



## Christmas Special Edition 2022

### Official Contest Rules

#### I. CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS

The Submission period for the X-Mas Special Edition 2022 will be officially opened on 17/12/2022 00:00 AM CET. The submission period will close on 24/12/2022 at exactly 13:30 PM CET. Submissions that will be sent after the deadline ends will be considered invalid.

#### II. PARTICIPANTS

Valid applications can be received only from current active Eurovision Memories Song Contest players. Special cases can be discussed only within the Eurovision Memories Fairness Committee. If you are currently not an active participant, please mail us at [florin@eurovisionmemories.net](mailto:florin@eurovisionmemories.net) and tell us your case to establish whether you can compete or not.

If you are registered with the Eurovision Memories Song Contest but you do not currently take part in the usual editions, you can still submit a valid application for the Xmas Special Edition 2022.

#### III. COUNTRY SELECTION

It is not mandatory to participate with the country you usually take part at EM. If an agreement is reached with the current owner of the country, switches can be made but rule no. II must be applied.

#### IV. THE PARTICIPANT

- a) Will vote and comply with the current rules. Voting after the established deadline will be considered invalid and disqualification will be applied.
- b) Will comply with deadline that will be previously established by the organizer.
- c) Will submit votes on time with no further delays, else disqualification or the usual EM FEE penalty will be applied.
- d) Will submit a valid song which did not take part in the competition

before. Submitting a previous-used song can lead to permanent disqualification. The full list of previous song is available on the Xmas Special Edition 2022 Website.

#### V. THE ORGANIZER

- a) Will update the website and publish the results in the communicated deadlines.
- b) Will organize a transparent selection.
- c) Will cooperate with the Eurovision Memories Fairness Committee for the full organization of the contest.

#### VI. THE DEADLINES

Submission period was established to be organized between December 17 and December 24th. The voting deadline will be previously established by the organizer and published on the X-Mas Edition 2022 page accordingly. The organizer reserves the right to establish a max number of participants, deny applications that are not valid according to the EM regulation and organize the contest. The current Regulation was approved and will be valid as of 17/12/2022.

If the number of submissions is under 15, the Semifinal Show will be eliminated and only the Grand Final on 27/12/2022 will be organized. The official communication will be done via email & social media.

#### VII. THE SONG

The participant has to make sure that the submitted song did not take part in the Xmas Edition before. Songs related to the cold season, winter, or Christmas are considered valid.



