



Your Hospitality Staffing Professionals

Attendance Policy

The cost of absenteeism and lateness is difficult to estimate, no one can calculate the cost of the burden this puts on others who have to do the absent person's work. Most people will be late or sick at one time or another. But when short-term absences become more frequent, they might signal personal, medical, or job-related problems.

It is your responsibility to notify your supervisor at least 24 hours prior to your shift of any anticipated tardiness or absence. **All tardiness or absences should be reported to the Emergency Line at 800.236.2276 x2207.** You should provide the general reason for your absence, and understand that excessive absences and lateness will lead to disciplinary action.

Below is a breakdown of how infractions will be measured. Any employee who accumulates more than **three** points in a 90-day period can result in termination of employment.


Tardy – Anybody not signed/ clocked-in by their start time. 1 Point

Call Off – Needing to be taken off a shift after schedules are sent out. It is your responsibility to request any desired time off in advance. 1 Point

LM Call-Out – Failing to provide Acrobat with 24-hour notice before missing a shift. 1 Points

No Call No Show – Failing to provide Acrobat with any notice before missing a shift. 3 Points

Name: JUAN CARLOS GUERRERO Date: 1/31/18

Signature: 

New Contractor Information

For all new contractors, please complete the following information. If you have any questions please reach out to Onboarding team at onboardingtemps@mz.com.

First Name:	JUAN CARLOS
Last Name:	GUARDADO
Start Date:	10/30/17
Work Location:	MACHINE ZONE
MZ Project Manager:	TAHN
Contact Phone:	(408) 849-0661
Contact Email:	GRDDJN@YAHOO.COM
Name of staffing or consulting firm contracted through:	ACROBAT
Assignment Duration (ex: 1 month, 3 months, 6+ months, etc.):	N/A



Harassment-Free Workplace Policy

Unlawful Harassment

The Company strives to provide all employees with an environment free of sexual or other unlawful harassment. Harassment against individuals on the basis of pregnancy, childbirth or related medical conditions, race, religious creed, color, gender (including gender identity and gender expression), national origin or ancestry, physical or mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, marital status, registered domestic partner status, age, sexual orientation or any other classification protected by applicable local, state or federal employment discrimination laws is illegal and a violation of Company policy. Unlawful harassment of any type will not be tolerated at Machine Zone. The Company's anti-harassment policy applies to all persons involved in the operation of the Company and prohibits unlawful harassment by any employee of the Company, including Leaders and employees, as well as any clients, vendors, customers, independent contractors or any other person having contact with Company employees. It also prohibits unlawful harassment based on the perception that anyone has any of those characteristics, or is associated with a person who has or is perceived as having any of those characteristics.

Definition of Harassment: Prohibited unlawful harassment includes any conduct that has the purpose or effect of unreasonably interfering with an individual's work performance or creating an intimidating, hostile or offensive work environment based on that individual's membership in a protected class. Prohibited unlawful harassment includes, but is not limited to, the following behavior:

- Verbal conduct such as epithets, derogatory jokes or comments, slurs or unwanted sexual advances, invitation, or comments;
- Visual displays, which are not an art asset for Machine Zone's games and products, such as derogatory and/or sexually-oriented posters, photography, cartoons, drawings, or gestures;
- Physical conduct including assault, unwanted touching, intentionally blocking normal movement or interfering with work because of sex, race, or any other protected basis;
- Threats and demands to submit to sexual requests as a condition of continued employment, or to avoid some other loss, and offers of employment benefits in return for sexual favors;
- Retaliation for reporting or threatening to report harassment;
- Rude or aggressive managerial conduct directed at one sex more frequently than the other; and,
- Extensive sexual favoritism or favoring employees who engage in sexual conduct with a Leader.
- Communication via electronic media of any type that includes any harassing conduct that is prohibited by state and/or federal law, or by company policy.

In particular, sexual harassment is defined as any unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature which (1) has been made either explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of an individual's employment (or other contract relationship), (2) is used as a basis for employment (or other contract) decisions such as promotions and benefits affecting such individual, or (3) substantially interferes with an individual's work (or contract) performance or creates an intimidating, hostile, or offensive working environment.

In addition, conduct based on any of the categories listed above, or any other characteristic protected by law, is not appropriate for the workplace and is prohibited, regardless of whether an individual makes a claim of harassment.

