

SPONSORSHIP & EXHIBITION BROCHURE

10 - 14 SEPTEMBER 2023 MAASTRICHT, THE NETHERLANDS

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INVITATION FOR SPONSORSHIP

Dear colleagues and friends,

On behalf of the Local Organizing Committee, we thank you for your interest in being a part of the 43rd International Symposium on Halogenated Persistent Organic Pollutants - DIOXIN 2023 to be held 10-14 September 2023, in Maastricht, The Netherlands. The first return of the meeting in Europe for the last 5 years and 12 years after the memorable Dioxin 2011 edition in Brussels!

We are proud to be able to continue the tradition of the symposium series as an interdisciplinary forum for communicating scientific advances and emerging issues in a friendly atmosphere. We are even further happy as we will revive the true essence of the event as an international face-to-face meeting in Europe

As expected, Dioxin 2023 will focus on the science of dioxins and additional persistent organic pollutants following major advances in analytical determination, the understanding of emission, transport, fate, degradation, toxic behaviour, regulations, along with the growing attention in developing countries and global pollution issues.

Up to 1000 delegates are expected to register for the event, classically representing more than 500 abstracts (200 are oral presentations and 300 are posters) presented in up to 5 parallel sessions during 4 days.

In conjunction with the Symposia, there will be an exhibition involving instrumentation, chemical products, accessories, analytical companies, scientific journals, legal entities, research centres...

The exhibition will form an integral part of the symposia and coffee breaks will be held in the exhibition area.

We hope that you will take advantage of this opportunity to be a Dioxin 2023 sponsor/exhibitor, and to gain from the interactions with students, academics, and science professionals from around the world. We want to maximize your organization's exposure to this diverse group and encourage you to work with us to customize a sponsorship package for the conference that best suits your needs.



Prof. J.-F. Focant Chair DIOXIN 2023

GENERAL INFORMATION

Dioxin 2023 Secretariat

c/o MCI Benelux SA Avenue des Arts 47 1000 Brussels, Belgium

Tel: +32 2 320 24 43

Email: Dioxin2023@wearemci.com

The congress will be held at the Maastricht Exhibition & Conference Centre:

MECC Maastricht Forum 100 6229 GV Maastricht, The Netherlands Tel: +31 43 383 8383 https://www.mecc.nl/en/







CATEGORIES OF SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

PLATINUM Sponsor € 30,000.00*

- Status as PLATINUM Sponsor
- Exhibition space: Twenty-seven (27) m² raw space and priority of space location selection
- A congress bag insert (1 recto verso, A4 size max.)
- Complimentary full registration up to eight persons (8) including the exhibition staff
- 4 x complimentary gala dinner passes
- Sponsor logo on all symposium signage
- Sponsor logo in the Final Programme (back cover)
- Sponsor logo on the official congress website with a link to a website of your choice
- Up to 2 bulk mailings to the full delegate contact list (sent by the Dioxin 2023 secretariat)

GOLDEN Sponsor € 25,000.00*

- Status as GOLDEN Sponsor
- Exhibition space: Eighteen (18) m² raw space
- A congress bag insert (1 recto verso, A4 size max.)
- Complimentary full registration up to six (6) persons including the exhibition staff
- 2 x complimentary gala dinner passes
- Sponsor logo on all symposium signage
- Sponsor logo in the Final Programme (back cover)
- Sponsor logo on the official congress website with a link to a website of your choice
- 1 bulk mailing to the full delegate contact list (sent by the Dioxin 2023 secretariat)

SILVER Sponsor € 20,000.00*

- Status as SILVER Sponsor
- Exhibition space: Twelve (12) m² raw space
- A congress bag insert (1 recto verso, A4 size max.)
- Complimentary full registration up to four (4) persons including the exhibition staff
- Sponsor logo in the Final Programme (back cover)
- Sponsor logo on the official congress website with a link to a website of your choice





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INDIVIDUAL SPONSORSHIP ITEMS

Advertising in Final Programme • Full color page inside front cover € 800.00* • Full color page inside back cover € 800.00*

The Final Program will be distributed at the congress to all registered participants. It will include the complete final scientific, social and tour programme, as well as practical information on the congress.

