### **General Terms and Conditions**

# of the Agency Contract for the procurement of Incoming/Inbound Agency Services for Client in the business to business marketplace (B2B) Provisions for the contractual relationship between LIBERTY INTERNATIONAL TOURISM GROUP and its

companies:

and its clients.

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#### 1. Contract Design

1.1. The General Terms and Conditions set forth in this agreement (hereinafter referred to as "Agency GTC") shall apply to all and any contracts between Liberty Holding ... - a destination management company (so called DMC) - (hereinafter referred to as "Agency") and its customers - (travel) organisers - (hereinafter referred to as "Client") with the subject of the contract being Agency's assignment with the procurement of services from providers (i.e. location managers, hotels, caterer, artists, advertising partners) for the scope of the administrative conception, planning, organisation, coordination and execution of a (travel) event in Agency's location of business operation/destination (hereinafter referred to as "Inland"), whereby event participants from foreign countries travel to the Inland in order to participate in the event. Agency will, in the course of the aforementioned, function in a role as an agency by procuring (touristic) event related services in Inland and/or abroad and will act on behalf of Client and securing potentially required permits in Client's name. Client shall be the direct contractual partner for the service providers as well as administrative and regulatory authorities.

**1.2.** The Agency GTC shall prevail the contractual relationships with companies in the business-tobusiness (B2B) marketplace. Enterprises are natural or legal entities or business partnerships between natural and/or legal persons, vested with legal capacity, who in the course of a legal transaction act within and for the execution of their commercial or professional activity, in particular companies, merchants, corporate bodies under public law and special assets under public law.

**1.3.** Any and all contractual relationships shall be formed solely on the basis of the Agency GTC set forth in this blanket agreement. Supplemental terms and conditions of Client and/or those conflicting with the Agency GTC shall only become valid upon Agency's clear and written consent.

**1.4.** In case Agency and Client will, in form of an agency contract or an appendix to such agency contract, conclude an agreement on terms and conditions deviating from the Agency GTC set forth in this blanket agreement, such specific provisions shall take precedence over the respective provisions of the Agency GTC. Any conclusion of contracts between Agency and Client with regards to the mutual services to be performed as well as modifications and/or amendments thereto shall require the written form.

#### 2. Contract Conclusion

**2.1.** Agency's respective cost specifications and estimates, which contain a description of services as

**2.2.** Cost estimates and specifications of Agency shall be a basis for negotiation and represent a request to Client for making an offer that will be subject to acceptance by Agency.

**2.3.** By booking services stated in Agency's cost specification and estimate, Client is making a binding offer to Agency for the conclusion of an agency contract (hereinafter referred to as "Agency Contract"). Client is required to make a booking in writing (via facsimile, via e-mail, via letter). The services and cost specifications provided to Client by Agency shall form the basis for the contract offer by Client.

**2.4.** Agency's acceptance of the contract offer made by Client shall require Agency to provide to Client, in written form (via facsimile, via e-mail, via letter),

a) a concrete individual contract, or

b) a booking confirmation.

The Agency Contract and any appendix referenced therein shall come into effect with either the execution of the contract by both parties signing or already with the transmission of the booking confirmation by Agency in accordance with **2.4 lit. b**.

**2.5.** In the event that the subject matter and terms of the individual contract or the booking confirmation deviate from Client's initial offer, such new provisions shall represent a new offer made to Client by Agency, and an Agency Contract on the basis of the new offer shall come into effect upon Client's acceptance of the new offer by either signing the Agency Contract or confirming the booking confirmation in writing.

#### 3. Agency Services

**3.1.** Agency is obligated to protect the organisational and economic interests of Client and to actively procure the contractually agreed services. In concluding contracts on behalf of Client, Agency will also take into consideration the commercial interests of Client. Agency will therefore take on its agency duties in the destination management area in accordance with the contractually agreed services carefully and professionally. Nature and scope of the services to be performed by Agency shall be in accordance with Agency's services and cost specifications in the form and to the extent that they constitute the contractual basis.

**3.2.** Agency is not an organiser and not a travel organiser in particular, but rather assumes the role of a DMC - a destination management company in accordance with **section 1.1** of the Agency GTC - for the procurement of activities/ services specified in the Agency Contract. Agency, in the course of the performance of its duties under the Agency Contract, enters on Client's behalf (as an agent) and on Cli-



ent's account into agreements with the respective service providers (i.e. location hosts, hotels, caterers, artists, advertising partners) and will, insofar as contractually agreed, secure on Client's behalf (as an agent) and on Client's account any required regulatory permits. Agency's duties do not include the organisation of the event with regards to subjectmatter expertise or content, which shall be the sole responsibility of the organiser. Client shall be the direct contractual partner for the service providers as well as administrative and regulatory authorities.

