



STONA 2023

15th INTERNATIONAL
GRANITES & STONE FAIR
15-18, February 2023
Bengaluru, India

YOUR NAVIGATOR TO THE WORLD OF STONE TRADE

**FEDERATION OF INDIAN GRANITE
AND STONE INDUSTRY**

at Bangalore International Exhibition Centre (BIEC),
10th Mile, Tumkur Road, Madavara Post, Dasanapura Hobli,
Bengaluru - 563123, India

15th International Granite and Stone Fair



Welcome to **STONA 2023** – 15th International Granite and Stone Fair – an exhibition showcasing the unique range of country's colourful, eye-catching natural stones and a platform that helps in demonstrating the capabilities, capacity and the most modern and latest techniques in the craft of stone working.

STONA 2023 is being organised by Federation of Indian Granite and Stone Industry (FIGSI) from 15th to 18th February 2023 at Bangalore International Exhibition Centre located at NH-4, Tumkur Road, Bengaluru, India. The venue is having amenities and facilities of highest of quality of international standard located within 18 kms from the city centre and beautifully landscaped.

The aim of STONA 2023 is to give the natural stone industry in India a significant growth opportunity with higher visibility, a professional oriented visitor profile and extremely efficient business development modules.

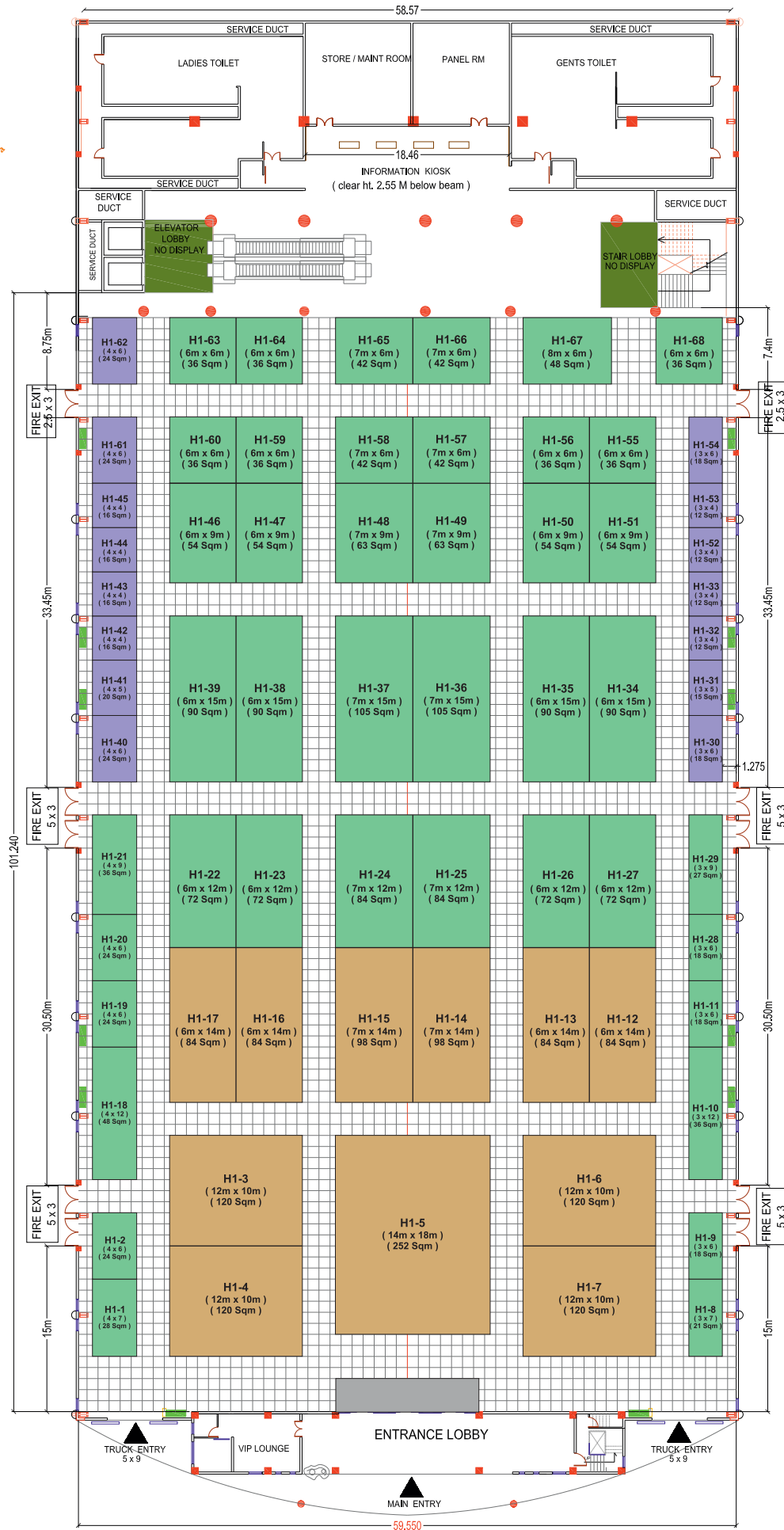
STONA enjoys participation by the who's who of the industry, both national and international, as exhibitors and visitors. It provides an excellent and unique opportunity to showcase your products in an increasingly competitive environment and interact with industry people from Italy, China, Turkey, Egypt, Japan, Korea, Portugal & other European countries. There will be participation by entrepreneurs from all major stone industry sectors and machinery manufacturers from all over India and also State Governments will also showcase the varieties of natural stones available in that particular state.