Full color page advertisement € 500.00*

Pocket Programme (one sponsor only) €4,000.00*

The Pocket Programme is an extremely popular and useful congress overview that will be inserted in the congress bags. An exclusive advertisement of your company will appear on the back cover.

Badge Lanyards (one sponsor only) € 10,000.00*

Sponsor's company logo will appear on the participants' badge cords. The badge lanyards production cost is included in the package price.

Logo on Badges € 5,000.00*

Sponsor's company logo will appear on the participants' badges. The badge production cost is included in the package price.

Congress Bags (one sponsor only) € 15,000.00*

Sponsor's company logo will appear on the participants' bags. The bag production cost is included in the package price.



INDIVIDUAL SPONSORSHIP ITEMS

F	Notepads & Pens (one sponsor only)
G	Luggage Tags (one sponsor only)
н	Commercial Mail Shot (per list)
ı	Branded Water (one sponsor only)
	USB Sticks (one sponsor only) € 10,000.00*

Put your company ahead of the rest and sponsor the memory sticks to be placed in each delegate bag.

USB stick production cost is included in the package price.

These memory sticks can be left blank, but the most effective idea will be to put the conference abstract onto the memory sticks, so that it becomes multipurpose and a beneficial reference point for all delegates. The

*all rates excl. 21% Dutch VAT



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INDIVIDUAL SPONSORSHIP ITEMS

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Insert in the Congress Bag (per item) €1,500.00*

To ensure every delegate receives your product literature, an insert* may be placed in the conference bag. *maximum 4 pages

Session Sponsor (per session) € 4,000.00*

- Company logo next to session title in the Final Programme and on the screen at the beginning of the session
- Dominant placing of one (1) roll-up banner provided by the sponsor at the entrance of the session
- A congress bag insert (1 recto verso, A4 size max.)
- Use of a session room for a one hour session in the morning before or after the official symposium opening hours and during lunch time

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Umbrellas€10,500.00*

Branded umbrellas will be distributed with the congress bags. The production cost is included in the package price.



IMPORTANT NOTE:

The lanyards, congress bags, writing pads and pens and USB stick packages are based on a maximum production of 1000 units. Should the participant number exceed 1000, the additional item production cost would be added to the package price.



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INDIVIDUAL SPONSORSHIP ITEMS

SOCIAL EVENTS

- Informal Reception Drink (Sunday; one sponsor only)..... € 7,000.00*
- Welcome Reception (Monday; one sponsor only) € 10,000.00*
- Beer Tasting during Poster Session (one sponsor per day) € 5,000.00*
- Opening Ceremony (Monday; one sponsor only) includes:...... € 10,000.00*
 - Sponsor logo on the plenary screen whenever possible
 - Sponsor thank you speech
 - Chair drop (distribution at the plenary room entrance)

The following events give you the opportunity to promote your company in a convivial atmosphere outside the congress sessions. Sponsors are invited to provide branding of the area, e.g. roll-up banners, napkins or other promotional materials for distribution (details to be determined with the Organisers).

*all rates excl. 21% Dutch VAT



// SPECIAL REQUESTS

We are aware that sponsorship of any of the above items may not suit your current marketing aims. We are therefore willing to tailor a package to suit your objectives.

Please feel free to contact the <u>Dioxin 2023 Secretariat</u> to further discuss your needs.



// ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Please note that all sponsors and exhibitors will be acknowledged on the official congress website. We invite you to forward your company logo in high resolution to

Dioxin2023@wearemci.com



// APPLICATION

Application for sponsorship can be made in writing with the enclosed application form.

