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Safety Tips & Milwaukee Union Guidelines

SAFETY

Standing on chairs, tables or other rental furniture is prohibited. Rental furniture is not made to support standing weight. Fern Exposition & Event Services cannot be responsible for injuries or falls caused by the improper use of furniture. If assistance is required to assemble your exhibit, a Display Labor Service order form will be included in the Services packet to be sent in January 2014 or see a Customer Service Representative at Fern Service Desk onsite in Milwaukee.

UNION JURISDICTION DISPLAY SET-UP AND DISMANTLE

To assist you in preparing for your show, we would like to share with you some information regarding the jurisdiction of the union. Currently, we have an agreement with the local union to provide labor for display set-up and dismantling. Full time employees of exhibiting companies may set their own displays without assistance from the union.

MATERIAL HANDLING

Currently, we have a labor agreement with the local union. Exhibitors may deliver their own materials into the exhibit facilities; however, the use or rental of Fern dollies, flat trucks or other mechanical equipment is not permitted. Fern must control access to the loading docks in order to provide for a safe and orderly move-in/out. Charges for material handling services will be included in the Shipping Information and Freight Service order form in the January packet.

GRATUITIES

Fern Exposition requests that exhibitors do not offer gratuities to our employees, as they are paid an excellent wage denoting a professional status. Any request for tips should be brought to the attention of a representative at the Fern Service Desk.

INSURING YOUR PRODUCT

It is understood that the Fern is not an insurer, and that insurance, if any, should be obtained by the exhibitor. A Limits of Liabilities form will be included in the January packet.