enabling a co-exhibitor to participate on the stand area without first obtaining the approval of Koelnmesse is a serious violation of the Conditions of Participation. In the event of any violation of this condition, Koelnmesse is entitled to impose a fine of up to €5,000.00 or equivalent RMB amount (depending on the severity of the violation) for each such violation and / or to exclude the exhibitor from subsequent events. The stipulations of Item V of the General Section of the Conditions of Participation are not affected.

3 Participation fee and other costs

3.1 Participation fee:

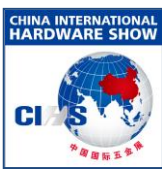
The participation fee is set out as follows:

In the halls per square metre with European Pavilion Package construction (minimum size 9 sqm)

EUR 315.00 / sqm.

The stand fee includes the rent for the exhibition space for the entire duration of the event including the build-up and dismantling periods, a specific number of exhibitor badges, the use of all general technical and service facilities in the fair halls like lighting, ventilation, air conditioning, use of electricity on the stand, general surveillance of the halls and cleaning of the aisles, consulting on organisational matters by Koelnmesse Co., Ltd. employees, catalogue entry according to Item 7 and one free copy of the catalogue.

The stand fee does not include the installation and use of compressed air, the installation of water connections and the use of water on the stand.



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The participation fee for European Pavilion Package includes:

General setting up and dismantling of the stand, incl. all additional costs consisting of:

Cleaning of the booth areas

Laying carpet over the entire booth area

Booth partition walls (rear and side walls) as per stand space

Fascia board with Company Name and Booth Number in English and Chinese

Booth furniture per booth [9 sqm]: 1 Lockable Info. Counter, 1 Round Table, 3 Chairs, 1 Wastepaper Basket, 3 Flat Shelves, 1 Brochure Rack, 1 Single Phase Socket (up to 500w), 2 Longarm Spotlight (100W)

Use of electricity on the stand

The above content is for reference only. For more details, please refer to the China International Hardware Show 2023 Exhibitor Service Manual.

3.2 Administrative fee and hall management fee

Once a space rental invoice is issued, any changes in payment currency raised by exhibitors will be subject to an administrative fee of **EUR 260**, which will be added to the participation fees according to the changed payment currency.

3.3 Payment terms

After the application form is received by Koelnmesse, an invoice of the amount equivalent to [100%] of the participation fee (with any deposit paid, if any, accounted for) will be issued and sent to the exhibitor. All invoices shall be settled by exhibitors within [14] days after their receiving invoices. All bank and administrative charges as well as foreign exchange differences are to be borne by exhibitors.

The exhibitor must pay such invoices strictly according to the terms of payment as indicated on the invoices. If an exhibitor fails to pay according to the abovementioned terms and payment schedule, Koelnmesse reserves the right to release without notice to the exhibitor the stand reserved for exhibitor and shall have right to forfeit any deposit and fees already paid by the exhibitor as liquidated damages.

3.4 Co-exhibitor fee

Insofar as the inclusion of other companies is permitted at your stand (see Item V of the General Section of the Conditions of Participation / Item 2.2 of these conditions), a co-exhibitor fee of **EUR 260.00** per company will be charged to main exhibitors. The co-exhibitor fee remains payable should the co-exhibitor not participate in the event.

3.5 Value-added tax

All prices given are VAT-inclusive.

3.6 Costs in the event of non-participation

3.6.1 Deposit

To the extent that the exhibitor pays deposit before or after submitting the application form and if the exhibitor withdraws from the registration, the deposit will be forfeited and kept by Koelnmesse.

3.6.2 Prior to receipt of acceptance / stand area confirmation

Insofar as the supplier revokes its registration before receipt of the acceptance/stand area confirmation, it undertakes to pay a fee in the amount of 50% of the Participation Fee as liquidated damages.

The exhibitor expressly acknowledges that (a) Koelnmesse will devote significant time, resources and efforts to the preparation of the event in reliance on the exhibitor's registration; (b) thus its revocation of registration before receipt of the acceptance/stand area confirmation will cause damages to Koelnmesse and the liquidated damages as stipulated in section 3.6.2 represented a true and reasonable amount of the calculation of such damages.]