Please refer to the Terms & Conditions of application and acceptance attached to this document





EXHIBITION OPPORTUNITIES

The exhibition is an integral part of the Dioxin Symposium with the intention to provide up to-date information on Halogenated Persistent Organic Pollutants. Excellent exhibition facilities in close proximity to the session halls are available at the Maastricht Exhibition & Conference Centre. Coffee breaks and working luncheons will be offered with and nearby the exhibition to enhance participants' attendance.

// VENUE

The congress will be held at the Maastricht Exhibition & Conference Centre:

MECC Maastricht

Forum 100

6229 GV Maastricht, Netherlands

Tel: +31 43 383 8383

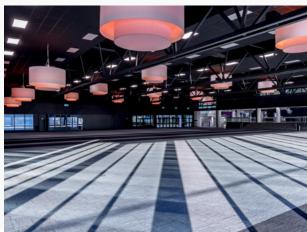
https://www.mecc.nl/en/















EXHIBITION OPPORTUNITIES

// BOOTH SIZES

6 m2 (2mx3m) at € 4,000.00* includes:

- White shell scheme frame
- 1 table, 2 chairs and a wastebin
- Fascia panel with company name
- Light and electricity (details TBC)
- 2 Exhibitor badges
- Cleaning of public areas and gangways

9 m2 (3mx3m) at € 5,500.00* includes:

- White shell scheme frame
- 1 table, 2 chairs and a wastebin
- Fascia panel with company name
- Light and electricity (details TBC)
- 3 Exhibitor badges
- Cleaning of public areas and gangways

// RAW SPACE

Stand spaces without shell scheme are allowed for spaces of 12m2 and more, designs must be submitted prior to the event for safety checks. Free space includes:

- Specified m2
- Light and electricity (details TBC)
- Exhibitor badges (number according to m2)
- Cleaning of public areas and gangways

// BUILD-UP HEIGHT

The maximum building height for all exhibit stands is three (3) meter pending authorisation by the Security Department of the Maastricht Exhibition & Conference Centre; exhibitors may be allowed to exceed this height of three (3) meters.

// EXHIBITION SCHEDULE

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
Set-up	Exhibition	Exhibition	Exhibition	Exhibition
10h00 - 18h00	09h00 - 18h00	09h00 - 18h00	09h00 - 12h00	09h00 - 18h00





EXHIBITION OPPORTUNITIES

// EXHIBITION SCHEDULE

Space allocation will be made on a 'first come, first served basis'. Please note that three alternative choices should be clearly indicated on the application form. An invoice for the total amount will be mailed and upon receipt of payment, space will be confirmed. Space allocations will be made in the order in which application forms and payment are received. Advance payment will be refunded if space is fully booked or space offered is not acceptable to exhibitors.

// EXHIBITOR REGISTRATION

All exhibitors are required to be registered and will receive a badge displaying the exhibiting company name. Two (2) complimentary exhibitor badges will be given for the first six (6) square meters booked and one additional complimentary exhibitor badge for each six (6) square meters booked. Any additional exhibitors will be charged an exhibitor registration fee of € 300.00. An exhibitor registration form will be included in the exhibitor's manual

// TECHNICAL EXHIBITOR MANUAL

A technical manual outlining all technical aspects of exhibiting will be circulated 2 months before the congress. The manual will include the following:

- Technical details about the venue
- Final exhibition details and information
- Contractor details
- Services available to exhibitors and order forms

// SITE INSPECTIONS

Pre-scheduled visits of the venue will be organised prior to the congress. Dates will be communicated once a contractual agreement has been agreed upon.

// APPLICATION

Application for exhibition packages can be made in writing with the enclosed application form. Please refer to the Terms & Conditions of application and acceptance attached to this document.







SPONSORSHIP & EXHIBITION APPLICATION FORM

To apply for sponsorship and exhibition opportunities, please complete and send this form to the Dioxin 2023 Secretariat by email to <u>Dioxin2023@wearemci.com</u>. After receipt of this application form, the Dioxin 2023 Secretariat will invoice you for the corresponding amount.

