



# 45th INDIA CARPET EXPO

**8-11 October, 2023 at Bhadohi Carpet Expo Mart, Bhadohi**

## **TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR PARTICIPATION**

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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 a layout plan of the ICE and to determine the size and location of the stands. Special requests like Corners, preferred sizes, etc. are subject to availability.
3. Upon acceptance of the 'Space Booking Form' for allotment of space, a contract shall become valid as licensor and licensee. Whereas the Council shall consider the request of the 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. Kindly Note that 10% extra for 2 side open corner stands will be applicable on the entire booth space taken without partition.
5. Payment through Cheque or DD in the favor of "Carpet Export Promotion Council" payable at New Delhi. First come first serve order will be considered on the basis on the date of realization of payment in CEPC Account.
6. The Participant has to get his exhibits insured on his own. The Council shall not be responsible for any loss or damage of the exhibits of the Participant.
7. 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.
8. 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 the forfeiture of the amount paid as space rent. The Council reserves the right to re-allocate such space to others as deemed fit.
9. 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 the event of exceptional and extraordinary circumstances, the participants can make a request for cancellation of their booking of space. The Council may consider his request for cancellation of his/her booking of space on the following terms:

If the request for cancellation of the booking of space by the participant is received by the Council <b>on or before 01st August 2023.</b>	<b>No deduction will be made.</b>
If the request for cancellation of the booking of space by the participant is received by the Council <b>after 1st August 2023 upto 16th August 2023</b>	<b>10% deduction</b> will be made on the total participation fees of the space booked by the participants.
If the request for cancellation of the booking of space by the participant is received by the Council <b>on or after 16th August 2023 upto 30th August 2023</b>	<b>25% deduction</b> will be made on the total participation fees of the space booked by the participants.
If the request for cancellation of the booking of space by the participant is received by the Council <b>after 30th August 2023</b>	<b>No refund</b> shall be made by the Council.

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.

#### 10. Raw Space Exhibitors for Customized Stands:

- i) To ensure the construction of stands is completed by 10:00 AM of 07th October 2023.
- ii) All electrical connections/ wiring shall be proper with adequate circuit breakers/MCB provisions in order to ensure safety.
- iii) All stands shall be dismantled and removed from the fairground within 01 day after the closing of the event i.e., 12<sup>th</sup> October 2023. In case of delay, you will be liable for penal charges as per the discretion of the competent authority.
- iv) Bare space exhibitors must send customized layout to CEPC for approval within 7 days from the date of allotment.
- v) Customized Fabrication in the shop area will not be allowed. Penalty will be imposed after the fair if any damage is found in the shop.
- vi) If any exhibitors want to remove the panel from the shop area they will have to pay for the entire occupied area.

11. 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 Participants, in any circumstances.

12. The Council reserves the right to accept/reject any of the 'Space Booking Forms' or cancel the booking of the Participant without assigning any reason thereof.

13. 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 the 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
14. The Council reserves the right to change/reject the stand allotted to the participants without assigning any reason.
15. In case of any dispute, the Committee of Administration shall be the Appellant Authority. The decision of the Committee of Administration shall be final and binding on both the Participant and the Council.
16. All legal matters are subject to the jurisdiction of Delhi Courts only.
17. All participants must adhere to COVID guidelines of social distancing and using masks. Failure to adhere to the COVID norms may invite penalty/ cancellation of participation during the show

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