## **Centerplate**

## **Raleigh Convention and Performing Arts Complex**

## SAMPLE FOOD / BEVERAGE DISTRIBUTION AUTHORIZATION REQUEST

## FOOD AND BEVERAGE SAMPLING GUIDELINES

Centerplate retains the exclusive right to provide, control and maintain all food and beverage services throughout the facilities. All food and non-alcoholic beverage samples brought into the Raleigh Convention Center and or Progress Energy Center for the Performing Arts require approval from Centerplate in writing prior to the event and comply with the following guidelines:

A company or organization may not bring on to the premises food or beverage for use in the hospitality lounge, staff offices or backstage areas.

A company or organization may only distribute samples of food and non-alcoholic beverage products that the company or organization produces or sells in its normal day-to-day operations. Samples may only be distributed in such quantities that are reasonable with regard to the purpose of promoting the merchandise.

Food samples are limited to (2) ounce portions.

Non-alcoholic beverage samples are limited to (2) ounce portions. Sample cups can be no larger than (2) ounces.

Event Name	Event Date(s)	Booth Number
Firm_	Telephone #	Fax #
Address	City	State Zip
Authorized by	Signature	Date
Product(s) to be sampled		
Portion size	Proposed Method o	f distribution
Services Required: Storage Yes No		
TypeFreezer \$5.00+ per cubic foot per dayRefrigerated \$3.50+ per cubic foot per dayDry \$3.00+ per cubic foot per dayOther		
Expected arrival date	Method of	delivery
Delivery contact info		
Ice Charge - \$25.00 per bag (25#). There will be a \$25.00+ delivery charge per delivery if delivered to a booth.		
APPROVED	NOT APP	ROVED
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Please return this form to Centerplate two weeks prior to start of show to ensure confirmation. Any request received within the two week period prior to the event will be assessed a \$50.00 processing fee. NOTE: A 6.75% NC Sales Tax applies to all charges.