

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE

ORGANISER

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CONDITIONS FOR ADMISSION

The following are eligible as Exhibitors:

Legal entities constituted as companies, groupings of companies, professional groups or organizations belonging to a country acknowledged by the international community (reference country) and complying with one of the following criteria:

- Owning an industrial facility in at least one of the reference countries, in the fields of reference: offshore renewable energy
- Pursuing activities for promotion, selling, service provision or consultancy concerning offshore renewable energy
- Editing magazines, catalogues, documentation, or directories relating to offshore renewable energy activities

The Organiser reserves the rights to refuse, as a last resort, any of the candidate Exhibitors, without any obligation to justify its decision. Moreover, an admission can be cancelled at any time by the Organiser on the grounds of new information which, if it were known earlier, would have justified refusal of the admission request. In such cases, the decision to cancel admission will entail a refund of the amounts already paid by the candidate Exhibitor who shall not be entitled to any damages.

REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

The Exhibitor's registration request should be sent to the Organiser; and signed by a person empowered to bind the company.

In the event of a cancellation, all amounts owed to the Organiser under such undertaking should be paid by the company.

Only applications for 9sqm minimum sites and submitted together with the corresponding reservation fees will be processed.

The reserved surface area can be increased by 3sqm modules. The reservation fees include the registration rights and the amount payable for location (stand surface area) which corresponds to a participation defined in proportion to the number of square meters reserved.

The exhibition distinguishes two Exhibitor categories:

- Direct Exhibitor: a direct Exhibitor is a legal entity that submits a registration and reservation request for an individual stand or is the organiser of a collective stand or a national pavilion.
- Indirect Exhibitor: an indirect Exhibitor is a legal entity that submits a registration and reservation request to a direct Exhibitor who is responsible for submitting it to the Organiser.

Direct Exhibitors are responsible for notifying their indirect Exhibitor(s) of these Sales Terms and Conditions (STC) and for ensuring their indirect Exhibitor(s) accept(s) and adhere(s) to them.

If a direct Exhibitor occupies the minimum surface area of 9m², the module will be increased by 6sqm for each additional indirect Exhibitor hosted on the direct Exhibitor's stand. Indirect Exhibitors must be declared to the Organiser. Each Exhibitor, whether direct or indirect, must pay a flat-rate registration fee of € 550 excluding VAT. The Organiser reserves the right to accept or refuse the hosting of an indirect Exhibitor, without having to give reasons for his decision in the case of refusal. Refusal of an indirect exhibitor does not allow the direct exhibitor to cancel his reservation, who remains liable for the whole of his own order but excluding the "indirect exhibitor" fees. The direct exhibitor remains the sole legal contracting party and the organiser's sole contact.

Specific case of collective stands

The following are considered as collective stands

- a regional or national pavilion: the space reserved by an official representative of a region or country.
- a business cluster pavilion: the space reserved by a group of companies

1/ Collective stand whose Exhibitor(s) is/are domiciled in France (case of the regional pavilion and business clusters)

The space allocated to a co-Exhibitor in a collective pavilion must be at least 6m² and implies the occupation by this same co-Exhibitor of the space for the entire duration of the Exhibition. The collective pavilions cannot accommodate stands (as proposed by the Organiser).

The resale price charged by the organiser for a collective pavilion must not equal or exceed the prices proposed by the Organiser for the basic formulas (raw space, equipped space).

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The Organiser undertakes to reserve space adjacent to the regional or national pavilion for companies wishing to exhibit in the immediate area, as well as for the pavilions of business clusters, depending on the possibilities and the organisational agenda of the Organiser. However, this will not be a contractual element.

The following are authorised to co-exhibit: companies established in the territory concerned (legal entity), first-time Exhibitors or new entrants to the sector (not belonging to a medium size or a large company), VSEs with innovative project(s), companies with a turnover of less than €1M, public and R&D establishments and regional associations.

2/ Collective stand whose Exhibitor(s) is/are domiciled outside France (case of the national pavilion).

