Participation Conditions – Grand Marché des Terroirs Alpins

1. General Provisions

1.1. These conditions govern the participation of all exhibitors registered for the Grand Marché des Terroirs Alpins.

1.2. Registration implies full and complete acceptance of these regulations.

1.3. The organizer may modify these conditions at any time. Registered exhibitors will be informed of any changes.

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2. Registration and Validation

2.1. The Grand Marché des Terroirs Alpins welcomes producers from the Alpine Terroirs, including only food-related professions. Handicrafts and other ancillary activities are not considered, unless invited by the organiser.

2.2. Participation requires a prior request **via the form, as well as an official and complete registration if your application is accepted**.

2.3. Allocation of spaces is carried out by the organizer and is non-negotiable.

2.4. The organizer reserves the right to accept or refuse a request without justification.

2.5. Official participation is confirmed in writing after validation of the application file (until February 28), the registration deadline.

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3. Obligations of Exhibitors

3.1. The stand for Terroir producers (table, tent, tablecloth, electricity) is provided free of charge to the exhibitor.

3.2. The exhibitor commits to offering tastings of their products to visitors in a visible and dynamic way.

3.3. Food service stands are subject to a fee. Rates depend on electrical needs and the need for washable tableware. Rates are assessed on a case-by-case basis.

3.4. The exhibitor must ensure continuous presence at their stand during opening hours: **10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Saturday**, and **10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday**.

3.5. The stand must be operational before the market opens and may not be dismantled before the official closing.

3.6. Exhibitors must comply with all sanitary and legal standards related to the sale of their products.

3.7. The exhibitor is responsible for the cleanliness, maintenance, and safety of their space. Any breach may lead to sanctions.

3.8. **Installation and dismantling hours**

- Setup: communicated to you in advance according to a precise order
- Dismantling: after 5:00 p.m. on Sunday

3.9. Vehicles must be parked in public parking areas provided for this purpose.

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4. Liability and Insurance

4.1. Participation in the market is under the sole responsibility of the exhibitor. The organizer declines all responsibility in case of loss, theft, or damage.

4.2. Exhibitors are strongly encouraged to take out insurance covering their goods, civil liability, and any damage caused to third parties.

4.3. Any damage caused to equipment or installations provided by the organizer will be invoiced to the responsible exhibitor.

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5. Cancellation

5.1. Any cancellation request must be submitted in writing at least 60 days before the event.

5.2. Beyond 60 days before the event, meaning from April 13, 2027, a financial contribution of 150.- will be requested to cover administrative and organizational costs.

5.3. In case the market is cancelled due to force majeure (health crisis, severe weather, etc.), full or partial reimbursement of costs will be determined by the organizer.

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6. Sanctions

6.1. Any violation of the regulations may result in a warning, financial sanction, or immediate exclusion without reimbursement.

6.2. The organizer may refuse future participation to any exhibitor who has not complied with the participation conditions.

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7. Disputes and Applicable Law

7.1. In case of dispute, the parties will first seek an amicable resolution.

7.2. Failing agreement, the matter will be brought before the competent courts of the canton where the Grand Marché des Terroirs Alpins takes place.

7.3. Swiss law governs these conditions.

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8. Acceptance of the Regulations

Registration for the Grand Marché des Terroirs Alpins constitutes acknowledgement and full acceptance of the participation conditions.