

# **CIVIC CENTRE TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

- 1. A Buy Out of The Civic Centre entitles the client to have full access to all our spaces and display their branding and decoration as approved and deemed appropriate/suitable on the day of their event. Payment for the Grand Banquet Hall only covers access to decorating/branding inside the hall, the outer foyer on the second floor and the ground floor reception area, If the Client would like to decorate/brand the outdoor walkway by the entrance (red tiles) please speak to any member of our team for a concessionary rate for the exclusive use of the facility. Payment for the Panoramic View Hall only covers access to decorating/branding inside the hall side landing on the 1st floor. Payment for Meeting Rooms 1 and 2 only covers access to decorating/branding inside the respective halls, the hall side landing on the 1st floor. Payment for the Waterfront only covers access to decorating and branding the waterfront area (blue roof) and the red tiles by the guest bathroom outside.
- 2. The entrance stairs are not exclusive to one hall; they will be shared by all clients if multiple halls have been booked on the same day. Clients are only allowed to set up on the red tiles walkway if they have bought out the civic centre.
- 3. The Civic Centre requires a **75% deposit** within **7 days** of an invoice being sent to secure your booking. Your booking will only be confirmed after receipt of payment and confirmation. Balance shall be paid in full no less than 30 calendar days to the event. The above notwithstanding, any booking done less than 30 days to the event shall be paid in full. If full payment is not made within 30 days to the event, the Civic Centre reserves the right to allocate the facility booked to another party.
- 4. Any date change must be done no less than 60 days before the event subject to availability of the date, however, in the event of a date change made less than 60 days before the event, 50% of the amount paid on the Invoice would be forfeited, as the Civic Centre would have suffered a loss of income. Any date change made more than once before the event, after payment has been made regardless of the time/date of the event, will attract a surcharge of 50% of the amount paid on the invoice.
- 5. The Civic Centre operates a **no-refund policy for deposits** made for bookings. Any unutilized balance in favour of the client after all applicable deductions have been made shall be held as credit towards a subsequent booking for the client within 6 months of the cancellation, if unutilized within the specified time frame (6 months) the credit will be forfeited.

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- 6. Clients are liable for the handling and safety of their properties during the event, and any property left behind after their events, civic centre is not liable for any loss or damage of any properties brought onto our premises.
- 7. All events must end at 11pm unless you have booked and paid for the next day. Clients are only allowed to set up for events on the day of their booking, should they require more time for their set up they would be required to make payment, please speak with your respective client services manager regarding this arrangement.
- 8. Clients are only provided **8hrs uninterrupted generator service**, this is exclusive of 1hr sound testing and 1hr pre-cooling. Anything over the amount of time given will incur an extra hours rental fee. Unless otherwise stated by the client, the generator or ACs will not be switched on during set up only EKDC and fans will be provided. We do not permit extra ACs to be brought into our premises. We believe we've invested enough in our cooling systems to ensure this isn't needed. **Clients using the waterfront area are permitted to bring in their cooling systems. This will however incur extra charges.**
- 9. Clients are required to make a refundable vendor's caution deposit to cover the cost of any damage that the Client's vendors or guests may cause to the premises during the event and where the deposit is not enough to cover the cost of the damage, the Client shall be liable to make up the differential. The caution deposit covers the following:
  - **Food Vendors №**50,000
  - **Drink Vendors ¥**50,000
  - Changing Room Key ₦20,000

# **Deductions from the Caution Deposit:**

- If the cooking area used by the food or drink vendors is not cleaned after the event, the applicable deposit amount will be deducted.
- If the changing room key is lost or misplaced, the applicable fee will be deducted
- If chairs, decorations, or large items are left behind, causing a messy environment, the caution deposit will be retained.

If no damages, losses, or cleaning issues occur, the full caution deposit will be refunded within seven (7) working days after the event.

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- 10. Clients are required to tear down for their event before midnight, in the event their event ends at 11 pm, clients are required to tear down within 3hrs, to allow other vendors for the next day's event set up. If this is not done we charge a 500,000 naira late teardown fee. Vendors trucks and items will not be allowed to leave the premises until payment has been made.
- 11. For events with over 250 guests, clients shall register their events with the Lagos State Safety Commission through the Commission's website at <u>www.lasgsafetyreg.com</u> to obtain the required Event Safety Permit and provide this permit to the Civic Centre no later than 7 days prior to the event. The Civic Centre shall not be held responsible for any losses and/or cancellations arising from failure on the clients' part to register with the Lagos State Safety Commission, and no refund shall be made for such defaults. Accordingly, the Client indemnifies the Civic Centre against any claim or loss that may arise from failure to obtain the Event Safety Permit.
- 12. Notwithstanding the above, Civic Centre reserves the right to cancel a Client's booking without any liability if the Client breaches any of the Terms. The Civic Centre is also not liable if the cancellation is occasioned by a circumstance beyond the control of The Civic Centre including but not limited to government regulation, public order, pandemic, flood, picketing, insurrection, riots, strike, interference by government officials (whether legal or illegal), etc.
- 13. Civic Centre is granted the irrevocable right and unrestricted permission to publish, distribute or otherwise use the photographs that have been taken during events that occur on their property.

## 14. Scent Delivery Service Terms

- a. Clients are not allowed to request a new fragrance after the event has commenced and the hall fragrancing has begun.
- b. Clients may request a change in fragrance only up to 30 days before the event.
- c. If an event is cancelled by the client, no refund will be issued for the hall or the fragrance option
- d. At the end of the event, any leftover fragrance will be handed over to the client

## Please note, that payment confirms acceptance of the above terms and conditions.

### \*\*\*Please note that the prices of the halls are subject to change.

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