// Company details (please indicate details as they have to appear on the invoice):

First name		Last name
Title		
Company VAT number		
Company		
Address		
City	Post code	Country
Telephone		
Mobile		
Email		
	We woul	uld like to book the following items:





SPONSORSHIP & EXHIBITION APPLICATION FORM

// We would like to book the following items:

DESCRIPTION	PRICE	QUANTITY	SELECTION
Exhibition Packages			
6 m² shell scheme (3m x 2m)	€ 4,000.00		
9 m² shell scheme (3m x 3m)	€ 5,500.00		
Raw Space	€ 400.00		
Sponsorship Packages			
Platinum Sponsor	€ 30,000.00	N/A	
Golden Sponsor	€ 25,000.00	N/A	
Silver Sponsor	€ 20,000.00	N/A	
Custom Sponsorship Package	as per specifications	N/A	
Individual Sponsorship Items			
Final Programme Advert - Full color page inside front cover	€ 800.00	N/A	
Final Programme Advert - Full color page inside back cover	€ 800.00	N/A	
Final Programme Advert - Full color page advertisement	€ 500.00	N/A	
Pocket Programme	€ 4,000.00	N/A	
Badge Lanyards	€ 10,000.00	1000	
Logo on badges	€ 5,000.00	N/A	

Individual Sponsorship Items continued on next page





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DESCRIPTION	PRICE	QUANTITY	SELECTION
Individual Sponsorship Items			
Congress Bags	€ 15,000.00	1000	
Notepads & Pens	€ 5,000.00	1000	
Luggage Tags	€ 6,000.00	1000	
Commercial Mail Shot	€ 500.00	Per mail	
Corporate Branded Water for Delegate Bags	€ 6,000.00	1000	
USB Sticks	€ 10,000.00	1000	
Insert in the Congress Bag	€ 1,500.00	Per insert	
Session Sponsor	€ 4,000.00	Per Session	
Umbrellas	€ 10,500.00	1000	
Informal Reception Drink	€ 7,000.00	N/A	
Welcome Reception	€ 10,000.00	N/A	
Beer Tasting during Poster Session	€ 5,000.00	Per day	
Opening Ceremony	€ 10,000.00	N/A	

0	NOTE: All quoted prices here above are exclusive of 21% Dutch VAT
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By signing below, I declare that I agree with the General Terms and Conditions.

Company Signature	Date
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TERMS & CONDITIONS

Application of the Terms of Contract to Exhibit in case of cancellation or postponement of the Event in case of worsening of the health situation due to the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic:

- In case of cancellation or postponement of the Event for force majeure: no refund (see Article 15.2 of the TCE). A cancellation or postponement of the Event because SARS-CoV-2 makes the Event as and when planned normally, practically and reasonably impossible would be considered a force majeure falling under Article 15.2 of the TCE.
- In case the Event is not cancelled, but an Exhibitor cannot participate because of force majeure in its country: no refund after 15 02 2021 (Article 4.1 of the TCE).
- In case of postponement of the Event for a valid cause: no refund (Article 12.1 of the TCE).
- In case of abandonment of the Event for other reasons than force majeure or in case of a radically different event: full refund.

However, notwithstanding the above, and in a spirit of partnership, the Organiser and the Exhibitor accept that 70% (but only 70%) of the space booking fee shall be refunded in case the Event cannot take place as scheduled and has to be cancelled (rather than postponed in the same location) because of SARS-CoV-2 governmental restrictions in place in Maastricht, The Netherlands or because of the local authorities' decision not to Host the event, provided that (and only provided that) the full amount of the space booking fee was timely paid. The purpose of the non-refunded amount is only to cover costs incurred by the Organiser for the preparation and running of the Event including commitments in place.

Definitions

«Congress» shall mean the event, Dioxin 2023, which will take place 10 – 14 September 2023, at the MECC Maastricht. «Organiser» shall mean MCI contracted by Dioxin2023. «Exhibitor or Sponsor» shall mean any person, firm or organization allocated a space by the Organisers in the above-said congress, or with a confirmed sponsorship as outlined in this document. «Co-exhibitor» shall mean any person, firm or organization exhibiting their own products or services on the stand space of an Exhibitor.

