

## REGULATIONS ON WATER USE

1. Only water supplied by Compagnie Intercommunale Bruxelloise des Eaux (IBDE) can be used.
2. The water supply and drainage work is carried out by Parc des Expositions de Bruxelles (Brussels Exhibition Centre) at the exhibitor's cost, based on the applicable rates.
3. Water from fire hoses and hydrants must not be used.
4. Anyone exhibiting installations using water in a closed loop system (full or partial recovery of the water fed to the installation by means of a pump or any other system) or installations with stagnant water **AND** likely to cause a dispersion of water in the form of sprays must display thermometers to show the public and monitoring authorities that the water used is too cold to constitute a health risk.
5. The temperature of the water used must never be more than 20° C. The water must be replaced at least once a day or, if not, the exhibitor must ensure that it is chlorinated with an initial value at the beginning of the day of 3 to 5 mg/l (ppm) in free chlorine, by adding a hypochlorite solution. He must check each appliance three times during the day. The chlorine content must never fall below 2 mg of free chlorine per litre of water.
6. Before the installations are started up at the beginning of the fair, the exhibitor must disinfect all parts of the installations.
7. Decorative fountains which may disperse the water in the form of sprays are banned.
8. The exhibitor is obliged to carry out regular checks to ensure that the temperature of the water in each closed loop demonstration appliance / installation does not exceed 20° C, that the water is replaced daily or that the checks prove that the chlorine content complies with the standards laid down, namely a minimum of 2 mg of free chlorine per litre of water.
9. For each demonstration appliance, this data must be recorded in a journal, stating the date and time of the check and when the water was replaced.
10. The organiser is obliged to append specific regulations to his general regulations. He must arrange for an inspection of the water to be carried out during the trade fair, at the exhibitor's costs, by an independent laboratory, which will also check that the monitoring journal is being kept correctly.