**3.3** With regards to the specification of touristic classification of accommodations in the services and cost list, such designation of classification will pertain to country/ destination specific classifications as long as no other classification is stated by Agency during the course and within the extent of its procurement activities.

**3.4.** With regards to hotel bookings, it shall not be assumed that facilities are handicapped accessible unless clearly indicated. Bookings of handicapped accessible rooms will be made solely upon the written request by Client and the written confirmation by Agency to carry out such bookings, as long as such provisions have not already been agreed upon by both parties in the services and cost specification. Consideration of a request for handicapped accessible rooms that deviates from the services and cost specification under the Agency Contract or was expressed after contract conclusion is subject to the hotels' power of disposition and authorization to warrant such accommodation.

**3.5.** Consideration of any special requests for rooms, beds or facilities that differ from the specification in the services and cost list are subject to the hotels' power of disposition and authorization to warrant such services and cannot be guaranteed by Agency.

#### 4. Obligations of Client

**4.1.** Client is obligated to fulfil the contracts, which Agency concluded in Client's name and on Client's account, with due care. Client is further obligated to promptly notify Agency in writing of any changes or news that are of importance for the event organisation, coordination and execution.

**4.2.** In the event that a service provider may directly approach Client with regards to the responsibilities and services covered by this agreement, Client shall be obligated to refer the service provider directly to Agency and to leave further contract and organisational negotiations to Agency.

**4.3.** Client, as the organiser, shall assume the typical organisational duties and liabilities, in particular

a) the payment of possible taxes and other dues, in particular artist social security and

foreign resident tax, insofar as such contributions are to be made according to respective applicable laws,

- b) the payment of royalties to copyright collecting societies for the performance of proprietary works, insofar as such royalties are compulsory under the respective applicable law (in particular but not limited to GEMA in Germany, AKM in Austria and SUISA in Switzerland),
- c) the acquisition of event organiser liability coverage.

It is the sole responsibility of Client to secure, in a timely manner, any and all required regulatory permits and/or submissions and registrations, insofar as these are not already part of the subject matter of the contract. Client shall promptly report to Agency any municipal regulations or ordinances which may be imposed.

**4.4.** Client guarantees Agency to designate a competent contact person available to Agency during the event planning, execution and post-processing phases. This designated contact person shall be authorized to, on behalf of Client, make or receive to and from Agency any statements or notifications.

#### 5. Rights of Agency

**5.1.** Agency has the right to represent Client within the scope of the contract and to negotiate and to enter into legally binding contracts (for example with regards to location, catering, technical equipment, sponsoring, advertising) on Client's behalf (Authority to Negotiate and Contract).

**5.2.** In case of the collecting power being granted to Agency, Agency shall be allowed to collect money from the enforcement of claims on a specific project account in trust (Trust Account).

**5.3.** In case of Agency receiving an advancement of the compensation according to **section 8.3** of the Agency-GTC herein, Agency shall be entitled to open sub-accounts to its business account onto which compensation advancements are credited.

**5.4.** Agency can perform its services personally, through employees or freelancers or sub-contractors (Delegation Authority).

#### 6. Rights of Client

**6.1.** Client shall have the right to disclosure of and insight into all legal and business matters under this contract at any point in time.

**6.2.** Client has the right to be involved in significant planning, organisation and realisation phases (Participation and Co-Determination Rights), provided that it does not constitute an impediment to Agency

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in its fulfilment of duties and responsibilities under and in accordance with the contract.

#### 7. Special Duties to Notify and Cooperate

**7.1.** Client shall inform Agency in case that not all required event documentation (i.e. travel documents such as tickets and hotel vouchers) has been received within the time period stated by Agency. Client is obligated to verify the transmitted event documentation on its correctness and completeness, in particular with regards to compliance with the bookings. Client is further obligated to promptly notify Agency of any potential discrepancies, missing documentation or other inconsistencies. In the event that Client fails to fulfil such duties by negligence or within due time, Client shall be deemed jointly responsible and liable for any damages arising as a consequence.

**7.2.** It is the sole responsibility of Client to inform its (travel) participants of any passport, visa and health provisions as well as any potential modifications thereof in a timely manner before the start of the event.

**7.3.** Client shall inform its participants/ travellers that Agency is not the event organiser, in particular not the travel organiser, and that in fact Client itself is the event organiser.

