

General Terms and Conditions (GTC)

Hockey Talent Agency, Kragujevská 12, 010 01 Žilina

for participation in the event **RIGA CUP 2026 – Latvia**

(hereinafter referred to as “HTA”, “the organizer”, “the event” or “RIGA CUP 2026”)

1. Organizer Identification and Binding Registration

1.1. Organizer of team selections – Hockey Talent Agency

- **Name:** Hockey Talent Agency
- **Registered Address:** Kragujevská 394/12, 010 01 Žilina, Slovakia
- **ICO (Company ID):** 37977156
- **DIC (Tax ID):** 2022110442
- **Legal Form:** Association (civil association / sports club)
- **Date of Establishment:** 23 December 2005
- **SK NACE Classification:** 93120 – Activities of sports clubs
- **E-mail address:** hockey.hta2005@gmail.com

Organizer of the tournament:

- **Company:** LLC "Riga Cup Events"
- **Registration Number:** 40203079105
- **Legal Address:** Uzvaras bulvāris 10, Rīga, LV-1048, Latvia

1.2. Registration and contractual binding

1. Registration becomes binding upon submission of the completed registration form and subsequent confirmation by HTA.
 2. By submitting the registration, the participant (or legal guardian) agrees to comply with these General Terms and Conditions (GTC).
 3. Participation in team selection and in the RIGA CUP 2026 team is conditional upon meeting all sporting, health, and administrative requirements set by HTA.
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2. Payment, Fees, and Insurance

2.1. The participant undertakes to pay all participation-related fees by the deadline specified by the organizer.

2.2. Each participant must have valid health insurance covering sports injuries. Travel cancellation insurance and accident insurance for the duration of the event are strongly recommended.

2.4. HTA is not responsible for any costs arising from insufficient or invalid insurance.

3. Cancellation and Withdrawal (Cancellation Policy)

3.1. Cancellation is only possible in writing, submitted via the official Cancellation Request Form to the official HTA email address.

3.2. The date of receipt of the completed Cancellation Request Form determines eligibility for a refund.

3.3. Special cancellation conditions – injury or illness

In the event of injury or illness (medical documentation required):

- If the player's position is filled by a replacement from the waiting list, a **full refund minus a 50 EUR processing fee per person** will be issued.
- If a family member cannot travel due to the player's injury or illness and their position is filled from the waiting list, the same procedure applies.

3.4. Standard cancellation conditions (regardless of reason)

- **Cancellation by 18 January 2025:**
Full refund minus a 50 EUR processing fee per person.
- **Cancellation by 8 February 2026:**
Entitlement to a 75% refund.
- **Cancellation by 1 March 2026:**
Entitlement to a 50% refund.
- **Cancellation by 15 March 2026:**
Entitlement to a 25% refund.
- **After 15 March 2026:**
No refund.

3.5. Withdrawal from the contract

The participant acknowledges that **withdrawal from the contract is governed exclusively by these Cancellation Conditions**, as this service is tied to a specific date.

3.6. Event dates (service tied to a fixed date)

The participant acknowledges that the event is date-specific, with the following fixed team dates:

- **U16 Team:** 21–27 April 2026
- **U15 Team:** 1–7 April 2026
- **U13 Teams:** 1–7 April 2026

4. Obligations and Responsibilities of the Participant

4.1. The participant must be in good health and capable of joining all training and match activities.

4.2. Full ice-hockey equipment is mandatory.

4.3. Neither the organizer nor the coaches are responsible for damages caused by incomplete or improperly used equipment.

4.4. HTA is not liable for the loss or theft of personal belongings, mobile phones, equipment, or any other property.

4.5. Participants are strongly advised not to bring valuables.

5. Disciplinary Rules

5.1. Participants must behave professionally, respect teammates, coaches, referees, and rink facilities.

5.2. In cases of serious or repeated misconduct, the participant may be expelled without any refund.

5.3. The organizer's disciplinary decision is final.

6. Liability and Exclusion of Liability

6.1. Participation in the event is at the participant's own risk.

6.2. HTA and its staff are not liable for injuries, medical complications, damages, or losses occurring during the program, training, games, transport, or accompanying activities.

6.3. HTA is not liable for damages caused by third parties, natural disasters, force majeure, or the participant's own conduct.

6.4. Liability Limitation Clause (within EU legal limits)

HTA's liability for any damage (if liability cannot be legally excluded) is limited to:

- **Direct damages only**
 - **Up to a maximum amount equal to the total participation fee paid by the participant**
HTA is not liable for indirect, consequential, or non-material damages (including lost profit, missed opportunities, or reputational damages).
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7. Photo, Video, and Media Rights

7.1. The participant (or legal guardian) grants HTA and the tournament organizer Riga Cup Events the right to use photographs and video recordings for marketing and promotional purposes.

7.2. Legal basis for processing: **Legitimate Interest** of the sports club and event organizer to promote and document the event.

7.3. Consent withdrawal is possible only in writing and does not affect materials already published.

8. Rules for Parents and Visitors

8.1. Parents and spectators may only stay in designated safe zones.

8.2. The organizer is not liable for injuries caused by flying pucks or movement on the ice rink.

8.3. Only participants are allowed to enter the ice surface.

9. Personal Data Protection (GDPR)

9.1. Scope of processed data

HTA processes the following categories of personal data:

- Identification data (name, surname, date of birth)
- Contact data (email, phone of participant/guardian)
- Health-related information necessary for safety during sport activities
- Photo and video recordings
- Data required for hotel accommodation and Riga Cup tournament registration like passport

9.2. Purpose of processing

- Organization and administration of participation in RIGA CUP 2026
- Communication with participants and guardians
- Safety and health protection
- Marketing and promotion of HTA and Riga Cup
- Fulfillment of legal obligations

9.3. Data sharing

Data may be shared with:

- Tournament organizer Riga Cup Events
- Hotels and accommodation partners
- Transport partners (where applicable)
- Coaches and team staff

9.4. Data retention

Data are stored only for the period necessary for event administration and marketing use (max. 5 years).

9.5. Rights of the data subject

Participants can request access, correction, deletion, limitation of processing, or objection to processing at any time.

10. Final Provisions

10.1. Each participant is responsible for their own transportation **to the event, during the event, and from the event**. The organizer assumes no responsibility for the transport of participants or for any damages or incidents arising in connection with transportation.

10.2. By submitting the registration, the participant confirms that they have read and agree with these GTC.

10.3. HTA reserves the right to update these terms at any time; changes are effective upon publication.

10.4. These GTC become effective on the date of publication.

10.5. In case of discrepancies, unclear interpretations, or language differences between the English or German versions of these GTC, **the English version shall always prevail**.