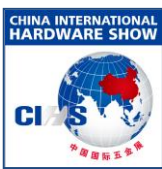
3.6.3 After receipt of acceptance / stand area confirmation

Normally, such a withdrawal from the contract after receipt of the acceptance/stand area confirmation is not permitted. The regulation contained in Item II of the General Section of the Conditions of Participation applies.

In the event of your non-participation, you must pay compensation. Provided the reserved stand area can be rented to a third party, this compensation amounts to [25%] of the participation fee.

3.6.4 Rescheduling of the event

If for whatever reason (including force majeure, government order etc.) the event is rescheduled to be held on certain dates falling within the same year of the originally planned time or if the event is cancelled in the originally scheduled year but rescheduled to be held in the next year, the exhibitor has no right to withdraw from the event or claim any damages nor can it demand refund of any portion of the participation fee but such participation fee shall be applied toward payment for the rescheduled event.



Where the organiser cancels the event and announces rescheduling it to be held in the next year pursuant to the foregoing paragraph, if for whatever reason (including force majeure, government order etc.) the organiser later announces that such rescheduled event is still cancelled in that year and it shall be postponed to be held in the following year thereafter, the exhibitor has right to demand refund of no more than 30% of the total participation fee it has paid and any balance paid by the exhibitor shall be applied toward payment for the so postponed event.

4 Stand sizes and construction

4.1 Stand size

The minimum stand size is [9] sqm.

Please note that hall pillars and other fixed construction elements may be present in the rented stand area.

Minor deviations from the requested stand size do not entitle an objection to be made under Item II of the General Section of the Conditions of Participation.

Trade fair partition walls for separating the stand area are not automatically provided for Space Only.

Koelnmesse will erect partition walls only if this is necessary for safety reasons due to the installation of water pipes or electrical systems.

4.2 Responsibility

Stand construction, design and operation must comply with all the regulations that are valid in China (including the special construction regulation, the industrial safety law and regulations and the accident prevention regulations). All of these provisions apply to the company's own as well as to independent stand designers, decorators, and signwriters and to all persons insofar as they perform activities commissioned by the exhibitor or on the exhibitor's behalf in connection with the construction, design, operation and dismantling of the stand.

The exhibitor is responsible for ensuring that all regulations are complied with. The exhibitor must supervise construction and dismantling personnel and other persons working on its behalf, in order to ensure that they adhere to the regulations. The stipulations of the General Section of the Conditions of Participation and the Exhibitor Service Manual are not affected.

4.3 Overall height

The maximum permissible stand height is set at the height stated in the Exhibitor Service Manual, insofar as this is permitted by the hall ceiling and any fixed structures that may be present.

Unless the Exhibitor Service Manual provides otherwise, there is no need to submit for approval drawings for stands that do not exceed the permitted height. If the Exhibitor Service Manual requires approval of the drawing, the plans of the trade fair stand must be submitted in duplicate for approval by Koelnmesse in good time before the work is carried out, and at least 6 weeks before the event commences.

These auditable documents consist of ground plans, elevations and design cross sections with all measurements.

Regardless of the requirement for approval by Koelnmesse under the Exhibitor Service Manual, the provisions of the Exhibitor Service Manual shall always be observed when designing and erecting the stands.

4.4 Notice of approval

If the Exhibitor Service Manual requires approval of the drawing, stand construction may not commence until the exhibitor has received a copy bearing Koelnmesse's notice of approval. This notice of approval does not release the exhibitor from the observance of the relevant provisions. It only states that Koelnmesse has no objections in the context of stand design/arrangement. If requested to do so by Koelnmesse, the exhibitor is obliged to immediately submit any additionally required information related to the trade fair stand.

There is no obligation on the part of Koelnmesse to ensure the observance of other provisions.

Nevertheless, if a violation of the relevant provisions is found to have been committed, Koelnmesse can, for this reason, also refuse to issue the notice of approval. Please note that in exceptional cases — on your behalf and on your account — the stand construction documents must be submitted to the responsible authorities for scrutiny.

Irrespective of official approvals of the stand, any objections made by Koelnmesse concerning the stand must be immediately responded to. In case of imminent danger, Koelnmesse is entitled to determine at its absolute discretion the measures necessary and have them implemented at the exhibitor's expense.