2. Application for participation & acceptance

All applications for participation shall be made on the prescribed form overleaf. The application shall be submitted to the Organiser. Upon receipt of the invoice, the exhibitor or sponsor will promptly transfer the required deposit equivalent to 50% of the total booth rental charges and/or sponsorship package. The submission of the application form shall be deemed to be confirmation of participation and full acceptance of the Terms & Conditions for Participation' as stated herein. The application shall become a valid contract upon the Organiser accepting the application. The application and confirmation of its receipt do not constitute grounds for any claim to approval, or to any specific location or site of stand. In particular, the Organiser is entitled to implement reductions in the number of square meters applied for if the congress area available is oversubscribed.

3. Rental of stand fitting, design and signs

The individual design of the stand, if in excess of the services indicated in the offer, is the concern of each individual Exhibitor who shall apply with the official contractor for furniture, fittings, fixtures and utilities. The nature of the design shall, however, be subjected to the construction regulations applicable to the event venue and to the construction guidelines set by the Organiser.

4. Co-exhibitors and firms indirectly represented

Stand areas are in principle made available solely as whole entries and only to one contracting party, the 'main Exhibitor'. The use of the stand area by another company represented by its own congress goods (co-exhibitor) shall require a special application and written approval from the Organiser. Approval of co-exhibitors is likewise based on the criteria listed under paragraph 2 above, apart from this. Such companies shall also be subject to the terms & conditions for participation, which are to be acknowledged by those companies in writing. The assignment of the rights and obligations to other parties, even if only in part, is not permissible except with the written approval of the Organiser in advance. The Main Exhibitor shall be liable for any fault on the part of his co-exhibitor or indirectly represented company and their agents, in the same manner as his own faults and for the faults of his own agents. The same shall apply to auxiliary staff. If paragraph 4 above applies, the main Exhibitor and all co-exhibitors shall be jointly and severally liable to the Organiser for the obligation arising from this rental contract.

5. Terms of payment

- a) 50% of the entire amount upon receipt of invoice
- b) 50% by 30 June 2023
- All payments must be received before the start date of the symposium.
- c) For other additional services, payments must be made in full, in advance, when placing orders for services
- d) Payment by the stipulated date is a prerequisite condition for the Exhibitor's participation in the congress and use of the stand.

e) In the event of default of payment by the stipulated date in (a), the Exhibitor's or sponsor's application shall be deemed to be cancelled and the 50% deposit forfeited; and (b), the Organiser shall reserve the right to claim all payment due from the defaulting Exhibitor or sponsor. The Exhibitor or Sponsor shall not be entitled to any form of compensation whatsoever, whether for loss of profits or otherwise.

6.Cancellations

The Exhibitor or Sponsor will not be permitted to withdraw from, cancel, alter or reduce in any way their booking of the congress. However, the Organiser may consider special cases and in their sole discretion grant partial refunds according to how many months/weeks prior to the start of the congress that the proposed withdrawal or change is made known to the Organiser in writing. The Organiser shall retain

- a) 10% of the agreed package amount if the cancellation is made before 27 January 2023
- b) 50% of the agreed package amount if the cancellation is made between 28 January 2023 and 26 May 2023.
- c) 100% of the agreed package amount if the cancellation is made after 26 May 2023

7. Movement of exhibits

- a) The Exhibitor shall bear the responsibility and expenses for transport of exhibits to the congress venue.
- b) The Exhibitor shall make their own arrangements for the storage and ware housing of the exhibits, subject to the approval of the Organiser.
- c) The Exhibitor shall submit a list of exhibits to the Organiser at least ten days prior to the start of the congress.
- d) No exhibits or other goods will be permitted to leave the congress venue. The Exhibitor shall indemnify the Organiser against any loss or damages due to delay or damage to the congress venue.