**7.4.** Client shall further inform its participants / travellers that

- any additional services on-site not included in the services specification of Agency (such as visitor's tax, miscellaneous local fees, parking, and so forth) will have to be incurred by the participants themselves. Agency is not a (travel) organiser and will not incur any of such cost.
- b) local service providers may insist on credit card guarantees or cash deposits. Client will be informed thereof by Agency in advance and due time.

#### 8. Compensation

**8.1.** With the total cost agreed upon by both parties all industry typical expenditures of Agency, in particular as a procurer, are deemed accounted and compensated for. Client shall bear any other additional cost (i.e. for print, postage, or courier).

**8.2.** In the event that Client modifies or terminates plans, works and such, outside of the running organisation, coordination and execution, Client will have to reimburse Agency for all additionally incurred cost and to release Agency from any obligations towards third parties.

**8.3.** Agency is entitled to request advance/down payments, which are determined by both parties on

the basis of individual contracts, and which will be offset with regards to the total compensation. Client acknowledges that the agreed Agency Services can only be taken on after receipt of the agreed advance/ down payment. In case Client does not pay the agreed cost advancement/down payment in due time, Agency is entitled to an immediate suspension of the Agency Services without warning.

8.4. Agency can separately bill to Client any cost of transportation and accommodation for travel scheduled under the Agency Contract. Reimbursable are cost for cab rides, train rides in first class, business air travel and four-star hotels. Upgrades are permitted if the price of a comparable ride, flight or room does not exceed the price of the aforementioned respective categories. In case of utilization of one's own passenger car, an amount of 0,30 EUR per kilometre can be assessed. Travel abroad requires the consent of Client in order to be able to be billed. Daily Rates for the personal presence of Agency or its employees on-site for inspection of the event location or for its presence during the event can be billed separately to Client, insofar as such cost are not already included in the total compensation.

#### 9. Substitute Participants, Rebooking

**9.1.** Client shall be at liberty to notify Agency of any changes to names and persons of its participants/travellers up to the start date of the event or travel and to arrange with Agency to have, in Client's name, the requested changes being executed on the part of the respective service provider, insofar that the respective service provider agrees to the change, the substitute participants/travellers comply with the special event/ travel requirements and the participation of the substitute participants/travellers is not opposed to by any statutory provision or regulation. Client shall incur any additional cost arising from the aforementioned changes on part of the service provider. Any additional cost arising from such changes on part of Agency shall also be incurred by Client and can be assessed by Agency with a flat charge of 30 EUR per person. The proof that expenses incurred are of a lesser amount shall be at the liberty of both parties. The enforcement of claims for further damages shall not be excluded by the aforementioned flat charge.

**9.2.** Further special requests of Client after contract conclusion, in particular for rebooking with regards to service date, scope and location of services, accommodation, and transportation, will be passed on to the service provider for a decision. The decision on granting such special requests does not lie within Agency's authority and responsibility, but instead is subject to the service provider's authority and responsibility.

#### 10. Due Date, Payment Terms and Default



**10.1.** The contractually agreed compensation will be invoiced to Client, and payments are to be made in compliance with the specifications in the invoices. Invoiced amounts are to be transferred to Agency's accounts, no discounts for early payments applied, within 10 days unless otherwise stated in the respective invoice.

**10.2.** Unless otherwise agreed upon in individual contracts, the invoiced amount will be due for payment in full (100%).

**10.3.** The invoiced amounts are in Euro (EUR), unless otherwise agreed upon and stated, and contain, insofar as required, the statutory value added tax according to the taxation rate applicable on the date of performance of services. Client shall consider and assume responsibility for any potential bank fees incurred in connection with payments, including but not limited to bank or currency fees as well as currency fluctuations.

**10.4.** In case Client does not make the advance payments or payment of the complete and remaining amount respectively within the agreed time period,

- a) Agency shall be entitled to the legally applicable interest for default even without issuing any further demand notices for payment.
- b) Agency shall further be entitled, even without admonition, to deny the performance of its services and, after setting a time limit, to withdraw from the contract if and to the extent that services have not yet been provided, in which case Agency shall be entitled to charge Client cancellation fees in accordance with **sections 13.3 through 13.6**.

**10.5.** Agency shall have the right to retain shares/ compensation to which it is entitled by offsetting such against any amounts payable according to accounting practices.

#### 11. Advertising/ Photo and Image Rights

**11.1.** Client shall make available to Agency all materials necessary for Agency to provide or perform the contractually agreed services, including, but not limited to, advertising materials, company logo, event logo, photos, videos, and press releases, free of third party rights, and will upon request provide further information regarding the event as well as concrete program content. Client guarantees that potentially required rights have been obtained. *Sections 12.5* and *19.1* prevail.