Hall - 1 (Lower Level)



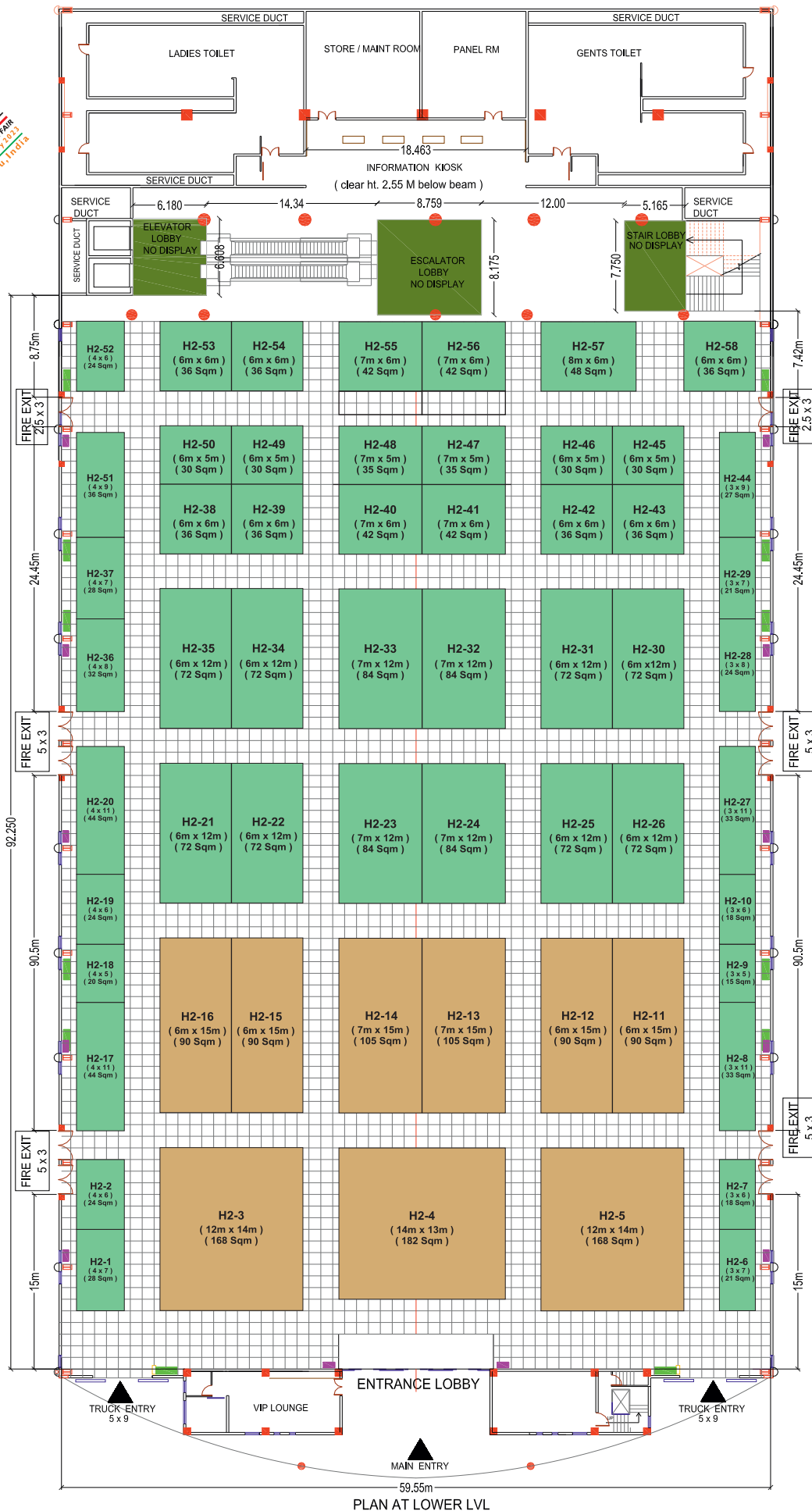
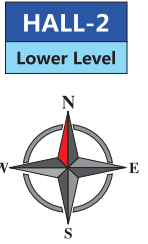
HALL-1
Lower Level