4.5 Form of stand

The following terms are used for the stand forms:

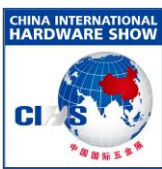
Terrace stand: one side open

Corner stand: two sides open

Two-corner stand: three sides open

Island stand: four sides open

Deviations from the requested stand shape do not entitle an objection to be made under Item II of the General Section of the Conditions of Participation.



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4.6 Construction and design of the stands

The stands must be constructed in compliance with the stand form that has been approved.

The arrangement of the stands is left to the exhibitor but must be appropriate for the event in question.

The exhibitor has to obtain information about the load capacity of the hall floor and the hall headroom. Only the on-site measurements apply to the stand area.

Banners and company signs are not permitted to extend into the aisles.

5 Exhibitor and work passes

5.1 Exhibitor passes

Each exhibitor receives free passes as follows that are valid for the period from the first day on which construction work begins to the final day of dismantling:

Size of Booth	Quantity of exhibitor passes(max)
Up to 12 sqm	3
13 to 24 sqm	6
25 to 36 sqm	9
37 to 48 sqm	12
49 to 72 sqm	15

You can order and pay for additional exhibitor passes at the appropriate order form in the Exhibitor Service Manual. Exhibitor's passes shall be used by exhibitors during the exhibition only. During the period of booth construction and dismantling, exhibitors shall wear passes when entering the exhibition hall. Contractors and other suppliers shall carry work passes, which are valid only during the construction and dismantling period.

5.2 Work passes

During the move-in and move-out, those who need to enter the halls for booth installation, goods transportation/loading & unloading and equipment installation shall apply for work passes. A work pass shall be valid during the move-in and move-out period stated on it.

Exhibitors can order the work passes with the correct order form in the Exhibitor Service Manual.

5.3 Transfer of passes forbidden

Transferring a pass to a third party — whether sold or given free of charge — is not permitted and represents a severe violation of the Conditions of Participation.

6 Rules on selling

In view of the trade nature of the event, direct sales of exhibits or samples from the trade fair stands are not permitted. Furthermore, exhibits may not carry a price tag.

This regulation does not apply to printed matter such as trade publications and specialist journals.

Koelnmesse has the right to carry out checks and, in the event of violations of these conditions, to take suitable measures. Koelnmesse also has the right to immediately close the stands of any exhibitors who commit such violations. Claims on the part of the exhibitor for damages or refunds are excluded in the event of such measures.

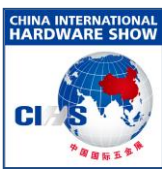
7 Marketing services (marketing package)

7.1 Catalogue

Koelnmesse issues a catalogue for their fairs and exhibitions which includes an alphabetical list of firms, a list of goods and advertisements. This makes the catalogue an important and up-to-date source of reference for all interested persons and also gives it added value after the fair. The space application includes free basic entry in the Trade Fair Directory, including name and address of exhibitor, telephone and fax. The reproduction of logos and texts as well as advertisements are offered separately and are subject to an extra charge (Please refer to the Exhibitor Service Manual).

All entries in the catalogue must be submitted to Koelnmesse or to the company commissioned by Koelnmesse 6 weeks prior to the first day of the event. Koelnmesse reserves the right to commission a third company with the production of the catalogue.

Koelnmesse does not accept any liability for printing errors, incorrect placing, mistakes and other gaps or faults in printing. The advertiser shall be responsible for the subject matter of advertisements and entries and for any omission or mistake resulting from them.



7.2 Special data protection provisions for lead tracking

* The provisions of this section 7.2 applies only if lead tracking app is used in the relevant exhibition.

Trade fair visitors can voluntarily register. Other terms may apply, particularly when visitors can only purchase certain types of tickets by registering. Koelnmesse forwards the personal data from registered visitors to third parties only if the visitors first agree to have their data used in this way.

Neither the exhibitor, nor Koelnmesse nor any other third party can require visitors to take part in lead tracking by scanning their admission tickets and so to pass on their personal data. In addition, the exhibitor is obliged in individual cases to delete the personal data that it has received as a result of lead tracking if it is requested to do so by Koelnmesse or the visitor in question. Koelnmesse is not liable for the accuracy and completeness of the visitor registration data. The exhibitor may only forward the personal data received as a result of lead tracking to third parties if and to the extent that the exhibitor has received express consent from the respective visitor. The exhibitor also undertakes to use the personal data received as a result of lead tracking only in accordance with the legal regulations, especially those relating to data protection, and only for the exhibitor's own purposes. In this respect, the exhibitor shall exempt Koelnmesse from all claims by third parties.