The space allocated to a co-Exhibitor in a collective pavilion must be at least 6sqm and implies the occupation by this same co-Exhibitor of the space for the entire duration of the Exhibition. Furthermore, collective pavilions cannot accommodate stands (as proposed by The Organiser). In order to take into consideration the constraints linked to exports, the Organiser authorises the holding of collective stands hosting co-Exhibitors whose annual turnover does not exceed €15M.

The Organiser has the discretion to assess the participation of co-Exhibitors on collective stands that may affect the coherence or organisation of the Exhibition and reserves the right to intervene with the pavilion representatives.

The submission of a registration request implies the unreserved acceptance by the applicant Exhibitor of the provisions of the Exhibition regulations as well as the regulatory requirements of public law applicable to events organised in France. Acceptance of the request is officially notified by the Organiser to the applicant company. Upon receipt of its order by the Organiser, the Exhibitor will receive, in the event of acceptance, an overall invoice confirming the receipt of its payment (see Terms of payment).

Specific case of the innovation village

Any innovative company may exhibit in the Innovation Village if it

- Have been in existence for less than 5 years
- With annual sales of less than €750,000

PRICE LIST

>Registration fees: the registration fee is €550 excluding VAT, for each direct or indirect Exhibitor.

>Stand reservation:

- Raw space: the amount of participation is €430 excluding VAT per square metre
- Pre-equipped space: the amount of participation is €520 excluding VAT per square metre
- Turnkey space: the amount of participation is €620 excluding VAT per square metre
- Superior turnkey surface: the amount of participation is €750 excluding VAT per square metre

Exhibitors wishing a stand comprising of

- One corner (2 open sides) have to pay a supplement of 10 € excl. VAT per square metre
- Two angles (3 open sides) have to pay a supplement of 15 € excl. VAT per square metre
- Four angles (island stand) have to pay a supplement of 20 € excl. VAT per square metre

> Reservation of outdoor areas:

Outdoor areas are allocated exclusively to Exhibitors who have already reserved a stand inside the hall.

Outdoor areas are intended for any type of construction, fittings out (covered or not) or demonstrations, and are subject to specific pricing regardless of the nature of the fittings built by the Exhibitor.

The construction rules are communicated in the Exhibitor's Technical Guide by the Organiser, who must submit his/her layout project to the Organiser for approval, regardless of the regulatory and administrative provisions and any certifications from inspection offices to which the Exhibitor must submit.

For reasons of safety and available space, the Organiser may limit the provision of bare, buildable outdoor floor areas on the static Exhibition. For the same reasons, any structure, even a light one, must be validated by the Organiser and/or the safety officer.

> Additional layout and stand services available on order: list accessible in the Exhibitor area.

All services ordered are invoiced at their rates in effect at the time of the order, which are indicated in the participation contract and on the Exhibitor area. The Exhibitor area, accessible from the event's website (www.seenergy-forum.com), is specific to any Exhibitor validated by the Organization and accessible using the login details sent by the Organiser.

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All these amounts may be revised and invoiced by the Organiser if the economic, fiscal and / or social conditions (cost of materials, labour, transport and services, etc.) undergo a significant increase between the date of the request and the opening date of the Exhibition.

TERMS OF PAYMENT

Exhibitors must include with their participation order the sum corresponding to the total price of the stand including VAT. This amount is to be paid in cash, by cheque or bank transfer, excluding drafts or promissory notes, payable to S.A.S. Bluesign.

The sum will be returned to the Exhibitor if he/she is not allowed to exhibit. This will not be returned to the Exhibitor if he cancels his participation after 17 February, 2025. (See Conditions of withdrawal).

The non-payment of the price of the stand by the stipulated deadlines will result in the Organiser's refusing, the right to use not only the allocated location but also all the communication and promotion tools for the Exhibition they be paying or not without this cancelling the debt which will remain entirely due by the Exhibitor. Any exclusion of the defaulting Exhibitor will result in reserved areas being made available to the Organiser.

VAT

All services are invoiced to participants (Exhibitors, Sponsors, Visitors) regardless of their nationality, with VAT, according to the laws and regulations in force in France at the time of the Exhibition. Foreign companies from European Union countries and companies coming from a country outside the European Union may directly contact a tax representative, specialized in VAT refund requests.