PLAN AT LOWER LVL

EXHIBITION HALL 1 - LOWER LEVEL

Hall - 2 (Lower Level)

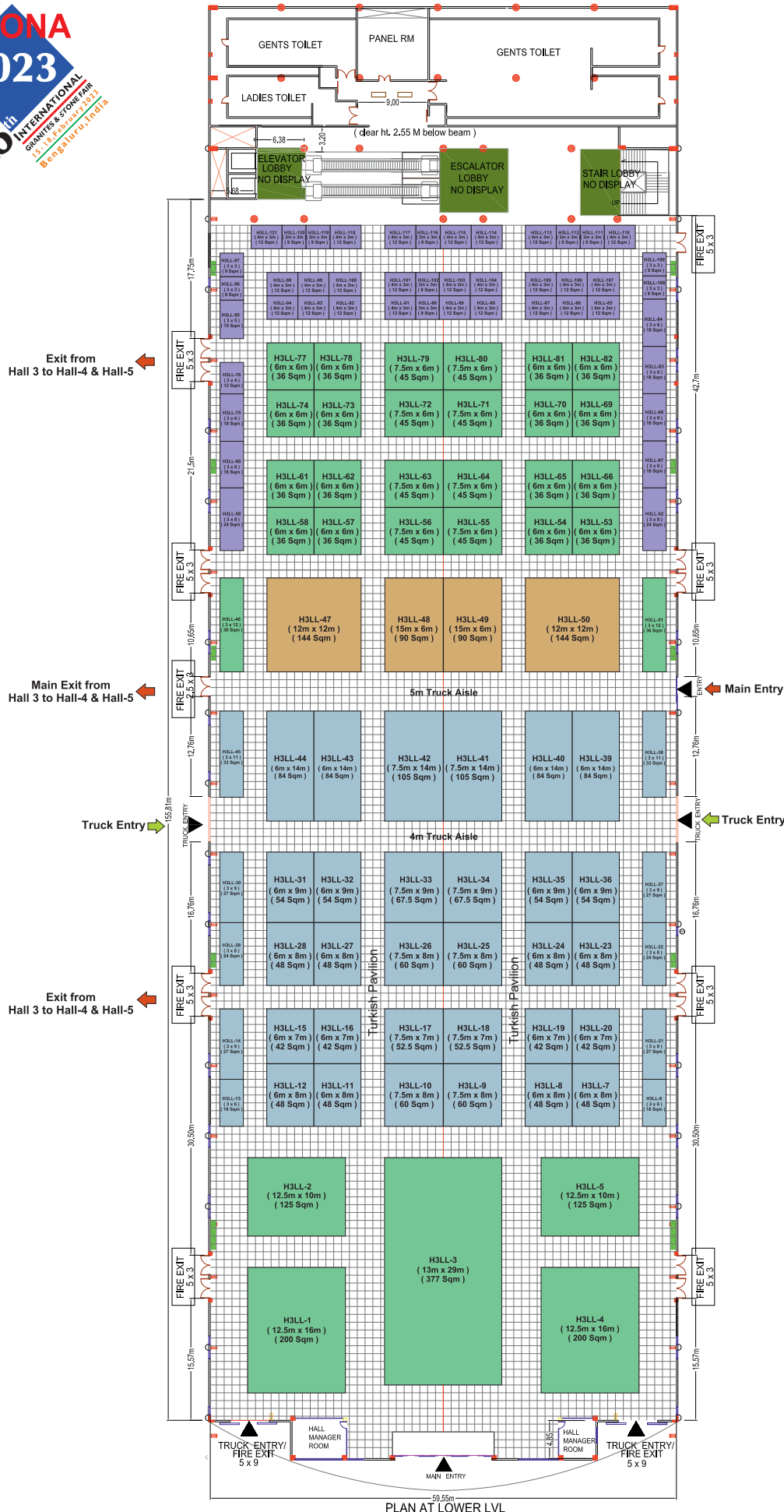


EXHIBITION HALL 2 - LOWER LEVEL

Hall - 3 (Lower Level)



HALL-3
Lower Level



EXHIBITION HALL 3 - LOWER LEVEL

Outdoor (Helipad Area)