Machine Zone will take disciplinary action up to and including the immediate termination of any employee who violates this policy. If you feel that you have been harassed, or that you have witnessed harassment, you should immediately report such conduct either verbally or in writing to your leader, Human Resources or any other management-level employee with whom you feel comfortable. It would be best to communicate your complaint in writing, but this is not mandatory. Your complaint should include details of the incident or incidents, names of individuals involved, and names of any witnesses. All complaints of harassment will be investigated by Human Resources. The Company will promptly undertake a thorough and objective investigation of the harassment allegations.

If the Company determines that unlawful harassment has occurred, effective remedial action will be taken in accordance with the circumstances involved. Any employee determined by the Company to be responsible for unlawful harassment will be subject to appropriate disciplinary action, up to, and including termination. The Company will not retaliate against you for filing a complaint or participating as a witness in an investigation and will not tolerate or permit retaliation by management, employees, or co-workers.

The Company encourages all employees to report any incidents of harassment immediately so that complaints can be quickly and fairly resolved. You should also be aware that the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission and the California Department of Fair Employment and Housing investigate and process complaints of prohibited harassment in employment. If you think you have been harassed or you have been retaliated against for resisting or complaining, you may also file a complaint with the appropriate agency. Please check your telephone book for the nearest agency.

Please contact Human Resources if you have any questions about this policy or the subject of sexual or other harassment.

Receipt acknowledgement

I have been given a copy of the Machine Zone Harassment and Discrimination Policy. It is my responsibility to read and understand the matters set forth in this Policy. The Policy states Machine Zone's zero-tolerance stance regarding harassment and discrimination, and I agree to abide by, and be accountable to this Policy.

I understand and acknowledge that the company has the right, without prior notice, to modify, amend or terminate this Policy within the limits and requirements imposed by law. Furthermore, I will rely on any promises, statements or representations to the contrary only if they are in writing and signed by an authorized member of the company's executive management.

Signature: 

Print name: IVAN CARLOS GUARDADO

Date: 1/10/2018

CONFIDENTIALITY AND ARBITRATION AGREEMENT

Machine Zone, Inc. ("Machine Zone" or the "Company") and VG, an individual ("Contractor") hereby make the following agreement regarding the treatment of confidential information and the resolution of disputes with Machine Zone. Machine Zone and Contractor recognize that differences may arise between Machine Zone and Contractor during or following Contractor's provision of services to the Company. In consideration of the mutual promises herein, and in consideration of Contractor's continued opportunity to provide services to Machine Zone, the parties agree to the following Confidentiality and Arbitration Agreement (the "Agreement"). Other than as expressly provided in the parties' agreement to arbitrate disputes as expressed below, the Agreement does not alter or amend any prior agreements between Machine Zone and Contractor. Further, the Agreement does not alter or amend any agreements between Contractor and third parties, nor does it amend or alter any agreements between Machine Zone and third parties. "Services" shall refer to any work or service performed by Contractor on behalf of or for the benefit of Machine Zone, whether on Machine Zone's premises or elsewhere.

1. Confidential Information

1.1 Definition. Contractor acknowledges that it will have access to information that is treated as confidential and proprietary by Machine Zone, including without limitation, trade secrets, technology, and information relating to Machine Zone's business operations and strategies, customers, pricing, marketing, finances, sourcing, personnel, its affiliates or suppliers, in each case whether spoken, printed, electronic or in any other form or medium (collectively, "Confidential Information"). Any Confidential Information that Contractor develops in connection with the Services shall be subject to the terms and conditions of this Section and any applicable Non-Disclosure Agreement ("NDA") executed by the Parties. Contractor agrees to (a) hold the Confidential Information in confidence, (b) not disclose the Confidential Information to any third party, and (c) not use any Confidential Information for any purpose except for the purpose of performing the Services. Contractor agrees to treat all of the Confidential Information with at least the same degree of care that it uses to protect its own confidential and proprietary information, but no less than a reasonable degree of care under the circumstances. Contractor may disclose the Confidential Information to Contractor's personnel with a bona fide need to know it in order to perform the Services, but only to Contractor's personnel who have signed a nondisclosure agreement at least as protective of Machine Zone's rights as those terms and conditions applicable to Contractor under this Agreement; provided that it is understood that, barring a separate written agreement, access to Machine Zone's Confidential Information will not restrict Contractor's assignment of any employees or contractors or restrict in any way Machine Zone's business plans. Contractor will not make any copies of the Confidential Information except as necessary for Contractor's personnel with a need to know as described in this Agreement. Any copies which are made will be identified as belonging to Machine Zone and marked "confidential" or with a similar legend.

