Traffic Regulations

Leipziger Messe GmbH

§ 1 Scope



- (1) The traffic regulations apply to the exhibition centre (Messe-Allee 1, 04356 Leipzig, hereafter referred to as the operating and event grounds) of Leipziger Messe GmbH (hereafter referred to as Leipziger Messe).
- (2) The operating and event grounds are private property. Leipziger Messe and its contract partners shall enforce the provisions of these traffic regulations by authorised and designated personnel. The instructions of persons authorised to enforce the traffic regulations must be followed.

§ 2 General

- (1) In general, the road traffic regulations in their current version apply in accordance with these traffic regulations.
- (2) Participating in traffic requires constant caution and mutual consideration. Anyone taking part in traffic must behave in such a way that nobody and nothing is harmed, endangered or hindered or inconvenienced more than is unavoidable under the circumstances.
- (3) The instructions of persons authorised to enforce the traffic regulations must be followed. The instructions take precedence over traffic signs (signs, displays, markings) or barriers. Only traffic routes may be used. Facilities for providing assistance as well as escape and rescue routes must be kept clear.

§ 3 Entry

- (1) Entry to the operating and event grounds is only permitted with a valid authorisation pass issued by Leipziger Messe or an authorised contract partner. This includes, in particular, entry permits, parking permits and deposit slips. They must be attached behind the windscreen and clearly visible from the outside.
- (2) Entry to the halls is only permitted with the authorisation of the person responsible for the property.
- (3) Depending on the set-up and dismantling activities, the operating and event grounds may be temporarily closed to motorised traffic without prior notice to improve traffic management. There is no entitlement to a refund in these cases.
- (4) On specific occasions and with prior notice, a security deposit scheme may be used to organise transport, with the amount and deadline set by the relevant department. On timely departure, the deposit will be refunded, otherwise it will be converted into a contractual penalty of the same amount and retained. During the event, the deposit scheme serves to facilitate logistics and in particular does not authorise the transport of persons without a valid exhibitor pass.
- (5) Motorhomes and caravans may not be brought onto the operating and event grounds for the purpose of overnight accommodation. Exceptions are caravan sites designated by Leipziger Messe for specific events.

§ 4 Speed

- (1) The maximum speed on the operating and event grounds is 30 km/h.
- (2) The maximum speed in the inner courtyards and halls is 7 km/h (walking speed).

§ 5 Stopping and parking

- (1) Parking on the operating and event grounds is only permitted with a valid authorisation pass issued by Leipziger Messe or an authorised contract partner. This includes, in particular, parking passes, which must be attached behind the windscreen and clearly visible from the outside.
- (2) Stopping and parking are only permitted in designated areas that are not otherwise closed. Stopping is categorically prohibited.
- (3) Vehicles parked without permission may be towed away if they obstruct operations or events, provided the principle of proportionality is observed. Any costs incurred will be charged. A contractual penalty of up to €150.00 may be charged for vehicles parked without permission, irrespective of the aforementioned measure.

§ 6 Transport services

- (1) At least one hour's grace period in favour of Leipziger Messe and its contracted service providers is provided for the implementation of internal logistics at the end of the event. This depends on the hall opening and the volume of the transport operation and can be extended if necessary. It is not possible to enter the grounds or the hall courtyards during this period.
- (2) All machine-assisted loading and unloading operations taking place on the exhibition grounds must be registered with the contract carrier of Leipziger Messe (in future: responsible contract carrier) and will be performed by the latter. The current trade fair transport tariff is binding.
- (3) Exceptions require a separate contractual agreement. The responsible contract carrier is authorised to prevent unauthorised loading and unloading operations. The instructions of the responsible contract carrier must be followed during the loading and unloading process.

§ 7 Liability and notes

- (1) Leipziger Messe's liability in the event of a breach of duty for which it or its vicarious agents are responsible shall be limited to compensation for foreseeable damage typical of the contract. This restriction shall not apply in the event of damage to life, limb or health and in the event of wilful intent or gross negligence.
- (2) Warning and information signs on the operating and event grounds as well as any barriers set up must always be observed in your own interest.
- (3) These traffic regulations come into force on 01/03/2025 and replace previous versions.