

Tokyo Bay eSG Partner Terms and Conditions

(Name)

Article 1; 1. The Organization shall be called Tokyo Bay eSG Partners (hereinafter referred to as the "Organization").

(Purpose)

Article 2; 1. The Organization shall form a community of public-private-academic collaboration with companies, NPOs, universities, and other organizations that support the Tokyo Bay eSG Project, and shall widely disseminate the project's philosophy and initiatives domestically and internationally, as well as provide a forum for diverse exchanges and communications, contribute to the realization of a sustainable city by maximizing the effects of priority projects and developing new technologies and services.

(Activities)

Article 3; 1. In order to achieve the objectives stated in the preceding Article, the Organization shall engage in the following activities

- (1) Activities related to the dissemination of information on the latest technology, case studies, etc.
- (2) Activities to support matching among members and promote consortium formation for the creation of various projects.
- (3) Other activities necessary to achieve the objectives of the organization.

2. Each of the activities described in the preceding paragraph shall satisfy all of the following requirements

- (1) Activities that are consistent with the philosophy, future vision, and urban vision of the Tokyo Bay eSG Project.
- (2) Contribute to activities and initiatives related to the realization of a sustainable society.

3. The Secretariat shall obtain prior approval for any publicity regarding the member's participation in the Organization in its sales and public relations activities.

(Members)

Article 4; 1. The Organization shall be composed of companies, NPOs, universities, research institutions, financial institutions, investors, government agencies, and other similar organizations with juridical personality that are engaged in initiatives that match the philosophy, future vision, and urban vision of the Tokyo Bay eSG Project, and that support the objectives and activities of the Organization.

(Approval)

Article 5; 1. Those who wish to join the Organization shall become members by submitting a separately prescribed application form to the Secretariat and receiving approval after screening.

2. Persons falling under any of the following categories shall not be eligible for membership.

- (a) Any party with outstanding obligations to the Tokyo Metropolitan Tax Bureau, the National Tax Administration, the Japan Tax Agency, or any other relevant tax authority.
- (b) Any entity that has filed or received an application for corporate reorganization, civil rehabilitation, or any other similar application.
- (c) Those in violation of labor-related laws and regulations.
- (d) Individuals who have been subject to a business suspension order or administrative penalty.
- (e) Those who have been denied various types of subsidies.
- (f) Any individual or entity found to be in violation of the Tokyo Metropolitan Government's Gang Exclusion Ordinance.
 - i. The juridical person, etc. is a crime syndicate or an officer, etc. of the juridical person, etc. is a member of a crime syndicate.
 - ii. An officer, etc. is using crime syndicate or crime syndicate member for the purpose of pursuing unjust profits for himself/herself, his/her company, or a third party, or for the purpose of inflicting damage on a third party, or the like.
 - iii. The Officers, etc. directly or actively cooperate with or are involved in the maintenance or operation of crime syndicate or crime syndicate member by supplying funds, etc. or providing benefits to crime syndicate or crime syndicate member.
 - iv. The Officers, etc. have a socially reprehensible relationship with crime syndicate or crime syndicate member with knowledge that they are crime syndicate or crime syndicate member.

3. The membership application form in Paragraph 1 may be submitted electronically instead of in writing.

(Withdrawal from the membership)

Article 6; 1. A member may voluntarily withdraw from membership by submitting a separate withdrawal form to the Secretariat.

2. The Secretariat may terminate a member's membership if the member falls under

any of the following categories

- (1) When a member violates this Agreement or commits an act in violation of laws and regulations.
 - (2) When a member has damaged the honor or credibility of the Organization, or when a member has acted in a manner contrary to the purpose of the Organization.
 - (3) When it is found that the applicant falls under any of the disqualifications specified in 2(2)(c) of the separate "Tokyo Bay eSG Partner Application Guidelines".
 - (4) When it is recognized that other serious impediments to the management of the Organization will arise.
3. In the event of dissolution or bankruptcy of a member corporation, it shall be deemed to have resigned its membership.

(Prohibited acts)

Article 7; 1. Members shall not engage in the following activities

- (1) Engage in any activity other than the purposes specified in Article 2.
 - (2) Solicitation or facilitation of others or other third parties through the use of the Organization
 - (3) Infringing the rights or interests of others or other third parties
 - (4) Acts that discriminate, slander, or defame the reputation or credibility of others or other third parties
 - (5) Actions that are deemed inappropriate by the Secretariat, such as actions in violation of the Terms of Use, other rules and regulations, laws and ordinances, or offensive to public order and morals.
2. Members may not be active in the Organization if they engage in any of the following
- (1) Commercial activities
 - (2) Political or religious activities
 - (3) Club activities such as hobbies and cultural activities
 - (4) Alumni association or alumni association activities
 - (5) Use by antisocial groups, etc.
 - (6) When it is recognized that there is a possibility of causing inconvenience or hindrance to others
 - (7) When it is recognized as a hindrance to the management and operation of the Organization
 - (8) Other activities that the secretariat deems to be inconsistent with the purpose

of this organization.

(Membership fee)

Article 8; 1. There shall be no membership fee for the Organization.

2. Notwithstanding the provisions of the preceding paragraph, the secretariat may charge a separate fee if it deems it particularly necessary.

(Secretariat)

Article 9; 1. The secretariat of the Organization shall be located in the Innovation Strategy Section, Strategic Promotion Department, Startup Strategy Promotion Division, Tokyo Metropolitan Government.

(Miscellaneous rules)

Article 10; 1. In addition to the provisions of these Rules and Regulations, matters necessary for the operation of the Organization shall be stipulated separately.

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