



- Please fill out the form in full and return it by e-mail.
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## Rights Assignment Agreement for Phonogram and / or Videogram Producers (Principals)

between

SWISSPERFORM  
Collecting society for neighboring rights  
Kasernenstrasse 23  
8004 Zurich

and

First name

Name

Street, no

Address suffix

Postcode, town

Country

### I. General information on the Principal

#### a) Personal data / Company information

Nationality / registered office

Date of birth / of incorporation

Legal Form of the company

Phone

Mobile

E-mail

Website

**b) Information on the representative (if existing)**

|                |            |
|----------------|------------|
| First name     | Name       |
| Name affix     | Street, no |
| Address suffix | Postcode   |
| Town           | Country    |
| Phone          | Mobile     |
| E-mail         | Website    |

**c) For Phonogram Producers**

To report your claims to us for recordings or to receive remuneration based on your sales reports click the button.

**d) For Videogram Producers**

|              |               |               |               |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| feature film | documentary   | TV-programme  | training film |
| commercial   | economic film | animated film | music video   |
| others       |               |               |               |

Have you already registered audio-visual fixations at SUISSIMAGE? Yes No

**e) Member of the following foreign collecting societies for neighboring rights**

|                               |
|-------------------------------|
| Name of society               |
| Member since                  |
| For which country / territory |

**II. Information concerning the distribution of proceeds**

**a) Payment instructions**

|                       |
|-----------------------|
| Financial institution |
| Account no.           |
| Account holder*       |
| IBAN no.*             |
| BIC / SWIFT code**    |

\* Mandatory field \*\* Mandatory field if payment abroad

**b) Information concerning VAT\***

The following Member information has been entered in the register of the Federal Tax Administration

VAT no. \_\_\_\_\_

Description \_\_\_\_\_

\* VAT may become due for one or several of the following reasons: annual revenue that is not exempt from tax (currently CHF 100'000.-); waiving tax exemption, or opting in for taxation of e.g. cultural services.

**1. Assignment of Rights and administration obligations**

During the term of this Agreement, the Principal authorizes SWISSPERFORM to administer the existing and future neighboring rights or claims to remuneration, managed by a collecting society or otherwise collectively administered, that he/she is entitled to as a producer pursuant to the provisions of the Swiss Federal Law on Copyright and Neighboring Rights (URG).

To the extent necessary, the Principal assigns the following rights or claims to remuneration to SWISSPERFORM and entrusts SWISSPERFORM with their administration, pursuant to the provisions of the statutes, regulations and the Rights Assignment Agreement. SWISSPERFORM accepts this assignment.

- a) Rebroadcasting broadcasts simultaneously and without alteration (Art. 22 in connection with Art. 38 URG);**
- b) Public reception of broadcasts (Art. 22 in connection with Art. 38 URG);**
- c) Use of commercially available phonograms or videograms pursuant to art. 35 URG;**
- d) Rental of phonograms and videograms (Art. 13 in connection with Art. 38 URG);**
- e) Production or import of blank media and other storage media or devices suitable for the fixation of recordings (Art. 20 para. 3 in connection with Art. 38 URG);**
- f) Use of recordings for educational purposes (Art. 19 and Art. 20 para. 2 in connection with Art. 38 URG);**
- g) Use of recordings for internal information and documentation in enterprises (Art. 19 and Art. 20 para. 2 in connection with Art. 38 URG);**
- h) Having copies made by third parties for private use and third party-provision of copying facilities and storage capacity for private use (Art. 19 and Art. 20 para. 2 in connection with Art. 38 URG);**
- i) Use of broadcasting organisations' archived recordings (Art. 22a in connection with Art. 38 URG);**
- j) Making available of broadcast recordings (Art. 22c in connection with Art. 38 URG);**
- k) Reproducing commercially available phonograms and videograms for broadcasting purposes (Art. 24b in connection with Art. 38 URG);**
- l) Reproducing published recordings in a form which is accessible to people with disabilities (Art. 24c in connection with Art. 38 URG);**
- m) the rights or claims to remuneration for all other uses for which the law prescribes now or in the future collective administration.**

This assignment of rights is valid regardless of whether the rights are exclusive rights or claims to remuneration in Switzerland or abroad, and of whether pursuant to applicable foreign law a simple mandate to collect would be sufficient.

## 2. Territorial scope of Rights Assignment

SWISSPERFORM administers the Rights assigned to it in Switzerland and Liechtenstein (to the extent provided for in Liechtenstein, and a decision to that effect has been passed by the Board of Directors of SWISSPERFORM).

## 3. General Terms for the Administration of Rights

The details and reciprocal rights and obligations of this Agreement are contained in the enclosed **General Terms for the Administration of Rights**, which form an **integral part of this Agreement**.

With his/her signature, the Principal confirms to have **read** and **understood** and to **accept** the enclosed General Terms for the Administration of Rights.

## 4. Amendments to the General Terms for the Administration of Rights

SWISSPERFORM is entitled to make **amendments** to the General Terms for the Administration of Rights at any time. In order for such changes to be legally binding, they must be passed by both SWISSPERFORM's Board of Directors and the relevant expert committees. SWISSPERFORM will provide the Principals with the amended General Terms for the Administration of Rights, either by mail or by e-mail at least 60 days before their effective date. Should a Principal **not agree** with the amendments, he/she is entitled to **terminate** this Agreement **within 30 days of receipt** of the amended General Terms for the Administration of Rights, this termination becoming effective on the last day before the amendments enter into force. Should the Principal **not** make use of the right to terminate this Agreement, the amendments to the General Terms for the Administration of Rights will be considered **approved** by the Principal and will be **binding** for both contracting parties as of the effective date.

## 5. Applicable law and place of jurisdiction

This Agreement shall be governed by substantive **Swiss Law**.

If the Principal resides abroad or has its registered office abroad, **Zurich** is the essential place of performance and the sole **place of jurisdiction** for any disputes that may arise from this Agreement. Otherwise, statutory jurisdiction applies.

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