# Global Network Group

# Rules for the use of logo's and word trade-marks

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# **GENERAL CLAUSES**

The following applies to this document GNG.PD.009.INT Rules for the use of logo's and word trade-marks:

- 1. Document GNG.RD.001.INT List of terms and definitions.
- 2. Document GNG.RD.002.INT General terms and definitions
- 3. Document GNG.RD.003.INT General clauses for all documents

The before mentioned documents are published on our websites and hereby to be considered as repeated and inserted.

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## RULES FOR THE USE OF LOGO'S AND WORD TRADE-MARKS

#### **OBJECTIVES**

1.1. These regulations are set up to protect the logos & word trademarks registered by GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP with the Benelux Office for Intellectual Property, among other things by describing the user rights and basic principles of enforcement and also to protect the none with the Benelux Office for Intellectual Property registered logos & word trademarks.

#### **CHARACTERISTICS**

- Certificate holders all share the following characteristics:
- 2.1.1. all certificate holders are certified by GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP;
- 2.1.2. all certificate holders possess a certificate of competence and/or a certificate of approval from GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP;
- 2.1.3. all certificate holders are registered with 1 of the public GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP inventories/registers.

## **LOGOS AND WORD TRADE MARKS**

- 3.1. GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP lists all logos and trademarks for each existing certificate scheme.
- 3.2. GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP owns all logos and trademarks that are listed in this article. Ownership of one or more of these logos and trademarks, either separate or collectively, may not be transferred or encumbered.
- 3.3. The logo consists the logo of the specific GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP register and the international name of the profession, the company group, the service of the product as listed in the certificate scheme.
- 3.4. The registered logo's and word trademarks for Global Network Group are:

#### **3.4.1. ADR REGISTER**

- 3.4.1.1. Certificeringsscheme: ADR International Conflictnavigator®
- 3.4.1.2. General title: ADR International Certified Conflictnavigator®
- 3.4.1.3. All ADR Register titles, including: ADR®, ADR.ARB®, ADR.CC®, ADR.MED®, ADR.NEG®
- 3.4.1.4. All ADR Register main-scopes, including: ADR Office Operations Officer®, ADR Register Official Representative®, ADR International Certified Arbitrator®, ADR International Certified Conflict-coach®, ADR International Certified Mediator®, ADR International Certified Negotiator®
- 3.4.1.5. All ADR Register sub-scopes
- 3.4.1.6. All ADR Register sub-types
- 3.4.1.7. All ADR Register related specialisms
- 3.4.1.8. All ADR Register related levels (associate, full, honorary, excellence, revoked, suspended)

#### 3.4.2. **EMCI REGISTER**

- 3.4.2.1. Certificeringsscheme: EMCI International Maritime Practitioner®
- 3.4.2.2. General title: EMCI International International Certified Maritime Practitioner®
- 3.4.2.3. All EMCI Register titles, including: EMCI®, EMCI.BR®, EMCI.HM®, EMCI.SUR®
- 3.4.2.4. All EMCI Register main-scopes, including: EMCI Office Operations Officer®, EMCI Register Official Representative®, EMCI International Certified Maritime Arbitrator®, EMCI International Certified Maritime Broker®, EMCI International Certified Harbo(u)rmaster®, EMCI International Certified Maritime Mediator®, EMCI International Certified Maritime Surveyor®
- 3.4.2.5. All EMCI Register sub-scopes
- 3.4.2.6. All EMCI Register sub-types
- 3.4.2.7. All EMCI Register related specialisms
- 3.4.2.8. All EMCI Register related levels (associate, full, honorary, excellence, revoked, suspended)

#### 3.4.3. ICR COACH REGISTER

- 3.4.3.1. Certificeringsscheme: ICR International Coach Practitioner®
- 3.4.3.2. General title: ICR International Certified Coach®
- 3.4.3.3. All ICR Coach Register titles, including: ICR®, ICR.ADR®, ICR.B®, ICR.C®, ICR.H®, ICR.I®, ICR.MED®, ICR.NLP®
- 3.4.3.4. All ICR Coach Register main-scopes, including: ICR Office Operations Officer®, ICR Coach Register Official Representative®, ICR International Certified Coach®, ICR International Certified Business-coach®, ICR International Certified Child-coach®, ICR International Certified Conflict-coach®, ICR International Certified Hypnosis-coach®, ICR International Certified Inheritance-coach®, ICR International Certified NLP-coach®, ICR International Certified Medically-qualified-coach®
- 3.4.3.5. All ICR Coach Register sub-scopes
- 3.4.3.6. All ICR Coach Register sub-types
- 3.4.3.7. All ICR Coach Register related specialisms
- 3.4.3.8. All ICR Coach Register related levels (associate, full, honorary, excellence, revoked, suspended)

