



## **MATERIAL HANDLING SERVICES & SHIPPING INFORMATION**

### **IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

GES has been appointed by Show Management to provide Material Handling services for the **Canadian Meetings & Events Expo**. Exhibitors must use GES to perform this service which includes:

- ◆ RECEIVING, DOCUMENTING AND INSPECTING YOUR SHIPMENT(S) ON ARRIVAL
- ◆ UNLOADING OF SHIPMENT(S) AT THE SHOW SITE DOCK & DELIVERY TO BOOTH
- ◆ REMOVING OF EMPTY CONTAINERS FROM BOOTH TO STORAGE AREA
- ◆ STORING YOUR EMPTY CONTAINERS IN THE STORAGE AREA
- ◆ RETURNING OF EMPTY CONTAINERS TO BOOTH AFTER SHOW CLOSING
- ◆ MOVING YOUR OUTBOUND SHIPMENT TO THE LOADING DOCK
- ◆ RELOADING OF SHIPMENT(S) FROM DOCK ON TO YOUR CARRIER

GES, as the official Material Handling contractor, is required by Show Management to perform this service. These services are charged per hundred weight with a 200lb. minimum **at the expense of the exhibitor**. **All Shipments must be accompanied with a Certified Weight Ticket. If no Certified Weight Ticket is available, GES will weigh your shipment on site and special handling charges will apply. For all loose, stacked and uncrated shipments, Special Handling rates will apply.** To avoid additional charges, please complete and return the **MATERIAL HANDLING ORDER FORM** provided.

### **LABELING YOUR PACKAGES FOR SHIPPING:**

DIRECT SHIPMENTS TO SHOW SITE TARGET DATE: **August 12, 2019**  
**As per Targeted Move-In Schedule**

NAME OF EXHIBITING COMPANY - BOOTH NUMBER  
c/o GES  
**Canadian Meetings & Events Expo**  
Metro Toronto Convention Centre - North, Halls A - C  
255 Front Street West  
Toronto, Ontario, Canada M5V 2W6



# MATERIAL HANDLING - WEIGHT

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SHOW: **Canadian Meetings & Events Expo**

**EXHIBITOR INFORMATION**

BOOTH #: \_\_\_\_\_

COMPANY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION**

A "Credit Card Authorization" form **MUST** accompany this completed form. A copy of the "Credit Card Authorization" form has been included in the kit for your use.

Orders for GES products and/or services will **not** be accepted without receipt of a completed "Credit Card Authorization" form.

**CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION (ABOVE) MUST BE COMPLETED AS METHOD OF PAYMENT FOR THIS SERVICE**

**Item # MHIRWT DIRECT SHIPMENT(S) TO SHOWSITE:**

- Shipment(s) may arrive at Show Site on: **August 12, 2019**
- Estimated Weight of Shipment(s) - Rounded up to the nearest 100lbs:
- Rate **\$98.75** per 100lbs. (200lb. minimum)
- Shipments arriving without a certified weight ticket will be subject to Special Handling rates.

**Pounds**

**Item # MHSPWT SMALL PACKAGES (Maximum 50lbs / shipment):**

- Rate of **\$47.75** First Package
- Rate of **\$11.25** for each additional package (in the same shipment) to a 50lb. Maximum

\*\*If over 50lbs., Rates for Advance or Direct Shipments will apply\*\*

**SPECIAL HANDLING (30% surcharge per shipment):**

- All shipments of loose, padded or uncrated materials. All special unloading requirements, such as ground side door/ constricted or stacked unloading.
- All Direct and Advance Shipments without certified weight ticket or proven inaccurate weight ticket.

**PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:**

Carrier Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Pieces: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Weight: \_\_\_\_\_

Date goods are scheduled to arrive: \_\_\_\_\_

**Terms & Conditions**

- Collect shipments will not be accepted.
- GES is not responsible for concealed damage, damage to loose or inadequately packed shipments or loss of merchandise after delivery to booth.
- It is the exhibitor's responsibility to secure and maintain loss & damage insurance coverage for their exhibit properties.
- All claims or discrepancies must be settled at the GES Service Centre prior to show closing.

<b>EST. SUBTOTAL</b>	
<b>13% HST</b>	
<b>EST. TOTAL</b>	
<small>HST #104060264RT0001</small>	

**I have read and understand the Terms & Conditions of my Agreement with GES.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

# DIRECT TO SHOW SITE SHIPPING LABEL

**Canadian Meetings & Events Expo**

**EXHIBIT SHIPMENT FOR DIRECT TO SHOWSITE**

**SHIPPER:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Company where shipment originates.)

**TO:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of your exhibiting Company at the show.)

**BOOTH NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Your booth number at the show.)

**C/O:** GES / Canadian Meetings & Events Expo  
Metro Toronto Convention Centre - North, Halls A - C  
255 Front Street West  
Toronto, Ontario, Canada  
M5V 2W6

**CARRIER:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of your Transportation Company)

**NUMBER**  **OF**  **PIECES**

**DIRECT SHIPMENTS TO SHOWSITE TO ARRIVE ON:**

August 12, 2019 \*As per Targeted Move-In Schedule



## LIMITS OF LIABILITY & RESPONSIBILITY

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1. GES CANADA Exposition Services herein known as GES and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for damage to uncrated materials; materials improperly packed, glass breakage or concealed damage.