7.3 Responsibility/release of Koelnmesse from liability

Koelnmesse (Beijing) Co., Ltd., is the publisher of the official trade fair media. Koelnmesse may assign the practical implementation of the advertising to a third party company.

Advertisers are responsible for the content of their advertisements and entries and are liable for any damages related thereto. Koelnmesse is not liable for printing errors, incorrect placement, mistakes and other gaps or faults in the printing. Koelnmesse is not liable for the offers made by third parties, especially not if they are related to the use of the lead tracking service.

Koelnmesse does not guarantee that all links and references to external content that are found during the use of the lead tracking service (if applicable) are correct or complete.

8 Intellectual property rights

8.1 Koelnmesse requires that any exhibitors who in the process of producing, disseminating, selling, owning or advertising their products shall not violate laws regarding the protection of intellectual property in the broadest sense. If a final court decision has determined *res judicata* that an exhibitor in connection with one of Koelnmesse's events has violated laws of the kind mentioned in paragraph 1, Koelnmesse is entitled to bar that exhibitor from the next event of this kind after the *res judicata* court decision if there is sufficient suspicion that the exhibitor will again and repeatedly violate laws for the protection of intellectual property.

For the purpose of protecting the lawful rights of the owners of intellectual property rights and facilitating the handling of intellectual property infringement complaints at the exhibition held by Koelnmesse, Koelnmesse has set out the intellectual property protection rules to be complied with at the exhibition in the Exhibitor Service Manual. Please refer to the Exhibitor Service Manual for details.

9 Non-permissible advertising/violations of the Conditions of Participation

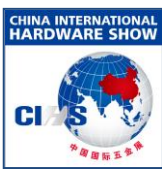
9.1 In order to ensure that the overall character of the event is safeguarded and the exhibitors and visitors are protected from irritating or illegal activities, the following advertising measures in particular are forbidden:

- Exceeding the binding specified overall height;
- Advertising activities outside the rented stand area without the prior written permission of Koelnmesse;
- Advertising of an ideological or political nature.

The exhibitor bears responsibility for the legality of competitions etc.

9.2 In the event of severe violations of the Conditions of Participation, Koelnmesse may immediately close your stand and clear it without resorting to legal assistance. Claims of all kinds — especially claims for damages — are excluded in these cases.

9.3 Dismantling the trade fair stand and / or the exhibits before the official end of the event represents a serious breach of the Conditions of Participation. In the event of any violation of this condition, Koelnmesse is entitled to impose a fine of up to an amount as stated in the Exhibitor Service Manual (depending on the severity of the violation) for each such violation and / or to exclude the exhibitor from subsequent events.



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10 Requirement regarding a written document

All declarations must be specified in writing.

11 Severability clause

Should individual or several provisions of these conditions be or become invalid in whole or in part, the validity of the remaining provisions and of the contract as a whole shall not be affected. The parties will conduct negotiations in good faith to replace the invalid provisions with valid provisions that come as close as possible to fulfilling the business purpose of the invalid provisions.

Should the invalidity of a provision have arisen from a specific figure given therein with regard to performance or time (deadline or date), the nearest legally permissible figure shall replace the invalid one in the provision.

12 General Section of the Conditions of Participation, Exhibitor Service Manual

The stipulations of the General Section of the Conditions of Participation and the Exhibitor Service Manual are not affected. The application form, the General Section of the Conditions of Participation and the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation together shall form one agreement between Koelnmesse and the exhibitor which shall be governed by PRC laws. In case of conflict or discrepancy between the General Section of the Conditions of Participation and the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation, the Special Section shall prevail.

The parties agree that the contract arising from the application form, the General Section of the Conditions of Participation, the Special Section of the Conditions of Participation is signed at the place where Koelnmesse (Beijing) Co., Ltd. is registered as the company as indicated on its business license. Any and all disputes arising out of or in relation to the contract shall be submitted to the court for litigation at the place where Koelnmesse (Beijing) Co., Ltd. is registered as the company as indicated on its business license.

*In case of any dispute, the Chinese version shall prevail.

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