#### **3.4.4. IHR REGISTER**

- 3.4.4.1. Certificeringsscheme: IHR International Hypnosis Practitioner®
- 3.4.4.2. General title: IHR International Certified Hypnosis Practitioner®
- 3.4.4.3. All IHR Register titles, including: IHR®, IHR.HC®, IHR.HYP®, IHR.MED
- 3.4.4.4. All IHR Register main-scopes, including: IHR Office Operations Officer®, IHR Register Official Representative®, IHR International Certified Hypnosis-coach®, IHR International Certified Hypnotherapist®, IHR International Certified Medically-qualifiedhypnosis-practitioner®
- 3.4.4.5. All IHR Register sub-scopes
- 3.4.4.6. All IHR Register sub-types
- 3.4.4.7. All IHR Register related specialisms
- 3.4.4.8. All IHR Register related levels (associate, full, honorary, excellence, revoked, suspended)

## **CERTIFICATES**

- 4.1. All certificate holders receive a certificate of competence and/or certificate of approval, hereafter named: certificate.
- 4.2. The certificate will be drawn up and supplied by GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP.
- 4.3. The certificate will remain the property of GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP and can be withdrawn, declared non-valid or (re)claimed under all conditions.

## **RIGHT OF USE**

- 5.1. Only certificate holders are allowed to use the collective logos and word trademarks.
- 5.2. The certificate holder is entitled to use the logos and/or word trade names only when the certificate holder has received the rights of use from GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP.
- 5.3. When the rights of use have not been received (yet) the certificate holder is not allowed to use the logos and/or word trade names unless GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP decides otherwise.
- 5.4. The certificate holder obtains the rights of use by producing a written statement to GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP in which the certificate holder clearly states that he/she knows and accepts the conditions for use established by GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP.

- 5.5. When the certificate holder has obtained the rights of use, the certificate holder has to buy the logo and/or word trade name from an organization appointed by GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP. This organization is entitled to charge a fee from the certificate holder. Only when the fee charged by the organization is paid in full by the certificate holder the organization has the duty to provide the logo and/or word trade name.
- 5.6. The certificate holder may incorporate into or reproduce the collective word trade names on:
- 5.6.1. their own corporate identity
- 5.6.2. their own stationary
- 5.6.3. their own website
- 5.6.4. advertisements
- 5.6.5. any materials used for promotional activities regarding trade fairs, sales, promotion and sponsoring
- 5.6.6. any other use after consultation with and obtained permission from GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP.

## **USER DUTIES**

- 6.1. The certificate holder is obliged to use the logos and word trade names permanently, unabridged and unconditionally in keeping with the stipulations in these regulations as well as according to other regulations, instructions and conditions that are connected with or follow from the certification of the certificate holder or due to a measure or directive from GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP.
- 6.2. GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP has the authority to impose conditions on the rights of use as mentioned in the regulations. This authority applies to collective as well as individual conditions.
- 6.3. GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP has the authority to impose and prescribe further rules to the rights of use as mentioned in the regulations.
- 6.4. The certificate holder is obliged to use the collective signs in a recognizable and legible way.
- The certificate holder is not allowed to alter a collective sign or make changes to the 6.5. original text or shape, either entirely or partially.
- 6.6. The certificate holder, however, is free in his/her choice of colour and size.
- 6.7. With regards to logo size the certificate holder should observe the following:
- 6.7.1. the original proportions of the collective sign should be preserved;
- 6.7.2. the diameter of the sign should at least measure 1.5 centimeters (0.6 inches).

## **ENFORCEMENT AND SANCTIONS**

- 7.1. If requested, the certificate holder is obliged to inform GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP directly in writing if he/she intends to use any of the collective sings signs.
- 7.2. GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP is always entitled to ask for information about the certificate holder's use of the collective signs. In order to do so, GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP may use external sources or consult experts.
- 7.3. Anonymous sources or consultants are not valid. GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP is not obliged to disclose the identity of the external sources or experts to the certificate holder or to third parties.
- GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP is entitled to refuse the right of use with immediate effect or at 7.4. any other moment in time determined by GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP. GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP is entitled to add further conditions to this refusal, for instance with regard to the termination or period of the refusal. The refusal can be declared temporarily or permanently.
- 7.5. A refusal should be based on the stipulations in these regulations or on an act or failure to act on the part of the certificate holder contrary to the good name and reputation of the profession or occupational group as understood in or following from the certification of the certificate holder.
- 7.6. All refusals shall be in writing by registered post or email.
- 7.7. The right to use will be prohibited if and when the certificate holder's registration ends, the certificate of professional skill expires or will expire and is or will be reclaimed.
- 7.8. The right to use will be automatically suspended if the certificate holder is suspended or revoked, unless GLOBAL NETWORK GROUP decides otherwise.