

Orgalime SI 14 general conditions

Revision of the Orgalime SE 01 General Conditions

As the international sale of plants and their installation represent the core business of many companies in the mechanical and electrical engineering industries in Europe, ORGALIME has recognised that these companies would benefit from a set of general conditions for the supply and installation of plants which could be used all over the world. The first version of the ORGALIME Supply and Installation Conditions has already been published in 1994 (SE 94-conditions) and these conditions have ever since been among ORGALIME's most widely-used legal publications. They are certainly used at a very large-scale. Millions of hard copies have been sold through the years, whereas the electronic use (under an ORGALIME licence) has increased to a very substantial level.

The ORGALIME Legal Affairs working group (consisting of lawyers representing the national member associations of ORGALIME) updates these conditions from time to time to take into account legal developments and their experience in dealing with contracts in the engineering industry. After a first review that resulted in the SE 01-conditions in 2001, the working group has now adopted a new updated text, which results in the SI 14-conditions.

The ORGALIME Supply and Installation Conditions are to a great extent based on the ORGALIME Supply Conditions, which were most recently revised in 2012 when the S 2012-conditions for supply were adopted and published. Therefore, the major changes in the ORGALIME Supply Conditions are also reflected in the ORGALIME Supply and Installation Conditions.

The SE 01-conditions have been reviewed in detail. The ORGALIME Legal Affairs working group concluded that the ORGALIME Supply and Installation Conditions have been widely accepted and endorsed in international business and meet the parties' needs. Thus, the review work could be restricted to an update of the SE 01-conditions.

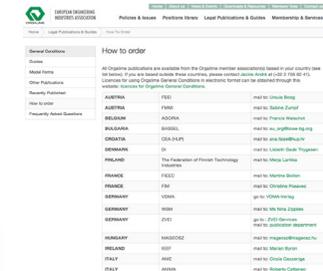
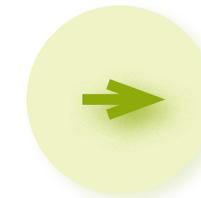
Nevertheless, some material changes have been made. New texts have been inserted and existing texts have been amended. Apart from these material changes, texts have been amended to clarify the meaning. These changes have however not changed the well-balanced nature of the conditions. Some changes may improve the position of the Contractor, whereas other changes may improve the position of the Purchaser. Finally, definitions in the existing Clause 2 have been up-dated and further specified. An overview of the major changes is available.

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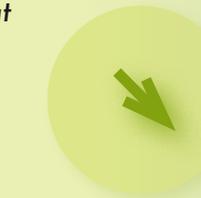
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