



General Terms and Conditions | Acquisition of a filming licence

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► Following instructions

The contractual partner bears responsibility for himself, his employees and guests in the following points:

- § Instructions from event staff and security services in connection with access to the race track must be followed,
- § The contractual partner is obligated to fulfil all obligations arising during an event from VLN VV GmbH & Co. KG (short: VLN) / the organiser during an event. comply with instructions, rules or regulations, etc.

► Usage

- § The film material/image material created/received may only be used for TV broadcasting and online publication. Use for commercial purposes is not permitted. Should the licence holder use the material for a purpose other than the agreed purpose the rights release must be negotiated again with nürburgring.tv GmbH & Co. KG before using the material.
- § **The publication of disputed racing scenes and accident footage without express, case-by-case authorisation, is punishable by a fine of up to EUR 2,500.00 and the withdrawal of the filming licence**
- § The acquisition of filming licences exclusively entitles the contractual partner (or its representative) to the use specified in the above licence agreement. Any other use or disclosure and use by third parties is not permitted and / or requires the express written consent by the VLN. This also applies to the information provided by the contractual partner regarding TV broadcasting.
- § Unless expressly agreed otherwise, the production of video cassettes, DVDs or similar is excluded.
- § **Non-use of the material / the filming licence does not release the customer from the obligation to pay.**

► Runtime

Unless expressly agreed otherwise in the above licence agreement, the agreement shall only apply to the specified event and for the following event sections:

- § Technical scrutineering, qualifying, start preparation, starting grid, race, award ceremony,
- § official interviews after the race as well as all on-site activities on the occasion of the event.

► GEMA

The costs for the use of music subject to GEMA in the case of material produced by the contractual partner or in the case of the use of NLS material, shall be borne exclusively by the contractual partner.

► Access authorisations

Access to the pit and paddock area or similar will be granted in accordance with the access authorisation issued by the VLN or the organiser.

► Liability of the contractual partner

- § In the event of a breach of contract by the contractual partner or its representative, the VLN or the organiser is entitled, without prior notice to reclaim the card at any time.
- § If the contractual partner culpably fails to fulfil obligations arising from this contract, VLN may demand compensation from the contractual partner or withdraw from the contract.
- § The contracting party shall be liable for any misconduct on the part of its employees and guests who are present on the event site and for the consequences resulting from non-compliance with the above regulations
- § The contractual partner is aware of the risks and dangers associated with the access authorisation on site.
- § The accreditation agreement for media reporters and in particular the limitations of liability contained therein are an integral part of these terms and conditions of contract.

► Contractual penalty / liability for third party claims against VLN

- § The contractual partner undertakes to use the created and/or pre-produced image material exclusively in accordance with the defined purpose of use. In the event of a breach of the defined purpose of use, a contractual penalty of EUR 10,000.00 shall be payable for each act of infringement.
- § Should third parties assert recourse claims against VLN due to such a breach of contract, the contractual partner undertakes to satisfy these claims. The same applies to all claims for damages asserted against VLN in connection with a breach of contract by the contractual partner.

► Liability of the VLN

- § VLN shall only be liable for services not rendered or only partially rendered.
- § The VLN expressly points out that the extremely high noise level at racing events of this type can cause damage to hearing and health. The wearing of appropriate hearing protection is recommended.
- § VLN does not provide any guarantee for all framework data related to the event, the determination of event days, on the daily schedule and in particular the organisation of the event.
- § The accreditation agreement for media reporters and in particular the limitations of liability contained therein are an integral part of these contractual terms and conditions

► Final provisions

- § Amendments and supplements to the underlying contract must be made in writing, which is essential in particular to waive the formal requirement.
- § VLN's contracts are based exclusively on VLN's General Terms and Conditions of Contract; no other terms and conditions shall form part of the contract, even if the VLN does not expressly object to them.
- § This agreement does not establish a corporate relationship between the contracting parties within the meaning of Sections 705 et seq. of the German Civil Code (BGB).
- § Both contracting parties shall maintain confidentiality regarding the details of this contract even after its termination.
- § Should any provision of these general terms and conditions or the underlying contract be or become invalid, this shall not affect the legal validity of the contract. The void provision shall be replaced by an enforceable, valid provision that corresponds to the meaning of the contract.
- § German law shall apply with Koblenz as the place of jurisdiction.

With regard to the processing of your personal data carried out by us, we may refer to our privacy policy in accordance with Art. 13 GDPR, through which we fulfil our legal obligation to provide information. You can access this at www.VLN.de/datenschutz.

On request, we will also be happy to provide you with this data protection declaration in written form free of charge.