

Position

on the competition of Russian cities for the right to

International Theosophical Congress dedicated to the anniversary of the creation of the Theosophical Society (Adyar)

"Theosophy - the property of the Great Country"

General Provisions

1.1. These provisions of the Competition of Russian cities for the right to host the International Theosophical Congress dedicated to the anniversary of the creation of the Theosophical Society (Adyar) "Theosophy - the property of the Great Country" (hereinafter - the Regulations, Competition) establishes the procedure for the Competition

1.2. The competition is organized by the Theosophical Society of Russia / Adamant Branch with the support of the Theosophy Foundation for the Promotion of Socially Significant and Educational Activities

I.3. The partners of the competition are:

- Association of small and medium-sized cities of Russia
- Cultural Center "Peacemaking" Voronezh
- Charity Fund "Delphis" (publishing house of the scientific and philosophical magazine)
- International Art Fund
- Russian Cosmonautics Federation, RUDN Engineering Academy
- National Environmental Fund
- and others .. (under negotiation)

1.4. To determine the results of the competition, to summarize, according to the evaluation criteria (Evaluation criteria-point system Appendix No. 3), an Expert Council is formed, the Expert Council includes the Presidents of the Theosophical Society of Russia, representatives of organizers, partners, representatives of the fields of science, education, culture, bodies of state and executive power, public bodies of state and executive power, public associations (organizations, movements), other non-profit organizations, the media whose activities are based on spiritual and moral education of society, research, significant social and educational activities aimed at the ideas of humanism, tolerance, morality, mutual aid, regardless of their nationality and religion.

II. Purpose and objectives of the Competition

2.1. Competition Goal

The choice of cities for the International Theosophical Congress, in order to develop socially significant and educational activities based on theosophy in the field of science, education, culture and art in the regions of the Russian Federation.

2.2. Objectives of the Competition

- intensification of the activities of local governments, institutions and organizations of all forms of ownership, initiative citizens and the general population in the formation of the fundamental principles of coherence of all spheres for effective interaction, which will become the basis for educating the younger generation on the basis of a patriotic, spiritual and moral common sociocultural space.
- support for organizations and individuals, whose activities are aimed at the synthesis of humanitarian and natural-scientific approaches to the knowledge of man and the world;
- approve the scientific value, relevance and significance of the fundamental scientific work of E.P. Blavatsky's The Secret Doctrine;
- interaction and exchange of experience of representatives of the fields of science, education, medicine, culture aimed at integrating theosophical knowledge;
- the discovery of new names in the natural and human sciences, which base their developments, methods, and research on theosophical scientific works, which make it possible to make a new round in the development of human consciousness.
- recognition of the merits of our outstanding compatriot E.P. Blavatsky, her invaluable contribution to the development of world science and culture, the spiritual development of society.

III Contestants

3.1. Participation in the Competition may take: Cities of the Russian Federation

3.2. The Participant of the Competition is the city of the Russian Federation, the Initiator of which, within the prescribed time period, has submitted an application and a questionnaire that meets the requirements of this Regulation.

3.3. The initiator can be either an individual who has reached the age of 18 years, or a legal entity whose location is the respective city or which has its branches / representative offices in the specified city.

3.4. The Initiator must have citizenship of the Russian Federation, or a residency qualification of at least 5 years in the city, which is declared by the Initiator to participate in the Competition.

3.4. The number of bidders from one constituent entity of the Russian Federation is not limited.

IV Conditions, stages and procedure of the Competition

4.1. Conditions

The competition for the selection of cities for the International Theosophical Congress is held in 7 stages.

4.2. The implementation of the Competition takes place from 2020 to 2023.

2020 - IV Congress, according to the scores of the competitive selection

2021 - V Congress, according to the scores of the competitive selection

2022 - VI Congress, according to the scores of the competitive selection

2023 - VII Congress in the capital of the Russian Federation, Moscow (out of competition)

4.3. The application (Appendix No. 1), the application form (Appendix No. 2) are sent to the contest organizers by e-mail kongressto@mail.ru marked in the subject line of the letter "CITY COMPETITION" until **01.12.2019**

The initiator can fill out the application form and send it online at www.fondtheosophy.ru

4.4. An application without an application, as well as an application without an application, will not be accepted for participation in the Competition.

4.5. The application and application form submitted to the organizers after 12/01/2019 is not accepted for participation in the Competition.

4.6. All points in the application and questionnaire must be filled out, in the absence of anything, in the column / paragraph it must be indicated "absent".

4.7. The application and the questionnaire are accepted by the organizers with all the items completed.

4.8. Within 3 working days, the organizers of the Competition confirm receipt of the application, questionnaires and notify the Initiator of admission to the Competition.

4.9. If the conditions for submitting an application and questionnaire are not met, the organizers have the right to refuse the Initiator to participate in the Competition if the comments are not eliminated within 7 (seven) calendar days from the day the organizer sends the comments to the Initiator's email.

4.10 Decision-making by the Expert Council following the results of the Competition is not subject to revision.

4.2. Stages and order

Stage 1

Until **01.12.2019**, the acceptance of applications and questionnaires for participation in the Competition (Appendix No. 1, Appendix No. 2)

Stage 2

Until **03.12.2019**, the correspondence selection of cities-applicants for the International Theosophical Congress in accordance with the submitted applications and questionnaires.

Applicant cities that scored at least 75 points are in the fourth stage of the competition.

Stage 3

Until **December 7, 2019**, the Decision of the Expert Council (signing of the Protocol) of the selection round according to the evaluation criteria (Appendix No. 3) of the total number of applications and questionnaires of cities that scored at least 75 points.

Stage 4

Until **December 20, 2019** - a popular vote is the choice of 3 cities for the Congress. Voting - online posted on the website www.fondtheosophy.ru, and other Internet resources, including the candidate cities of the Contest participants.

Stage 5

Until **29.12. 2019** full-time stage. The distribution of the three cities-winners by the years of the Congress, which includes negotiations with the initiator of the Congress in each of the cities-winners.

Stage 6

Summing up the results of the Competition from 2020 to 2023.

From **01.01.2020 to 01.15.2020**, public notification of the results of the Competition, placement (publication) in the public domain in Internet resources, including on the site www.fondtheosophy.ru and any other public resources. The initiator receives the Winner Certificate for the right to host the International Theosophical Congress.

Stage 7

Conducting a Congress in each of the winning cities for three years.

V Financing

5.1. The contest organizers do not finance events,

implemented by the participants in the framework of the competition (advertising, publications, publication of promotional products, payment of long-distance, international negotiations, transportation services and other events related to the preparation of the Congress)

5.2. Financing of the Congress at the expense of the host.

5.3. Financial assistance in organizing the Congress is carried out by the Theosophy Support and Development Fund, partners of the competition.

VI Information support of the competition, the authority to advertise

6.1. The organizers of the competition are the copyright holder of the information support of the competition, PR, advertising, placement of articles in the media.

6.2. The organizers reserve the right to create / approve mock-ups of the advertising products of the Competition and to place them in Internet resources.

6.3. The public notification related to the organization and conduct of the Competition is carried out by the Initiator only on the provided links to the Internet resources of the organizers.

6.4. The initiator may place advertising materials, publications, videos / photos and other public materials in Internet resources, print, print, publish any advertising and other materials related to Congress organizations, only with the agreement of the organizers

6.5. Participants are encouraged to create (or support created within the framework of the Competition) and regularly fill out the presentation page for participation in the Competition in social networks, their own media and Internet resources, in accordance with clause 6.3. of these Regulations.

VII Contacts

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Details of the Competition, online application www.fondtheosophy.ru