CONDITIONS OF WITHDRAWAL

The Exhibitor may at any time cancel his/her participation in the Exhibition by notifying the Organiser by REGISTERED LETTER WITH ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT. to the following address and to the attention of Ms. Sabrina Pedrosa Peseux:

BLUESIGN SAS
Centre d'affaires EMERGENCE
24, rue du Gouverneur Général Eboué
92130 Issy-les-Moulineaux, France

If an order is cancelled, whatever the reason, 30% of the payment will remain in all cases acquired or due. If this cancellation reaches the Organiser after 17 February, 2025, the total amount including VAT of the recorded services is acquired / or remains due.

Any failure of the Exhibitor (lack of occupation of the stand made available to him/her 24 hours before the Exhibition opens to the public, non-compliance with the safety regulations for the layout of the stands, presentation of equipment, non-compliant products or services) will entail, even without formal notice, the forfeiture of the right to the site.

The defaulting Exhibitor will waive, as compensation, 100% of the participation costs incumbent on him/her, without prejudice to any additional damages that may be requested of him/her.

CANCELLATION / POSTPONEMENT

The Organiser sets the dates and location of the Exhibition. In the case of force majeure or events beyond the control of the Organiser, the dates and location may be changed.

If the Organiser is forced to postpone the Exhibition for reasons other than cases of force majeure or events beyond its control, the Organiser undertakes to notify the Exhibitors as soon as possible.

The sums remaining available after payment of all the expenses incurred would be distributed among the Exhibitors, in the form of a credit for the next edition, in proportion to the sums paid, It is hereby expressly agreed that the Exhibitors cannot, for any reason whatsoever, bring any action against the Organiser in such cases.

The Organiser shall not be held liable for any commercial prejudice that may be suffered by Exhibitors for any reason whatsoever, and in particular for any delay in the opening, premature stoppage of the Exhibition, closure or destruction of stands, fire, accidents, if it becomes impossible to use the premises as a result of a public calamity, a natural disaster, any other case of force majeure or event beyond the Organiser's control.

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What constitutes cases of absolute necessity: strikes, lock-out situations, partial or total unemployment, interruptions in energy supply, accidents, fires, any interruption or delay in transport, any total impossibility of being supplied, any legal or regulatory provisions significantly affecting the organization of the event, any refusal or withdrawal of administrative authorization, any administrative prohibition and more generally, any case of force majeure recognized by French law or case law.

BOOTH ALLOCATIONS - REGULATIONS

The Organiser draws up the floor plan for the Exhibition and allocates booths. He/she has checked the exact dimensions of all booth measurements on the floor plan but reserves the right to adjust it at any time if necessary, according to the needs of the Exhibition and the rules and laws applicable to the Exhibition's venue. The exhibitor is informed of the location of the stand allocated by means of a plan. The Organizer has verified the accuracy of all measurements and arrangements of the stands shown on the general floorplan but reserves the right to modify or change stand allocations if necessary to adjust the general floorplan, according to the Organizer's requirements or the requirements of applicable law or the applicable rules of the site where the exhibition is held. The Exhibitor cannot unilaterally cancel his participation following this modification. The Organizer invoices the Exhibitor for the final surface area accepted and not the surface area initially requested by the Exhibitor. Stands allocated may under no circumstances be transferred, sublet or made available to third parties, in whole or in part, by the Exhibitor.

Stands must be as open as possible to the aisles. All construction rules are indicated in the technical guide which will be made available to Exhibitors. By registering, Exhibitors undertake to comply with them. The Exhibitor must submit his raw stand layout project to the Organizer for approval. The project must also be submitted to the safety officer for authorization. For any installation exceeding the authorized height, the Exhibitor must send his plans to the Organiser for approval, as well as for any installation requiring a ceiling attachment

Each Exhibitor is responsible for decorating and furnishing his/her stand on the, understood that the Organiser takes in charge the overall decoration

APPEARANCE OF STANDS

The appearance of stands must be clean and tidy. For this purpose, the Exhibitor will ensure cleaning of the stand every day or ask the Organiser for a complementary service. Bulk packaging, objects not used for stand fitting, and staff lockers must be out of sight. The stand must be permanently manned by proficient staff during opening hours. It is forbidden to leave exhibited objects covered during opening hours. The Exhibitors will not remove their stand decorations or any equipment before the end of the Exhibition. Consequently, the Organiser reserves its right to withdraw any equipment covering without being, in no way, held liable for any resulting damage or loss.

