STANDARD TERMS FOR THE COMPETITION

GENERAL

1. These terms and conditions, together with the terms and conditions that are specific to any Competition (as defined below) (the 'Competition Terms') are known as the 'Rules'. Words used in the Competition Terms shall have the same meaning when used here. In the event of any conflict between the Competition Terms and the Standard Terms, the Competition Terms shall prevail.
2. The Rules apply to any competition (the 'Competition') that is promoted on the SHABA (www.scottishhairandbeautyawards.com) website and by entering the Competition, you agree to be bound by the Rules.
3. SHABA, reserve the right to cancel or amend all or any part of the Competition and/or the Rules without notice for any event that is outside of SHABA’s control. Any changes to the Rules, or cancellation of the Competition, will be posted on the SHABA website (www.scottishhairandbeautyawards.com). It is the responsibility of entrants to keep themselves informed as to any changes to the Rules.
4. In the event of any dispute regarding the Rules, the conduct or results of the Competition, or any other matter relating to a Competition, the decision of the SHABA shall be final and unchallengeable and no correspondence or discussion shall be entered into, comment issued, or reason given in respect of any decision made by SHABA.

COMPETITION ENTRANTS

1. By entering the Competition, you hereby warrant that all information submitted by you in your Entry is true, accurate and complete in every respect. SHABA reserves the right to verify any information contained in your Entry and/or your eligibility to enter the Competition.
2. Unless otherwise stated in the Competition Terms, the Competition is only open to persons who are resident and operate their businesses in Scotland.
3. Unless otherwise stated in the Competition Terms, the Competition is open to persons of 16 years of age and over.
4. SHABA reserve the right in its absolute discretion to disqualify any entrant if it has reasonable grounds to believe that an entrant has breached any of the Rules, any applicable law (including copyright law) or has otherwise infringed the intellectual property of any other person. Each entrant acknowledges and agrees that any failure to comply with the Rules could lead to SHABA disqualifying that person, without SHABA giving any reason for such disqualification or granting any opportunity for challenge.

COMPETITION ENTRIES

1. Entries must be made by the Closing Date and in the manner set out in the Competition Terms. Failure to do so will result in disqualification.
2. There is a requirement to pay the entry fee in order to enter the Competition.
3. You are permitted to enter as many titles as applies to your skill set.

WINNERS

1. Award winners will be selected and notified in the manner set out in the Competition Terms. No Award will be awarded where any entrant has committed any form of misconduct (as determined by SHABA in its sole discretion).
2. Where Entries are judged on artistic or other subjective criteria, SHABA reserves the right to set amend the criteria used to judge Entries.
3. Awards are non-transferable and there is no cash alternative.

LIABILITY

1. SHABA accepts no responsibility for any damage, loss, injury (other than our liability for personal injury or death as a result of our negligence) or disappointment of any kind suffered by any entrant in entering the Competition, including as a result of any entrant winning or not winning any Award.
2. SHABA accepts no responsibility for Entries lost, damaged or delayed in the post, or due to computer error in transit.

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS AND DATA PROTECTION

1. You agree that SHABA (and any third party authorised by SHABA) may use your Entry (whether or not it wins the Competition) for any promotional purpose (for example, placing it on the SHABA website or on any poster, leaflet or other advertising media). You confirm that your Entry is original that you own and have the right to license to SHABA the copyright and other intellectual property rights in the Entry for the purposes referred to in these Rules. You will retain ownership of copyright in your Entry but you give SHABA (and any third party authorised by SHABA) your irrevocable permission to use, reproduce, publish, display, transmit, copy, amend, store, sell and sub-licence your Entry worldwide for such promotional purposes and for the purposes of the Competition.
2. SHABA will use any personal information that you provide with your Entry for the purposes of the Competition and, where you have given your consent, for marketing purposes including the distribution of regular email updates or newsletters. Any personal information relating to entrants will be used solely by us in accordance with applicable data protection legislation.
3. All Award-winners unconditionally agree (as a condition of accepting any Award) to: (a) the use of their name, one or more photographs of themselves and disclosure of their county of residence.
4. GOVERNING LAW AND JURISDICTION
5. The Rules and any dispute or claim arising out of or in connection with them or their subject matter (including the Competition), existence, negotiation, validity, termination or enforceability (including non-contractual disputes or claims) shall be governed by and construed in accordance with Scottish law.
6. The Courts of Scotland shall have exclusive jurisdiction in relation to any dispute or claim arising out of or in connection with the Rules or their subject matter, existence, negotiation, validity, termination or enforceability (including non-contractual disputes or claims).