**11.2.** Client will upon prior consultation appoint Agency as the responsible event agency within the scope of the event.

**11.3.** Agency shall be entitled during the course of the event to advertise and promote to a reasonable extent.

**11.4.** Agency is allowed, for reference purposes, to use results of works in excerpts for internal use as well as the name and logo of Client.

**11.5.** Agency will neither produce nor make use of any photos or videos of the event, unless explicitly agreed by both parties in writing, for example for the purpose of documentation or self-publication as work reference.

#### 12. Liability

**12.1.** In case of breach of contractual and noncontractual duties and responsibilities, both parties to this contract shall be liable in accordance with the pertinent statutory provisions, as long as not otherwise determined by the Agency Contract and the Agency GTC.

**12.2.** Agency shall be held liable for damage compensation - irrespective of legal basis - only in case of deliberate intent or gross negligence by Agency or its legal representatives and vicarious agents. In cases of ordinary negligence on the part of Agency, its legal representatives or vicarious agents, Agency shall only be held liable for

- a) loss of life, bodily injury and damages to health, as well as
- b) damages resulting out of the breach of substantial duties under the contract (duties whose fulfilment makes the contract execution possible in the first place, and where the compliance with such contract duties the other party to the contract shall and will constantly trust in); in this case, liabilities of Agency shall be limited to predictable, typically occurring damages.

**12.3.** The release from liability under **section 12.2** shall also apply to liabilities of legal representatives and vicarious agents of Agency.

**12.4.** The limitations of liability under **section 12.2** shall not apply if and to the extent to which Agency or its representatives maliciously concealed a defect or incurred a guarantee for the constitution of the works/ services. The same shall apply to the claims of Client in accordance with the law on product liability.

**12.5.** Client shall release Agency irrevocably from any liabilities that arise out of the materials provided by Client under **section 11.1** infringing upon the rights of third parties (in particular intellectual property rights, photo/image and personality rights, rights on trademarks and competition) or other statutory provisions.



**12.6.** Client shall provide for sufficient event organiser's liability coverage with regards to the event under the contract.

#### **13. Event Cancellation/ Postponement, Cancella**tions

**13.1.** In case that the event cannot take place due to force majeure, both parties to the contract shall be released from their duties under the contract and each party will bear their cost incurred until then, with the exception of unavoidable cost due to cancellation or termination (cancellation or termination fees) that are payable to third parties. The aforementioned cost will have to be paid by Client. "Force majeure" shall in no case include non-appearance of individual performing artists or the late arrival of one or more participants as well as bad weather, such as ice, snow and storms.

**13.2.** Should Client decide not to execute or to postpone the event due to justifiable reasons outside of **section 13.1**, Client shall promptly notify Agency in writing and declare the respective withdrawal from the contract in writing. In that case Client shall be obligated to compensate Agency for damages less the saved expenditures. In case of Agency's equal responsibility/ contributory negligence with regards to the event cancellation or postponement according to sentence 1, Agency should receive a lesser damage compensation amount to the extent of the mutual accountability.

**13.3.** Agency structured the claim for compensation under **section 13.2** staggered according to time, in consideration of the proximity of point in time to the contractually agreed start of the performance of services, compound as a percentage of the agreed price and taking into account the with calculation of damages usual saved expenditures and potential ulterior utilization of services. Concrete lumps-sum cancellation fees and deadlines (Cancellation) can differ depending on the service and will be determined with Client in the Agency Contract on individual contract basis or individually in the booking confirmation.

**13.4.** Agency reserves the right to claim a higher concrete compensation, instead of the aforementioned flat fees for cancellation under **section 13.3**, insofar as Agency provides proof that it has incurred expenses significantly higher than the respective flat charge. In this case, Agency shall be obligated to provide a concrete number and verification of the claimed compensation, in consideration of saved expenditures and a potential ulterior utilization of the services.

**13.5.** In case of partial cancellations, both parties will determine the new price to be set out in writing, in

consideration of mutual interests and respective possibilities. If an agreement cannot be reached, partial cancellations shall then be regarded as a total cancellation so that the cancellation fees according to **section 13.3** shall be applied.

**13.6.** Client shall remain at liberty to prove that no damage was incurred due to cancellation, or a damage of lesser extent than the assessed flat charge in accordance with *section 12.3* in the Agency Contract.

## 14. Withdrawal due to Insufficient Number of Participants

**14.1.** In case of services with a contractually agreed minimum number of participants, Client shall be entitled to withdraw from the contract due to the intended minimum number of participants not being attained.

