

EXHIBITOR APPOINTED CONTRACTORS (EAC) GUIDELINES

Please complete and return both EAC forms

Viper Tradeshow Services, acting on behalf of all exhibitors and in the best interest of the exposition, has appointed Official Service Contractors to perform and provide necessary services and equipment.

Official Service Contractors are appointed to: ensure the orderly and efficient installation and removal of the overall exposition, assure the distribution of labor to all exhibitors according to need, provide sufficient labor to satisfy the requirements of the exhibitors, and for the exposition itself, see that proper type and limits of insurance are in force, and avoid any conflict with local union and/or exhibit hall regulations and requirements.

The Official Service Contractors will provide all usual trade show services, including labor. Exceptions are: the exhibitor may provide supervision; exhibitor may appoint an exhibit installation contractor or display builder.

Exhibitors may employ the service of independent contractors to install and dismantle their display, providing the exhibitor and the installation and dismantling contractor comply with the following requirements:

1. Exhibitor must notify in writing to Viper Tradeshow Services the intention to utilize an independent contractor (EAC) no later than 14 days prior to the first move-in day, furnishing the name, address and telephone number of the firm.
2. Exhibitor shall provide evidence that the EAC has a proper certificate of insurance with a minimum of \$1,000,000 liability coverage, including property damage and Workers' Compensation naming Viper Tradeshow Services as additionally insured, to show managers and Viper Tradeshow Services at least 10 days before the show opening.
3. Exhibitor agrees that they are ultimately responsible for all services in connection with their exhibit, including freight, drayage, rentals and labor.
4. The EAC must have all business licenses, permits and Workers' Compensation insurance required by the state and city governments and the convention facility management prior to commencing work, and shall provide Show Management with evidence of compliance.
5. The EAC will provide Viper Tradeshow Services the number of on-site employees at the time of check-in and see that they have, and wear at all times necessary, identification badges as determined by Show Management.
6. The EAC shall be prepared to show evidence that it has valid authorization from the exhibitor for services. The EAC may not solicit business on the exhibit floor.
7. The EAC must confine its operations to the exhibit area of its clients. No service desk, storage areas or other work facilities will be located anywhere in the building. The show aisles and public spaces are not a part of the exhibitor's booth space.
8. The EAC shall provide, if requested, evidence to Viper Tradeshow Services that it possesses applicable and current labor contracts and must comply with all labor agreements and practices. The EAC must not commit or allow to be committed by persons in its employment any acts that could lead to work stoppages, strikes or labor problems.
9. The exposition floor, aisles, loading docks, service and storage areas will be under the control of the official service contractor, Viper Tradeshow Services. The exhibitor appointed contractor must coordinate all of its activities with Viper Tradeshow Services.
10. For services such as electrical, plumbing, telephone, cleaning and drayage, no contractor other than the official service contractor will be approved. This regulation is necessary because of licensing, insurance and work done on equipment and facilities owned by parties other than the exhibitor. Exhibitors shall provide only the material and equipment they own and is to be used in their exhibit space.

I have read the Exhibitor Appointed Contractors section of this manual and understand the terms and conditions. I understand that all the contractors listed above must be approved by Viper Tradeshow Services. I understand it is my responsibility to see that each representative from any EAC for my company abides by the rules and regulations of the event. I also understand that any EAC listed above that is not approved by Viper Tradeshow Services will not be permitted on the floor.

Name: Lily Feinman
Company: Reliable Automatic Sprinkler Co. Inc. Date: 07/11/2023
Signature: *Lily Feinman*