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| **Exhibition Name** | **Global Digital Trade Expo** |
| **Exhibition Date** | **25th – 29th September 2024** |
| **Organizer** | **ECDC** |

**Agreement:**

1. I hereby confirm that my company is established in South Africa and is export ready.
2. I confirm that I am able and capable to attend the event.
3. I confirm that I have read and fully understand the SSAS Emerging Exporters Guidelines:

<http://www.thedtic.gov.za/wp-content/uploads/SSAS_Emerging_Exporters_Guidelines.pdf>

and

<http://www.thedtic.gov.za/wp-content/uploads/SSAS_Interpretation-Note_01-of-2021_Annexure-A.pdf>

* 1. I confirm that I meet the qualifying criteria of the SSAS Emerging Exporters Guidelines.
  2. I confirm that I have read and understood the mandatory requirements as set out in the SSAS Emerging Exporters Guidelines.
  3. I further acknowledge and understand the limitations and exclusions for funding as set out in the SSAS Guidelines for Emerging Exporters.

1. If for any reason, I am unable to travel, I will inform ECDC immediately.
2. I am able and capable to attend the event/s applied for, before submitting any application.
3. I have ensured that I have equipped myself with relevant health precautions prior, during and after the event and Covid-19 travel requirements.
4. I fully agree to adhere to and meet all Covid-19 regulations and protocol for travelling and entering the hosting country and returning to South Africa.
5. I assume full responsibility for my health and infectious disease exposure, consequences and all costs relating to such and indemnify dtic, and the project co-ordinator of all responsibility and all related cost hereto.
6. I agree to personally cover all costs regarding Covid-19 testing as per hosting country regulations for travel, entry and exit and ALL additional costs relating to Covid-19 including health related expenses.
7. I hereby confirm that I have consulted websites and all relevant authorities including the World Health Organisation (WHO) alerts on international destination travel restrictions.
8. Should vaccination against Covid-19 or a negative PCR test be a requirement for travel, transit, and entry into the country where the exhibition will be held, that I comply to these requirements.
9. In the case where additional traveller(s) not sponsored by the dtic are accompanying me the exhibition, I will take full responsibility for ALL costs endured including Covid-19 related costs (testing and in the case of disease exposure and or consequences) and indemnify dtic and the project co-ordinator of all said and related costs and responsibility.
10. I understand and agree to the dtic generic and standard conditions:
    1. the dtic will not be responsible for additional expenses that may arise out of the lockdown restrictions that may be imposed by the host country or any relevant authority.
    2. the dtic will not be held responsible for any health-related expenses, suffered by the travellers.
    3. the dtic will only be responsible for the approved amount that covers the event/ exhibition as per the approved guidelines.
    4. The project co-ordinator shall be indemnified on clause 1.1, 1.2 and 1.3.
11. I confirm that I am fully aware that ECDC and the dtic will rely on the accurate/complete and truthful information contained in all documents provided for application purposes to process and evaluate the application of the Individual Participant.
12. I confirm that all the information I provide to ECDC and submitted to the dtic is correct and truthful and that this declaration binds me/us to liability in civil and criminal consequences should the information be found to be misleading, and/or incorrect and/or inaccurate and/or is a result of a misrepresentation.
13. I understand and agree that should an approval letter be issued by the dtic that there is no entitlement to a grant and that the approval letter is conditional and can be withdrawn by the dtic whenever and for whatsoever reason.
14. I understand that my company will be liable for the costs incurred for cancellation and non-participation at the event.
15. I agree to the comply to the bellowing at the exhibition:
    1. To connect with distributors, importers and end users at the exhibition.
    2. To create and establish an international market for my products/services.
    3. To explore export opportunities in order to increase production /manufacturing and deliverables with the aim to create job opportunities in the local market.
    4. To be present on the exhibition stand at all times and to always be on time for the duration of the exhibition.
    5. To generate and provide post show reports to ECDC in due time.
    6. To keep and forward all **ORIGINAL flight boarding passes** to ECDC in due time.

**Liability Waver:**

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