8. Security & Insurance

The Organiser, its directors, trustees, offices, employees, agents and representations, will not be responsible for the safety of articles of any kind brought into the congress by the Exhibitor or Sponsor, their employees, agents or contractors, members of the public or any person whosoever. Exhibitors shall ensure that they are fully covered by Insurance and take out public liability and comprehensive protection. The period of Insurance shall be from the time the Exhibitor first enters the congress hall until all his exhibits have been properly removed to the satisfaction of the Organiser. The Exhibitor shall indemnify and hold the Organiser, its directors, trustees, offices, employees, agents and representations, harmless with respect to all costs, claims, liabilities, losses, demands, proceedings and expenses to which the Organiser, its directors, trustees, offices, employees, agents and representations may in any way be subject (including but not limited to members of the public, the staff of the local authorities, or the Organiser of Exhibitors' staff, agents or contractors) caused as a result of any act of omission of the Exhibitor, co-exhibitor, sponsor, representatives, employees, agents, contractors or invitees. If the Organiser so demands, the Exhibitor shall provide proof to the Organiser that the Exhibitor has adequate insurance coverage. The Organiser shall not in any event be held responsible for any loss or damages whatsoever (including loss of profits suffered by the exhibitor) as a result of any restrictions or conditions which prevent construction, completion, alteration or dismantling, or for the failure of any service normally provided at the listed congress ground, for the cancellation or part-time opening of the congress either as a whole or in part, or for amendments or alterations tall or any of the 'Terms & Conditions for Participation' caused by any circumstance not within their control.

9. Security Responsibility

During all periods, security of exhibits, stands and furniture is wholly the responsibility of the Exhibitor, his agent or contractor and the Organiser, its directors, trustees, offices, employees, agents and representations shall not be responsible for any losses, damages to property or injuries to person incurred.

10. Damage to venue

The exhibitor shall take good care of and shall not cause any damage or permit or suffer any damage to be done to the congress venue or to any part or parts thereof or to any fittings, equipment or other property therein, and shall make good and pay for damages thereto (including accident damage and damage by fire) caused by act or omission of himself, employees, co-exhibitors, agents, representatives, contractors or persons by reason of the use of the congress venue by the Exhibitor. If the Organiser so demands, the Exhibitor shall insure the venue for any damage and send the insurance documents to the Organiser.

11. Indemnity of the Organiser/ show manager

Under no circumstances shall the Organiser make good or accept any responsibility or liability however arising with respect to damage, theft or loss of any property, goods, articles or things however placed, deposited. Brought into or left upon the premise either by the Exhibitor for his use or purpose or by any other person, and the Exhibitor must indemnify the Organiser, its employees, agents and offices in respect thereof.



TERMS & CONDITIONS

12. Compliance with laws

Exhibitors shall comply with all the rules, regulations and laws imposed or laid down or prescribed in the future by the government, public authorities and owners or managers of the congress venue for all purposes concerned with the implementation of these regulations, of the regulations and stipulations laid down or prescribed in the future by the Organiser by virtue thereof, and of all other contracts relating to the congress the Exhibitor shall be deemed to be domicited at the office of the Organiser in Brussels. Without prejudice to the powers of the parties to enter into a general or limited arbitration agreement, all disputes arising from the Exhibitor's participation, from the enforcement of these regulations, or from any other contracts relating to the congress, including the Terms & Conditions for Participation' stated herein, or by virtue of regulations or stipulations laid down or prescribed by the Organiser, shall be governed and construed accordingly and the Exhibitor hereby submits to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts. Where disputes arise concerning interpretation, the English text of these 'Terms & Conditions for Participation' shall be deemed to be final.

13. Supplementary clauses

Whenever necessary to ensure the smooth management of the congress, the Organiser shall have the right to issue Supplementary regulations and instructions in addition to those in the Terms & Conditions for Participation'. All such additional written instructions form a part of the 'Terms & Conditions for Participation' and are binding on all Exhibitors.

