INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON TAXPAYER RIGHTS: REGISTRATION - TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT
Submission of an online registration is regarded as a firm booking and acceptance of these terms and conditions, however the booking will not be confirmed until full payment has been received. Payment in full must be received at time of registration and no later than 2 weeks before the date that the conference begins. In the event that full payment is not received by then, the registrant will be refused entry to the conference. We accept payment by Stripe (all major credit cards) and bank transfer; please note that all transfer charges must be met by the sender.

2. PRIVACY
The personal information supplied in connection with this booking will be processed and held by the Center for Taxpayer Rights (the Center) as a record of attendees and parties expressing interest. By registering for this conference the parties concerned are agreeing that the conference organizers may use that personal information to contact them by email, direct mail, telephone or fax, in order to supply information relevant to this conference, or about other conferences, events and opportunities that the organizers are planning and feel may be of interest to them.

3. CANCELLATION
3.1. Any registrant wishing to cancel their booking must notify the Center in writing. Cancellation charges will apply as follows:
- Up to 10 weeks before the event starts: 20% of the delegate fee plus any bank transfer fee incurred by the Center;
- Up to 4 weeks before the event starts: 50% of the delegate fee plus any bank transfer fee incurred by the Center;
- Less than 4 weeks before the event starts: 100% of the delegate fee;
- Non-arrivals are liable for 100% of the delegate fee.
3.2. In the unlikely event of the program being cancelled by the organizer, a full refund will be made. Liability will be limited to the amount of the fee paid by the registrant and there will not be any additional liability to the Center, event hosts or any other individual associated with the event organization.
3.3. In the event that the conference cannot be held or is postponed due to events beyond the control of the conference organizers (force majeure) or due to events which are not attributable to wrongful intent or gross negligence of the conference organizers, liability will be limited to the amount of the fee paid by the registrant and there will not be any additional liability to the Center, event hosts or any other individual associated with the event organization. Under these circumstances, the conference organizers reserve the right to refund the fees paid minus a 25% admin fee plus any bank transfer fee incurred.

4. SUBSTITUTIONS
If you wish to substitute a registrant, you must notify the Center in writing at the earliest opportunity and at least 24 hours before the event begins.
5. CHANGES AND POSTPONEMENT
The Center reserves the right to make alterations to the conference program, venue and timings at any time. In the event of it being found necessary, for whatever reason, that the conference is being postponed or the dates being changed, the organizers shall not be liable for any expenditure, damage or loss incurred by the registrant. If by re-arrangement or postponement the event can take place, the booking between the registrant and the organizers shall remain in force and will be subject to the cancellation schedule above.

6. LIABILITY LIMITATIONS
a. Views and opinions expressed by speakers, sponsors and/or exhibitors are their own. The Center does not accept liability and shall not be liable for any advice given, or views and opinions expressed, by any speaker, sponsor and/or exhibitor at the conference or in any materials provided to participants.

b. IN NO EVENT WILL THE CENTER BE LIABLE FOR ANY SPECIAL, INCIDENTAL, CONSEQUENTIAL OR INDIRECT DAMAGES ARISING FROM YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THE EVENT, HOWEVER CAUSED AND ON ANY THEORY OF LIABILITY. THIS LIMITATION WILL APPLY EVEN IF THE CENTER HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGE. YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE EVENT FEE REFLECTS THIS ALLOCATION OF RISK. THE CENTER’S MAXIMUM AGGREGATE LIABILITY TO YOU FOR ACTUAL DAMAGES FROM ANY CAUSE WHATSOEVER, AND REGARDLESS OF THE FORM OF THE ACTION (WHETHER IN CONTRACT, TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE), PRODUCT LIABILITY OR OTHERWISE), SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE TOTAL AMOUNT PAID BY YOU TO THE CENTER FOR YOUR CONFERENCE FEE. As a condition of admission to the event, you agree to fully, finally and forever release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue, demand, claim or proceed to collect from the Center and its representatives, agents, employees, officers, directors, assigns, agents, and successors in interest, any and all present and future claims, demands, actions, attorney’s fees, causes of action, suits, damages, losses and expenses, of any kind or nature, whether known or unknown, liquidated or contingent, for or on account of anything that has heretofore occurred arising from or relating to your attendance at the event.

c. The Center will not be liable for lost or stolen property; found items can be claimed with appropriate identity verification.

d. You are solely responsible for all transportation, accommodations, food, and lodging logistics in connection with your participation in the event.

7. INDEMNIFICATION
As a condition of admission to the event, you agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Center and its affiliates, officers, employees, agents, and directors from and against any and all claims and liabilities of whatever kind or nature in law, equity, or otherwise, arising from your actions, omissions, fault, or negligence, which result in damage to the Center or to any third party, including personal injury to or death of any person and/or damage to or loss of use of property.
8. INSURANCE
It is the responsibility of the registrant to arrange appropriate insurance cover in connection with their attendance at the conference. The Center cannot be held liable for any loss, liability or damage to personal property.

9. PHOTOS & FILMING
For promotional purposes, photos and video recordings will be taken during the conference. Registrants who do not wish to be filmed or recorded should advise the organizers in writing prior to the event.

10. WEBSITE & LINKS
The conference and associated Center websites may link to other websites and networking tools provided for the convenience of the users. The contents of these websites are maintained by their owners, for which the Center takes no responsibility. Neither can responsibility be taken for contents of any website linking to this website.

11. VISA REQUIREMENT
It is the sole responsibility of the registrant to take care of his/her/their visa requirements. Attendees who require an entry visa must allow sufficient time for the application procedure. Attendees should contact the nearest embassy or consulate to determine the appropriate timing of their visa applications. If attendees require an invitation to the conference for visa processing, they should contact the Center in writing no later than one month before the conference.

12. INTERPRETATION
If a court finds any provision of these Terms & Conditions unenforceable as written, then the court shall interpret, modify, or strike all or a portion of that provision so as to effect as much of the parties’ agreement and intent as is legally possible. Regardless of the enforceability of any particular provision, the other portions of these Terms & Conditions shall continue in full force and effect. Those provisions of these Terms & Conditions that by their nature are intended to survive termination or expiration of the Terms & Conditions shall so survive.

13. GOVERNING LAW
These Terms & Conditions are governed by and will be construed in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, USA without regard to its conflict of law principles. If you are a U.S. resident, citizen or visitor, you expressly consent to the personal jurisdiction and venue of the state and federal courts located in the Commonwealth of Virginia. Otherwise, you consent to the personal jurisdiction of the courts in the country where the event is held.

14. GENERAL
We reserve the right at all time to change, amend, add or remove any of the above terms without prior notice if one or more of the conditions outlined in these Terms & Conditions should be or become invalid, the remaining conditions will continue to be valid and apply. These Terms & Conditions apply to all participants of this event, including speakers, sponsors and exhibitors.