OUTDOOR
Machinery



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DATES: FEBRUARY 15TH - 18TH 2023

LOCATION: BANGALORE INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION CENTRE (BIEC), 10th Mile, Tumkur Road, Madavara Post, Dasanapura Hobli, Bengaluru - 563123, INDIA

KEY PLAN:



PROFILE:

EXHIBITOR PROFILE

Stone Quarry Owners
Stone Processors
Value added Stone-Craft Units
Exporters & Importers of Natural Stone Products
Manufacturers, Traders & Exporters of Stone related Machineries & Equipment, Tools, Consumables and Industrial Chemicals
Transporters, C & F Agents and other Service Providers
Testing & Standardisation Organisations
Technical Experts & Consultancy Organisations
Trading & Marketing Organisations
Chambers of Commerce
Associations related to Stone Industry
Technical Press & Media
Government Departments
International Fair organisers.

VISITOR PROFILE

Architects
Hoteliers
Builders and Real Estate Promoters
Town Planners
Decorators & Designers
Interior Designers
Stone Quarry Owners
Stone Processors
Traders
Importers & Exporters
Transporters of Stone Products
All in all, every market leader in the Natural Stone Industry

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SCOPE

Natural Stones & Stone Products
Natural Stone related Machinery, Equipment, Tools and Consumable
Services related to the Natural Stone Industry, Trade Publication and Associations
Natural Stone Technology
Safety & Environment Protection
Conveying, Transportation & Packaging

TYPE, SIZES, TARIFF OF STALLS & SHELL SCHEME STALL DESIGN:

SL. No.	TYPE OF STALL	RATE PER SQ. MTR.
1.	Gold (Island)- Raw Space	Rs.7,000/-
2.	Green - Raw Space	Rs.6,500/-
3.	Blue - Small stall, Shell Scheme	Rs.6,000/-
4.	Machinery / Blocks @ Helipad area	Rs.3,000/-



Note:

1. Kindly Note that Blocks, Machinery will be allowed in Hall 3 and Helipad Area. Heavy machinery which is chain driven has to use checker plate or rubber bush to avoid damage to the flooring.
2. Granite, Marble, Slate, Sandstone and other Stones and stone products will be accommodated in Hall 1 and Hall 2.
3. International Exhibitors including Turkey Pavilion, China Pavilion, Iran Pavilion and Italian Pavilion along with Chemical, Tools and Abrasives will be in Hall 3.
4. FIGSI Members enrolled before 31-3-2022 are eligible for a discount on the standard rates (15% to Life Members & 2.5% to Ordinary Members) + 18% GST. (At actual at the time of booking of stalls). Members enrolled after 1-4-2022 are eligible for discount of 10% for Life Members and 2.5% for Ordinary Members + 18% GST.
5. No Foreign exhibitors will allowed book the stall in the name of Indian Agents.
6. Exhibitors whose rental exceeds Rs.2,40,000/- are advised to deduct admissible TDS at the time of payment of the rental.

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FACILITIES TO THE EXHIBITORS:

The Organizers offer built-up furnished booths in various sizes containing basic furniture and furnishings as below: (only for shell Scheme only).

Size of Stall	Tables	Chairs	Spotlights	Dustbins	Power Socket	Common to All
9 sq.m.	One	Two	Two	One	One 5 AMP	Two / three side walls with laminated vinyl in-fill panels, fascia with company name with vinyl computer cut out lettering, synthetic carpet.
12 sq.m.	One	Two	Three	One	One 5 AMP	
18-24 sq.m.	Two	Four	Four	Two	Two 5 AMP	

GOOD AND SERVICE TAX (GST): 18%

Government of India has levied GST on all exhibition services. The GST is payable on the stall rentals, electrical charges, advertisement charges and other fair services for the exhibition, to be paid by all exhibitors. The GST payable on the captioned fair will be 18% on the billing amount; which shall be payable over and above the rates for rentals, advertisements and other services. The tax may change from time to time and the tax at the time of payment has to be remitted. Please note that FIGSI GST Tax No. is **29AAATA1735G1ZZ**.

ELECTRICITY CHARGES:

Exhibitors booking Outdoor space / Indoor raw space or those who require additional power would be required to pay the electricity connection charge @ **Rs.3500/-** per KW Connected Load. Exhibitors opting for raw space has to forward their request for electricity along with payment before **1st December 2022**. **GST of 18%** will be charged on the power charges also. During the preparation period **Rs. 1000/-** per KW per day will be charged for the exhibitors who require for erection work. In respect of **Overseas Exhibitors**, the tariff will be **USD 60** per KW and **Rs.1,000/-** per KW per day for temporary power.