2. Relative to inbound shipments, there may be a lapse of time between the delivery of shipment(s) to the booth by GES or its subcontractors and the arrival of the Exhibitor's representative at the booth. Similarly, relative to outgoing shipment(s), it is possible that there will be a lapse of time between the completion of packing and the actual pick-up of materials from the booth for loading onto a carrier. It is understood that during such times the shipment(s) will be left in the booth unattended.

Therefore, it is agreed that GES and its subcontractors are not responsible for the loss or disappearance of Exhibitor's materials after the same have been delivered to Exhibitor's booth, nor are GES and its subcontractors responsible for Exhibitor's materials before they are picked up from the Exhibitor's booth for loading after the show. Consequently, all bills of lading covering outgoing shipment(s) submitted to GES or its subcontractors by Exhibitor will be checked at the time of pick-up from the booth and corrected where discrepancies exist.

3. GES and its subcontractors shall not be held liable for any damage incurred during the handling of equipment requiring special devices to properly load, place or reload unless advance notice has been given to GES in time to obtain the proper equipment.

4. GES and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for loss, delay or damage due to strikes, lockouts or work stoppages of any kind.

5. GES and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for ordinary wear and tear in handling of equipment, nor for loss or damage due to fire, theft, windstorm, water, vandalism, acts of God, mysterious disappearance or other causes beyond their control.

6. It is understood that GES and its subcontractors are not insurers. Insurance, if any, shall be obtained by the Exhibitor. Amounts payable to GES hereunder are based on the scope of the liability as herein set forth and are unrelated to the value of the Exhibitor's property. It is further understood and agreed that GES and its subcontractors do not provide for full liability should loss or damage occur. It is agreed that if GES or its subcontractors should be found liable for loss or damage to Exhibitor's equipment, the liability shall be limited to the specific article that was physically lost or damaged. Such liability shall be limited to a sum equal to \$0.30 per pound per article, with a maximum liability of \$50.00 per item or \$1,000.00 per shipment, whichever is less, as agreed upon damages and exclusive remedy. Provisions of this paragraph shall apply if loss or damage, regardless of cause or origin, results directly or indirectly to property through performance services to

Exhibitor's or from negligence, active or otherwise, by GES, its subcontractors or their employees.

7. GES and its subcontractors shall not be liable to any extent whatsoever for any actual, potential or assumed loss of profits or revenues or for any collateral costs that may result from any loss or damage to Exhibitor's materials which may make it impossible or impracticable to exhibit same.

8. Claims for loss or damage must be submitted to GES by the close of the show. No suit or action shall be brought against GES or its subcontractors more than one year after the cause of action.

9. The Exhibitor agrees, in connection with the receipt, handling, temporary storage and reloading of its materials, that GES and its subcontractors will provide these services as Exhibitor's agent and not as bailee or shipper. If any employee of GES or its subcontractors shall sign a delivery receipt, bill of lading or other document, we agree that GES or its subcontractor will do so as the Exhibitor's agent, and the Exhibitor accepts the responsibility thereof.

10. GES and its subcontractors shall not be liable for shipments received without receipts, freight bills or specified unit counts on receipts or freight bills, such as a courier or van lines. Such shipments will be delivered to booth without guarantee of piece count or condition.

11. Empty container labels will be available at the GES Service Centre. Affixing the labels is the sole responsibility of the Exhibitor or its representative. It is understood that these labels are used for EMPTY STORAGE ONLY, and GES and its subcontractors assume no responsibility for loss or damage to contents while containers are in storage or for mislabelled containers.

12. In order to expedite removal of materials from the show site, GES shall have the authority to change designated carriers, if such carriers do not pick up on time. Where no disposition is made by the Exhibitor, materials will be taken to a warehouse to await Exhibitor's shipping instructions, and the Exhibitor agrees to be responsible for payment of charges relating to such handling at the warehouse. GES assumes no liability as a result of such re-routing or handling.

13. The Exhibitor agrees, in the event of a dispute with GES or its subcontractors relative to any loss or damage to any of your materials or equipment, that the Exhibitor will not withhold payment in any amount due to GES for material handling services or any other services provided by GES or its subcontractors as an offset against the amount of the alleged loss or damage. Instead, the Exhibitor agrees to pay GES prior to the close of the show for all such charges and further agrees that any claim the Exhibitor may have against GES or its subcontractors shall be pursued independently by the Exhibitor as a completely separate transaction to be resolved on its own merits.

The consignment or delivery of a shipment to GES or its subcontractors by an Exhibitor or by any shipper on behalf of the Exhibitor shall be construed as an acceptance by such Exhibitor (and/or other shipper) of the terms and conditions set forth in Sections 1 through 13 above.

**Be sure your materials are insured** from the time they leave your firm until they are returned after the show. It is suggested that Exhibitors arrange all risk coverage. This can usually be done by riders to existing policies. Contact your insurance representative. Be sure your liability insurance is in effect during transit and return of your materials, during storage and at show site.