



General Terms and Conditions of ECE Rotterdam 2026 B.V.

1. Scope of Application

By registering to participate in the 66th European Commodities Exchange 2026 in Rotterdam, organised by ECE Rotterdam 2026 B.V. (hereinafter referred to as the “Exchange”), the participant acknowledges and accepts the binding validity of these General Terms and Conditions.

2. Conclusion of Contract

Registration for participation in the events organised by the Exchange, as well as the booking of exhibition spaces and trade fair stands (including any additional equipment offered), must be completed through the Exchange’s online portal.

The participant’s registration constitutes a binding offer. Acceptance takes place—subject to availability—at least in text form (by email or comparable electronic confirmation) through a confirmation from the Exchange.

In the case of limited capacity for participants, exhibition spaces, or trade fair stands (including additional equipment), registrations will be processed in the order received. There is no entitlement to participation.

3. Exhibition Spaces, Trade Fair Stands, Additional Equipment

When booking exhibition spaces, the Exchange provides the following services among others in addition to the exhibition area:

- Installation of electrical connections
- Supply of electricity (standard connection)
- Cleaning of exhibition spaces
- Provision of cloakrooms on the exhibition grounds
- Entry in the exhibitor directory

If standardised trade fair stands and/or additional equipment offered are booked, these will be provided in addition to the above-mentioned services.

4. Payment, Due Date, Invoice

The payment due date is specified on the invoice. If no due date is indicated, payment is due immediately upon receipt of the invoice.

The participant will be in default no later than 15 days after the invoice date. From that moment, statutory interest (Article 6:119 BW) will apply.

5. Rebooking, Cancellations

If the participant cannot attend, they may designate a replacement participant. Such rebooking must be communicated to the Exchange in text form (email or post) and directed to:

ECE Rotterdam 2026 B.V.

Phone: +31-10-4673188

Email: visitors@ece-rotterdam2026.eu

Cancellation of participant tickets, booked exhibition spaces, or trade fair stands (including additional equipment) is excluded. Fees remain payable in full, even in case of non-attendance. Credits or refunds for future events will not be granted.

The right to extraordinary termination remains unaffected for both parties. The Exchange may terminate extraordinarily, inter alia, if the participant fails to meet obligations despite reminder, or becomes insolvent or subject to bankruptcy. In such cases, paid amounts will not be refunded.

The right to claim damages remains unaffected.

6. Cancellation of Events

If the event is cancelled due to circumstances beyond the control of either party (e.g., force majeure), neither party is entitled to a refund claim against the other.

Force majeure includes, but is not limited to: war, national mourning, strikes, lockouts, civil unrest, terrorist acts, governmental measures, epidemics, pandemics, infectious diseases, or comparable events.

If one party receives insurance benefits or other compensation due to cancellation, a proportionate share must be passed on to the other party. Neither party is obliged to take out such insurance.

The above applies equally to modifications of the event.

7. Warranty / Right to Changes

The Exchange reserves the right to make changes to the event programme and procedures, provided these do not significantly impair the value of the event for participants.

8. Data Protection

The Exchange processes participant data in compliance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

Collected data includes: name, address, and contact details (email, phone). Data is used solely for the purposes of the contractual relationship and will not be shared with unauthorised third parties for commercial purposes.

Further details can be found in the Exchange's privacy policy: www.ece-rotterdam2026.eu/privacypolicy.

9. Photo and Film Recordings

During the event, photo and film recordings will be made for reporting and promotional purposes (print and online media, including websites and social media).

Participants and exhibitors may appear in such recordings, even in the background. By attending, the participant consents to such use.

10. Jurisdiction and Applicable Law

Unless the participant qualifies as a consumer, the exclusive jurisdiction shall be Rotterdam.

Dutch law applies, to the exclusion of the UN Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods (CISG).

11. Disclaimer of Liability

The Exchange is liable for damages only in cases of intent or gross negligence.

In cases of slight negligence, liability is limited to breaches of essential contractual obligations (cardinal duties). In such cases, liability is capped at foreseeable damages typical for the contract at the time of conclusion.

This limitation also applies to legal representatives and agents of the Exchange.

Liability for culpable injury to life, body, or health remains unaffected.

12. Severability Clause

Should any provision of these Terms be or become invalid, the validity of the remaining provisions shall not be affected. The invalid provision shall be replaced by one that best reflects its economic intent and purpose.

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