TRANSPORT AND RECEPTION OF PRODUCTS – FITTING OUT

Each Exhibitor or his/her authorized representative will make all necessary arrangements for the transport, reception, and dispatch of his packages and for the checking of their contents.

All packages must be unpacked on arrival. Should the Exhibitor or his/her representative or agent not be present to receive the goods, the Organiser is empowered to have them stored unpacked or to return them on his/her own initiative at the exclusive cost of the Exhibitor or the forwarding agent, depending on whose responsibility is involved. The Exhibitor must not block passages nor encroach on them nor in any way cause inconvenience to their neighbours. Exhibitors will not dismantle their stands or remove any of their products before the end of the Exhibition. A storage area for empty packages may be available, at the Exhibitor's charge. All Exhibitors are required to look after their goods and personal effects, especially during the mantling and dismantling periods. They are required to leave their sites in the condition in which they found them. Any damage caused by the Exhibitors, their fittings and their goods to the equipment or to the building, will be assessed by the surveyors and charged to the Exhibitors concerned. Take away sales are prohibited, and the Organiser may take immediate steps to close the stand without the Exhibitor being able claim for any indemnity or reimbursement of participation costs.

CUSTOMS FORMALITIES

Exhibitors must complete all necessary customs formalities concerning their materials and products arriving from countries outside the European Customs System. The Organiser will not be held for responsible for any problem occurring with customs.

ON SITE PUBLICITY

Demonstrations and the distribution of pamphlets outside the Exhibitor's stand are forbidden. Distribution or sales of magazines or participation tokens are not allowed unless specially agreed by the Organiser. All publicity using lighting or sound effects, or any other animation should not disturb other Exhibitors, traffic or the keeping of the Exhibition. The Organiser may reconsider the given authorizations if this is not observed. The sound levels should be moderated. The Exhibitors shall deal directly with the SACEM (organization which recovers performance rights in France) for use of recorded music within the exhibition site, even for simple demonstration of audio equipment.

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WEBSITE REGISTRATION

The information required for preparing the section “Our exhibitors 2025” on the website www.seanergy-forum.com will be supplied by the Exhibitors and at their responsibility. In no case, can the Organiser be held responsible for omissions, errors in reproduction, setting-up and others which may occur.

SECURITY RULES – MACHINES IN FUNCTION

Exhibitors must know and observe all security rules and regulations established by the local authorities, Paris Expo Porte de Versailles and the Organiser. The Exhibitor must be present on his/her booth during the visit of the Security Commission.

INSURANCE

The Organiser underwrites direct third-party liability insurance. Such liability is limited to accidents and damages which might occur because of the building or facilities made available to Visitors or Exhibitors, attributable to the Organiser personnel participating in the Exhibition. Exhibitors must know and observe all security rules and regulations established by the local authorities, the exhibition site, and the Organiser.

Exhibitors insurance:

- **Property insurance:** each Exhibitor hereby commits to underwrite an insurance policy against any losses and damages which could be sustained by any equipment displayed on its stand or any property present in the exhibition hall. The Exhibitor will bear alone any difference remaining between the amount of the losses and damages sustained and the insured amounts paid by the insurers and hereby expressly waive any claim against the Organisers.
- **Third party liability:** each Exhibitor must underwrite a contractor third party insurance liability covering accidents for which he could be held responsible during the Exhibition. The Exhibitor shall submit to the Organiser, before the opening, a certificate showing evidence of compliance with these requirements.

PENALTY CLAUSE AND CONTESTATION

By signing this contract, the contractor commits to the payment of the instalments on the dates set by the Organiser. By express agreement, the non-payment of any sum on its due date may lead to litigation and the application of interest calculated at the legal rate in force. All costs incurred in the context of litigation or an order for payment will be added to the debt. In the event of a dispute, the courts of Bordeaux (France) shall have sole jurisdiction, the French text of these rules being the authentic text.