

Hobsons Voice Search 2012 Competition Terms and Conditions

1. These terms and conditions apply to the Hobsons Voice Search 2012 Competition. By entering this Competition, entrants agree to be bound by these Rules.
2. Hobsons International reserves the right to cancel or amend the Competition or the Rules without notice in the event of a catastrophe, war, civil or military disturbance, act of God or any actual or anticipated breach of any applicable law or regulation or any other event outside Hobsons International's reasonable control.
3. In the event of any dispute regarding the Rules, conduct, results and all other matters relating to the Competition, the decision of Hobsons International shall be final and no correspondence or discussion shall be entered into.

Qualifying Entrants

4. Employees (or members of the families or households of employees) of Hobsons International or any company involved in the Competition, or any advertising agency or web company connected with the Competition or any such person's subsidiary or associated companies, are not eligible to enter the Competition. Hobsons International reserves the right not to award a prize (and to select an alternative winner) if Hobsons International is aware or has reasonable grounds to believe that a winner is not eligible.
5. By entering the Competition, you hereby warrant that all information submitted by you is true, current and complete. Hobsons International reserves the right to verify the eligibility of all entrants.
6. The Competition is open to participants over 16 years, Hobsons International assumes that by using the website and entering the Competition (and you warrant that) you are aged 16 or over.
7. If you are under 18 years of age please make sure that you get the permission of your parents or legal guardians before applying.
8. If you are under 18 years of age and you are shortlisted, you must be accompanied by your parents or legal guardians at any shortlist event. If the shortlist event dates are during school term times, it is your responsibility to obtain confirmation of authorised leave of absence during school term times from your school and/or local authority, you must be accompanied by your parents or legal guardians at any shortlist event.
9. Hobsons International reserves the right to disqualify any entrant if it has reasonable grounds to believe the entrant has breached any of the Rules.
10. You must have the right to live and work in the UK, Channel Islands, Isle of Man or Republic of Ireland and be able to demonstrate that you have this right on request by the Hobsons International at any time and you agree to notify the Company immediately of any change in your immigration status.
11. In the event that any entrant is disqualified from the Competition, Hobsons International in its sole discretion may decide whether a replacement should be selected. In this event, any further entrant will be selected on the same criteria as the original entrant and will be subject to these rules.

Competition Entries

12. Participants may only enter the Competition once. If Hobsons International discovers or has reasonable grounds to believe the winner has used any software or automated process either to make bulk entries, Hobsons International may select an alternative winner. Any further winner will be selected on the same criteria as the original winner and will be subject to these Rules.
13. Competition entries must be made by June 30th 2012.
14. There is no purchase requirement to enter the Competition and there is no charge to register for use of the website.
15. Hobsons International cannot accept responsibility for any error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or transmission, communications line failure, theft, destruction, alteration of or unauthorised access to Entries, or Entries lost, damaged or delayed as a result of server functions, technical issues, virus, bugs or other causes outside Hobsons International's control.
16. Entrants should note that Hobsons International does not accept responsibility for the return of any Entries. The Competition Prize is a 12 month contract with Hobsons International for representation of all voice-over work Intellectual Property Rights & Use of Entries
17. Hobsons International does not, unless we agree this with you, claim any rights of ownership in your Entry. As such, you retain ownership of your Entry and, although Hobsons International will be able to use Entries as set out in the Rules, you will also have the right to use your Entry in any way you choose.

18. Hobsons International may also, in appropriate circumstances, and at its sole discretion, reject, edit, remove or disable access to Entries that appear to be legally or otherwise problematic e.g. infringe the copyright or other intellectual property or privacy rights of others, are defamatory etc. or for any other reason.
19. Your Entry and any information submitted by you must be personal to and relate specifically to you. You hereby warrant that your Entry and all information which you submit and/or distribute will not infringe the intellectual property, privacy or any other rights of any third party, and will not contain anything which is libellous, defamatory, obscene, indecent, harassing or threatening. If relevant, Hobsons International reserves the right, but not the obligation, to screen, filter and/or monitor information provided by you and to edit, refuse to distribute or remove the same.

Liability

20. Hobsons International cannot accept any responsibility for any damage, loss, injury or disappointment suffered by any entrant entering the Competition or as a result of accepting any prize. Hobsons International is not responsible for any problems or technical malfunction of any computer on-line systems, servers, or providers, computer equipment or software, failure of any email or entry to be received on account of technical problems or traffic congestion on the Internet, or any combination of these, including any injury or damage to entrant's or any other person's computer or mobile telephone related to or resulting from participation or downloading any materials in the Competition. Nothing shall exclude Hobsons International's liability for death or personal injury as a result of its negligence.

Data Protection and Publicity

21. Shortlisted Entrants and the Competition Winner will be requested to take part in promotional activity and Hobsons International reserves the right to use Entrants names in any publicity.
22. Any personal data relating to entrants will be used solely in accordance with current UK data protection legislation and will not be disclosed to a third party without the individual's prior consent. Data relating to entrants will be retained by Hobsons International for a reasonable period after the Competition closes to assist Hobsons International to operate competitions in a consistent manner and to deal with any queries on the Competition.

Jurisdiction

23. The Competition and Rules will be governed by English law and any disputes will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England.

How to contact us

24. You can contact us in relation to the Competition by writing to, Hobsons International, 62 Chiswick High Road, London, W4 1SY.