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EXHIBITOR
APPOINTED
CONTRACTOR

Wisconsin State Music Conference

Monona Terrace, October 29-30, 2009

AUTHORIZATION FORM

NAME OF SHOW _____

COMPANY NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE # _____ (STREET) _____ (CITY) _____ (STATE) _____ (ZIP)
FAX # _____

ORDERED BY _____ TITLE _____

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

If your company plans to use a contractor, which is not the official service contractor as designated by Show Management, please complete this form and mail to the address listed above.

Company Name: _____ Booth No: _____

Contact At Show: _____

Exhibitor Appointed Contractor: _____

Address of Contractor: _____

Type of Service to be performed: _____

Inform your **Exhibitor Appointed Contractor** that they **must** send a copy of their General Liability Insurance Certificate no later than **30 days** prior to the first day of exhibitor move-in or they will not be permitted to service your exhibit.

It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to see that each representative of an Exhibitor Appointed Contractor abides by the official rules and regulation of this event.

BOOTH NUMBER: _____

COMPANY NAME: _____



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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. The exhibitor must notify Show Management and Valley Expo & Displays of the intention to utilize an independent contractor no later than 30 days prior to the first day of move-in, furnishing the name, address and telephone number of the firm.
2. The Exhibitor shall provide evidence that the Exhibitor Appointed Contractor has proper certificates of insurance with at least the minimum as described below, unless Show Management requires more.
 - a. Comprehensive General Liability not less than \$1,000,000 with respect to injuries to any one person in an occurrence.
 - b. \$2,000,000 with respect to injuries to more than one person in any occurrence.
 - c. Workers' Compensation Insurance including employee liability coverage in the minimum amount not less than \$1,000,000 of individual and/or aggregate coverage and/or statutory limitation.
 - d. **Valley Expo & Displays and Show Management must be named as additional insureds.**
3. The exposition floor, aisles, loading docks, service and storage areas will be under the control of the Official Service Contractor, Valley Expo & Displays.
4. For services such as electrical, plumbing, telephone, and cleaning and drayage, no contractor other than the Official Service Contractor will be approved. This regulation is necessary 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.
5. The Exhibitor Appointed Contractor:
 - a. Must agree to abide by all rules and regulations of the show, as outlined in this exhibitor kit, including all union rules and regulations.
 - b. Will share with Valley Expo & Displays all reasonable costs related to its operation, including but not limited to overtime pay for stewards, restoration of exhibit space to its initial condition.
 - c. Must furnish Show Management and Valley Expo & Displays with the names of all on-site employees who will be working on the exposition floor and see that they have and wear at all times necessary identification badges as determined by Show Management.
 - d. Shall be prepared to show evidence that it has a valid authorization from the Exhibitor for services. The exhibitor Appointed Contractor may not solicit business on the exhibit floor.
 - e. Must confine its operations to the exhibit area of its clients. No service desks, storage areas, or other work facilities will be located anywhere in the building. The show aisles and public space are not a part of the Exhibitor's booth space and must be kept clear.
 - f. Shall provide, if requested, evidence to Valley Expo & Displays that it possesses applicable and current labor contracts and must comply with all labor agreements and practices. The Exhibitor Appointed Contractor must not commit or allow to be committed by persons in its employment any acts could lead to work stoppages, strikes, or labor problems.
 - g. Must coordinate all of its activities with Valley Expo & Displays.
 - h. Must comply with all reasonable rules and regulations of the venue, Show Management and Official Service Contractor in order to create a safe work environment. A failure to do so can result in a delay or termination of your right to continue if the condition cannot be corrected.
6. All information must be received by Valley Expo & Displays' office no later than 30 days prior to the first day of move-in.