**14.2.** Withdrawal from the contract shall be declared to Agency immediately and in writing, unless agreed otherwise in individual contracts. Performed services shall be granted back. *Sections 13.2* through 13.6 apply accordingly.

#### **15. Unutilized Services**

Should Client not make use of certain individual services that were offered to Client accordingly, due to reasons attributable to Client, Client shall have no right to claim a pro rata reimbursement with regards to the respective incurred price. Agency will make due effort to obtain reimbursement of saved expenses from its service providers, unless the respective services can be deemed insignificant or in the event that statutory or regulatory provisions oppose a reimbursement.

#### **16. Termination**

**16.1.** An unrestricted right of termination shall be excluded.

**16.2.** The right to extraordinary termination for both parties shall not be affected thereof. Agency shall be entitled to such right in particular if

- a) the agreed compensation is not being paid by Client in due time.
- b) individual participants of the event, in disregard of warnings by Agency, are significantly disturbing the execution of the event or if their behaviour is violating contractual terms and provisions in such a manner that the immediate termination of the contract is justified.
- c) insolvency proceedings over Client's assets were opened or the opening of insolvency proceedings was refused due to a lack of assets.

Should Agency terminate on the basis of the aforementioned, Agency shall however retain its claim for

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compensation but has to credit Client for the saved expenditures as well as for the advantages from an ulterior utilization of unused services.

#### **17. Confidentiality**

Both parties pledge to treat as strictly confidential all information that has become known during the engagement of the parties under this contract, such as business relationships and other business/ commercial facts, budget negotiations and guest data. The obligation to confidentiality shall also apply after termination of the contractual relationship.

#### **18. Principles of Loyal Collaboration**

**18.1.** For the purpose of fulfilling the contract, both parties will work together cooperatively and loyally and will promptly inform each other in case of any significant changes.

**18.2.** Any disputes will be resolved in a fair manner with the goal of a mutual and amicable solution.

## **19. Contract Penalties / Flat Compensation for Damages**

**19.1.** In the event of a culpable breach of **section 11** by Client, Agency shall be entitled to a contract penalty in the amount of  $3,000 \in$  for each culpable breach of photo and image rights, whereby each singular act shall be deemed an individual infringement (exclusion of the continuation connection).

**19.2.** In the event of a culpable breach of contract confidentiality by Client under **section 17**, Agency shall be entitled to a contract penalty in the amount 10% of the contract offer volume, as basis for assessment, for each event, whereby each singular act shall be deemed an individual infringement (exclusion of the continuation connection).

**19.3.** In the event of any other culpable breach of contract by Client, Agency shall be entitled to a contract penalty in the amount 10% of the contract offer volume, as basis for assessment, for each event, whereby each singular act shall be deemed an individual infringement(exclusion of the continuation connection).

**19.4.** Both parties shall remain at liberty to prove a lesser damage with regards to the aforementioned cases under **sections 19.1 through 19.3**. The aforementioned flat charge assessments for damage compensation shall not exclude the enforcement of further damages.

#### 20. Offsetting, Withholding Rights

**20.1.** Client shall be entitled to offsetting rights against Agency only if Client's counter claims have been established as legally binding, are undisputed or have been recognised by Agency.

**20.2.** Client may only exercise withholding rights if its counterclaim is based on this contract.

#### 21. Contract Language

**21.1.** Contract language is English, unless otherwise agreed upon by both parties in writing.

**21.2.** Organisation in local destinations where the contractually agreed services are performed shall be possible to be conducted in the respective language, unless otherwise contractually agreed.

#### 22. Applicable Law, Jurisdiction

**22.1.** The contractual relationship shall be subject to the laws of the country/ territory where the contracted services are being performed or provided, unless otherwise contractually agreed.

**22.2.** Place of fulfilment for all obligations under the contract shall be the country/ territory where the contracted services are being performed or provided, unless otherwise contractually agreed. Insofar as no legal provisions imperatively stipulate a different place of jurisdiction according to the respective relevant law, both parties shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts in the country/ territory where the contracted services are being performed or provided.

#### 23. Data Collection, Processing and Use

The fulfilment of business obligations under the contract will also entail the collection, processing and use of personal data submitted, in accordance with the relevant legal provisions of the country/ territory where the data was collected, processed and used.

#### 24. Concluding Provisions

In the event that certain clauses of the Agency-GTC are invalid or should become invalid, they will be replaced by the applicable regulatory provision from which they deviate.

#### (As of: Oct. 2016)