Introduction:

Bioethanol stoves and fireplaces are becoming increasingly popular among exhibitors. As these involve naked flames with a greater risk of fire for NürnbergMesse if they are not used as intended, compliance with the following basic rules is mandatory.

Use:

Bioethanol stoves and fireplaces are not suitable for heating. The fire is real, but the stoves or fireplaces produce hardly any heat and the flickering flames only create a visual effect. They can be used in any room and do not need a chimney. They use the combustible liquid "bioethanol".

Conditions imposed by NürnbergMesse:

- Use only tested products. (Caution! see photo)
- The minimum separation from combustible materials, furniture etc. is 1 meter. The minimum distance from the hall gangways is 1.50 meters.
- Use only fuels approved by the stove manufacturer.
- The fuel may only be used in the combustion box or chamber provided for this purpose.
- Fuel may only be refilled when the combustion chamber has cooled down (otherwise there is a risk of jet flames!).
- Do not spill fuel. Completely remove any spilled fuel before lighting the stove
- Smoking is strictly prohibited on exhibition stands where combustible liquids are used.
- NürnbergMesse recommends using a candle lighter to light the flame.
- Only decorations approved for this kind of stove may be used in the combustion chamber.
- The maximum quantity of fuel that may be stored on each stand is 1 liter in breakable containers or 5 liters in unbreakable containers.
- The containers for bioethanol must bear the marking "GHS" (Globally Harmonized System) for the relevant hazardous substance.
- A foam extinguisher of at least S9 DIN EN 3 must be available on the stand. (Fire class AB, 9 kg).
- The equipment is to be set up firmly and secured to prevent it falling over

Important note:

The use of bioethanol stoves must always be registered in advance using **Form P2** from the Exhibitors Info Manual, and always requires the written approval of the NürnbergMesse Exhibition Technology Departement.

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Operation can only be approved if the bioethanol stoves are directly related to the exhibits on display.

