

MEDIA ACCREDITATION RULES

Welcome to *Rally Talsi*!

BASIC PRINCIPLES OF ACCREDITATION

Upon submitting the media accreditation application (hereafter, application), media representative shall resolve to duly and correctly inform the auditorium of the represented media about the event before, during, and after the event, as well as to correctly use the official title of the rally: **Rally Talsi**.

The accreditation is envisaged for:

- **journalists;**
- **media photographers;**
- **TV/ video cameramen;**
- **representatives of competitors.**

Accreditation is not envisaged for advertising, marketing or public relations agencies.

Upon request of the organiser of the rally *RA EVENTS*, SIA (hereafter, Organiser), accredited representative is obliged to provide to the Organiser the evidence of media activity.

Only persons having reached the age of 18 (eighteen) might be considered for accreditation.

Accredited media representatives are forbidden to use drones or any other ground-controlled flying devices without prior consent of the organiser.

MEDIA TABARDS

Media representatives willing to receive accreditation, media tabard and be entitled to be present in dangerous areas of the track (hereafter, areas including special stages, qualifying stage, free practice, shakedown, or other), shall have **life insurance policy (including for motorsports competitions) with the value of at least EUR 1500**.

It will be possible to sign an insurance policy at the *Rally Talsi* Rally HQ.

Media tabards for accredited media will be available only for a guarantee fee of EUR 20.

The accredited media representative with the media tabard issued by the Organiser is entitled to be present in the dangerous areas of the track; though, no further than 1 (one) meter away from the safety demarcation (fence, stripe, other). Special rules might be in force for special stages run in the cities or racing circuits.

The accredited media representative with the media tabard and media armband issued by the Organiser is entitled to be present in dangerous areas of the track further than 1 (one) meter away from the safety demarcation (fence, stripe, other). Special rules might be in force for special stages run in the cities or racing circuits.

The Organiser reserves a sole right to distribute media armbands to selected media representatives. There is no special application form for the media armbands.

Handing over of the received media tabard and/or media armband to another person is strictly prohibited.

SUBMISSION AND APPROVAL OF THE APPLICATION

Application should be submitted no later than May 18, 2017. Online form available on the website provided by the Organiser.

The Organiser will not assess applications that are incomplete, faulty or received after the term.

The Organiser reserves the sole right to distribute media armbands to selected media. Total number of accredited media is limited and upon approving the accreditation criteria such as previous journalistic activity of the events organised by RA EVENTS, SIA, size of the media centre, and media safety at the track of the competition will be considered.

The Organiser shall consider the submitted application within 1 (one) working day from the day of receipt. Confirmation or denial of the application shall be sent to the e-mail provided in the application.

ISSUE OF ACCREDITATION

Media passes, media tabards and/ or media armbands will be handed only for media representatives, which have signed the accreditation approval letter stating that they will follow the media accreditation rules and media safety rules at all times.

The media passes, media tabards, and/ or media armbands will be available in the following locations. Those can be received only in person:

Date:	Time:	Location:
May 10-16, 2017	10:00-17:00	office of RA EVENTS, SIA, Rīga, Melnsila iela 10B
May 18, 2017	14:00-22:00	Rally Talsi media centre, Talsi, Kareivju iela 7
May 19, 2017	08:00-22:00	Rally Talsi media centre, Talsi, Kareivju iela 7
May 20, 2017	08:00-22:00	Rally Talsi media centre, Talsi, Kareivju iela 7
May 21, 2017	12:00-14:00	Rally Talsi media centre, Talsi, Kareivju iela 7
May 23-26, 2017	10:00-17:00	office of RA EVENTS, SIA, Rīga, Melnsila iela 10B

CLOSING POINTS

Upon completing the Application you confirm that you have become acquainted with the Media Accreditation Rules and Media Safety Rules and resolve to comply with the above.

The Organiser retains the right to annul the issued accreditation due to the breach of the Media Accreditation Rules or the Media Safety Rules.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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