

# INDIA CARPET EXPO

11-14 October, 2019 in **Varanasi. (U.P.)**

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR PARTICIPATION

1. The term '**Participant**' refers to the **Company participating** in the India Carpet Expo (ICE). The Signatory who signs on the 'Space Booking Form' of ICE on behalf of the Participant includes all employees or agents of that Company. The term '**Council**' refers to the **Carpet Export Promotion Council (CEPC)**.
2. The Council reserves the right to draw layout plan of the ICE and to determine size and location of stands.
3. Upon acceptance of 'Space Booking Form' for allotment of space, a contract shall become valid as licensor and licensee. Whereas, the Council shall consider the request of Participant to allot the space of choice but the Council reserves the right to allot the desired stand to other Participant, if Council desires so as per its convenience.
4. The **Participant has to get his exhibits insured at his own**. The Council shall not be responsible for any loss or damage of the exhibits of the Participant.
5. The **encroachment of aisle/passage by the Participant is not allowed in any circumstances** and its violation attracts a penalty of **200% of the space rent** of the space occupied by the Participant or else the Council shall have the right to remove the displayed items without prior intimation to the Participant or both. Further the Participants should ensure that the **height of their stand should not be more than 3 Mtrs.** as per the laid down conditions.
6. The Participant **must take possession of his stand one day prior to the commencement of ICE**. In the event of default for whatsoever reason, a demurrage charge will be levied besides forfeiture of the amount paid as space rent. The Council reserves the right to re-allocate such space to others as deemed fit.
7. a) In the event of **cancellation of ICE under exceptional circumstances, the claim of participants shall be restricted to the amount paid by him/her as space rent**.  
 b) In an event of exceptional and extra ordinary circumstances, **the participants can make a request for cancellation of his booking of space**. The Council may consider his **request for cancellation of his/her booking of space on the following terms:**

If request for cancellation of booking of space of participant is received by the Council <b>on or before 09.09.2019</b> .	<b>No deduction</b> will be made.
If request for cancellation of booking of space of participant is received by the Council <b>after 09.09.2019 upto 20.09.2019</b>	<b>10% deduction</b> will be made on the total participation fees of the space booked by the participants.
If request for cancellation of booking of space of participant is received by the Council <b>after 20.09.2019 upto 27.09.2019</b>	<b>25% deduction</b> will be made on the total participation fees of the space booked by the participants.
If request for cancellation of booking of space of participant is received by the Council <b>after 27.09.2019</b>	<b>No refund</b> shall be made by the Council.

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However, the Council reserves the right to accept at its discretion the request of any participant for cancellation of his booking of space with lesser cancellation fees as specified above, on merit.

8. **Raw Space Exhibitors for Customized Stands:**
  - a) To ensure stand construction completion by the evening of 9<sup>th</sup> October, 2019, as no construction will be allowed from the morning of 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2019.
  - b) **All electrical connections/ wiring shall be proper with adequate circuit breakers/MCB's provisions in order to ensure safety.**
  - c) **All stands shall be dismantled and removed from fairground within 03 days after closing of the event.** In case of delay you will be liable for penal charges as per discretion of the competent authority.
9. The Participant must ensure that his **stand is properly manned and exhibits are properly displayed during exhibition hours.** No exhibits can be removed before the end of the exhibition without prior approval of the Council. **Sub-letting of allotted space is not allowed to Participant, in any circumstances.**
10. The **Council reserves the right to accept/reject any of the 'Space Booking Form' or cancel the booking of the Participant without assigning any reason thereof.**
11. The mandate of the Council is to promote the exports of Handmade Carpets and Floor coverings only from India. Therefore, you are **advised to refrain from display of machine made carpets, leather carpets etc. which are not under the purview of this Council in India Carpet Expo.** In case you are found to display such exhibits during Expo, your exhibits will be confiscated and you may be debarred for future participation.
12. The **Council reserves the right to change/reject the stand allotted to the participants without assigning any reason.**
13. **In case of any dispute,** the Committee of Administration shall be the Appellant Authority. **The decision of Committee of Administration shall be final and binding on both the Participant and the Council.**
14. **All legal matters are subject to jurisdiction of Delhi Courts only.**