1.2 Exclusions. Confidential Information shall not include information that:

- (a) is now, or hereafter becomes, through no act or failure to act on the part of Contractor, generally known or available to the public;

(b) is rightfully acquired by Contractor before receiving the information from Machine Zone and without restriction as to use or disclosure;

(c) is hereafter rightfully furnished to Contractor by a third party, without restriction as to use or disclosure;

(d) is independently developed by Contractor without reference to Machine Zone's Confidential Information; or

(e) is generally made available to third parties by Machine Zone without restriction on disclosure.


A disclosure by Contractor in response to either a valid order by a court or other governmental body, or as otherwise required by law, will not be considered to be a breach of this Agreement; provided that Contractor provides Machine Zone with a prompt prior written notice of the intended disclosure sufficient to enable Machine Zone to seek a protective order or otherwise prevent such disclosure, and provided further that Contractor provides all cooperation to Machine Zone at Machine Zone's request and expense to prevent such disclosure. Contractor acknowledges receipt of the following notice required pursuant to 18 U.S.C § 1833(b)(1): "An individual shall not be held criminally or civilly liable under any Federal or State trade secret law for the disclosure of a trade secret that (A) is made (i) in confidence to a Federal, State, or local government official, either directly or indirectly, or to an attorney; and (ii) solely for the purpose of reporting or investigating a suspected violation of law; or (B) is made in a complaint or other document filed in a lawsuit or other proceeding, if such filing is made under seal."

2. Arbitration and Class Action Waiver. Contractor and Machine Zone hereby agree to submit to mandatory binding arbitration any dispute, claim or controversy between them, including disputes claims or controversy's arising out of, relating to or connected with this Agreement or the Services provided to or on behalf of Machine Zone, including, but by no means limited to, claims of breach of contract (express or implied), breach of the covenant of good faith and fair dealing, fraud, tort claims of any kind, claims based upon any federal, state or local ordinance, statute or regulation, and claims for compensation of any kind (the "Arbitrable Claims"). Arbitration shall be final and binding upon the parties. Arbitration shall be the exclusive method by which to resolve all Arbitrable Claims, in accordance with the arbitration provisions set forth in California Code of Civil Procedure Sections 1280 through 1294.2, and pursuant to California law. Further, to the fullest extent permitted by law, the parties agree that no class or representative actions can be asserted in arbitration or otherwise. All claims, whether in arbitration or otherwise, must be brought solely in Contractor's or the Company's individual capacity, and not as a plaintiff or class member in any purported class or collective proceeding. THE PARTIES HEREBY WAIVE ANY RIGHTS THEY MAY HAVE TO TRIAL BY JURY IN REGARD TO ARBITRABLE CLAIMS. THE PARTIES FURTHER WAIVE ANY RIGHTS THEY MAY HAVE TO PURSUE OR PARTICIPATE IN A CLASS OR COLLECTIVE ACTION PERTAINING TO ANY CLAIMS BETWEEN CONTRACTOR AND THE COMPANY. The parties agree that a neutral arbitrator from the Judicial Arbitration and Mediation Services, Inc. ("JAMS") will administer any such arbitration(s) in accordance with applicable JAMS arbitration rules, which are

available at <http://www.jamsadr.com/rules-comprehensive-arbitration/>. All arbitration hearings shall be conducted in Santa Clara County, California. The arbitrator shall issue a written decision with the essential findings and conclusions on which the decision is based. If, for any reason, any part or portion of this arbitration clause is held to be invalid or unenforceable, all other valid parts and portions shall be severable in nature, and remain fully enforceable.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have signed this Agreement as of the Effective Date.

MACHINE ZONE, INC.

By: 
Victoria Valenzuela
General Counsel

2225 E. Bayshore Drive, Suite 200

Palo Alto, CA 94303

Date: _____

CONTRACTOR

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