MODE OF PAYMENT:

All payments within India to be made by Demand Draft, favouring **"FIGSI A/c. STONA"**, payable at Bengaluru, India, in Indian Rupees. Foreign Exhibitors will be provided swift code details separately. Domestic Exhibitors can also send the payment by RTGS as per the following details. Bank changes if any will be at exhibitors accounts.

Name of the Bank:	State Bank of India,
Branch:	PBB Upper Palace Orchards, Sadashivanagar, Bengaluru 560 080
Name of account:	FIGSI A/C. STONA
SB Account No.:	38092307488
IFSE Code:	SBIN 0004253

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EXHIBITORS' DIRECTORY:

Every Exhibitor will be given a free listing in the Exhibitors Directory of STONA 2023 as per the details provided by the Exhibitor. Advertisement slots are available as per the tariff published in the application form enclosed.

OTHER FACILITIES AVAILABLE IN THE FAIR GROUND

First Aid & Medical Facility
Information Center
Travel Desk
Business Center (Service on Payments)
Mineral Water
Restaurants & Snack Bar
Hospitality Center with Soft Drink

STALL ALLOTMENT PROCEDURE:

SL. NO.	PARTICULARS	DATE
1.	Receiving of applications with 25% payment for stall booking from Life Members and Exhibitors of STONA 2020 who intend to book stall of size 36 sq. mtrs. and above.	8 th August 2022
2.	Allotment of stalls to Sponsors / Life Members /Exhibitors of STONA 2020 who intend to take stall of size 36 sq. mtrs and above.	12 th August 2022
3.	Receiving of applications forms from other exhibitors.	16 th August 2022 onwards
4.	Allotment of Stalls to other exhibitors	After 16 th August on first cum first served basis.

NOTE:

Sponsors, Life Members / Exhibitors of STONA 2020 who do not opt for the stall and forward their application before **8th August 2022** along with the 25% advance payment + GST @ 18 % and booking request form will not have their priority preference, but will be treated with other prospective exhibitors on first-come-first basis subject to availability of the stalls from **16th August 2022** Onwards.

Kindly note that no booking will be done without the advance payment.

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PAYMENT SCHEDULE

- ✦ Stall Charges are payable by DD / Bankers Draft / Bank transfer/NEFT in favour of "**FIGSI A/c STONA**", payable at Bangalore.
- ✦ 25% of the stall rental along with GST @ 18% has to be sent along with the application as non-refundable advance.
- ✦ All the bank Charges has to be borne by the Exhibitors.
- ✦ No booking of stalls will be entertained without 25% advance and necessary application.
- ✦ Balance along with the GST has to be paid on or before **31st October 2022**.
- ✦ In case any of the exhibitor fails to make balance payment on or before **31st October 2022**, STONA 2023 Fair stall Allotment Committee will have the right to give extension upto **30th November 2022** on merits of the case. However 10% extra charges will be charged on the full rental of the stall.
- ✦ If the full payment and the extra charges are not received before **30th November 2022**, the advance payment of 25% paid will be forfeited and the stall will be allotted to other applicant.
- ✦ No cancellation will be allowed after **1st January 2023** and in case cancellation is done the exhibitors are liable to pay the 100% stall rental.
- ✦ Decision of STONA 2023 stall allotment Committee is final and binding on all the applicants.
- ✦ All payment should be accompanied with 18% GST as per Government of India Rules.
- ✦ Exhibitors are advised to deduct TDS as applicable for the rental paid over and above Rs.2.4 Lakhs as per the provision of IT act.

CONTACT DETAILS:

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FEDERATION OF INDIAN GRANITE AND STONE INDUSTRY (FIGSI)

Federation of Indian Granite and Stone Industry (FIGSI) is a non profit all India organization serving the natural stone industry of India from the last 39 years and having more than 1300 members across the country. The Federation works as a bridge between the Industry and Various Government Departments in Central and State level.

Chief objective of the Federation being promotion of the Natural Stone Industry, which comes under the category of Ornamental or Decorative building stones like Granite, Marble, Sandstone, Slate, Quartzite etc. and ancillary and auxiliary industries of Machinery, Tools, Abrasives, Consumables related to Stone Industries and to conduct Conferences, Workshops, Seminars, Trade shows on each and every aspect of Stone industry, With the progress of industry, a need was felt to organize international Stone Fairs as early as 1987.

FIGSI is in the process of establishing the Centre for Stone Excellence - Skill Development and Training centre at Hosur, Tamil Nadu and Jaipur, Rajasthan.

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