14. Infringement of 'Terms & Conditions for Participation'

The infringement of the above-mentioned 'Terms & Conditions for Participation', and any other future rules and regulations determined by the Organiser, will result in the exclusion of the Exhibitor from the congress, and the Exhibitor shall have no right to claim compensation or demand refund on any payments already processed, losses or expenses, nor shall the Exhibitor be released from their contractual obligation to pay.

15. Unforeseen Occurrences

In the event of any occurrence not foreseen in these Terms & Conditions for Participation', the decision of the Organiser shall be final.

16. Data Processing Agreement - Data Controller to Data Controller

Between MCI Benelux SA, Avenue des Arts 47, 1000 Brussels, Belgium, Independent Data Controller and The exhibitor/ sponsor of the Dioxin congress and exhibition 2023, also Independent Data Controller, both collectively referred to as the "Parties" or individually a "Party".

a). Subject of the Agreement

This Data Processing Agreement (DPA), forms part of the Master Services Agreement and all applicable orders between both parties for Exhibiting &/or sponsoring the Dioxin congress and exhibition 2023.

As part of their contractual relationship, the parties undertake to comply with the regulations in effect applicable to personal data processing and in particular, Regulation (EU) 2016/679 applicable from 25 May 2018 (hereinafter the "General Data Protection Regulation" or "GDPR").

Under the terms of this rider, the following terms are defined as follows as per the Art. 4 of GDPR: «personal data» means any Information relating to an identified or identifiable natural person («data subject»); an identifiable natural person Is one who can be identified, directly or indirectly, in particular by reference to an identifier such as a name, an identification number, location data, an online identifier or to one or more factors specific to the physical, physiological, genetic, mental, economic, cultural or social identity of that natural person; «processing» means any operation or set of operations which is performed on personal data or on sets of personal data, whether or not by automated means, such as collection, recording, organisation, structuring, storage, adaptation or alteration, retrieval, consultation, use, disclosure by transmission, dissemination or otherwise making available, alignment or combination, restriction, erasure or destruction; "controller" means the natural legal person, public authority, agency or other body which, alone or jointly with others, determines the purposes and means of the processing of personal data; where the purposes and means of such processing are determined by Union or Member State law, the controller or the specific criteria for its nomination may be provided for by Union or Member State law. "processor" means or legal natural person, public authority, agency or other body which processes personal data on behalf of the controller.

b). Role of the Parties

Each party acts as an independent controller with respect to its processing of personal data in connection with this Agreement. Each party will comply with its respective obligations under applicable data protection laws with respect to its processing of such personal data. To the extent that either party provides personal data to the other party pursuant to this Agreement, the party supplying the personal data confirms that it has consent or another legal basis to provide the personal data to the receiving party and for the receiving party to process the personal data consistent with this Agreement, and in accordance with its applicable privacy policy. For clarity, nothing in this Agreement limits a party's ability to use an individual's personal data to the extent directed by, consented to or requested by such individual. In the event that either Party is established in the European Economic Area or the United Kingdom and Transfers Personal Data to the other Party outside of the EEA, and no lawful alternative basis for such Transfer applies, such Transfer shall be governed by the Standard Contractual Clauses, the terms of which are hereby incorporated into this DPA (Annex I).

c) Limitation of liability

Each Party's liability arising out of or related to this DPA, whether in contract, tort or under any other theory of liability, is subject to any limitation of liability as set forth in the Agreement and any reference to such limitation of liability of a Party means the aggregate liability of the Party under the Agreement and this DPA together. Additionally, each Party shall be independently liable for its own Processing of Personal Data to the extent such Processing does not comply with Data Protection Laws and Regulations.

d) Termination and survival

The Parties agree that this DPA is terminated upon the termination of the Master Services Agreement.



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10-14 SEPTEMBER MAASTRICHT, THE NETHERLANDS

43rd International Symposium on Halogenated Persistent Organic Pollutants