

PLEASE READ COMPLETELY AND UNDERSTAND FULLY BEFORE SIGNING.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT

VOLUNTARY DISCLOSURE CONSENT

In signing this form, I declare that all the information herein is valid and am aware that SLO-PITCH NATIONAL SOFTBALL INC., or its agents may contact any persons or sources necessary for verification of validity. I am aware that my signature hereon may be used for verification of legality in protests. I warrant that I am physically fit to participate and that I am of legal age to sign this agreement OR have read and completed fully the "UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE" section below. I am aware that events may not allow the participation of minors or persons under the age of eighteen years.

**** WAIVER OF RESPONSIBILITY, RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK**

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in SLO-PITCH NATIONAL SOFTBALL INC. (sometimes known as Slo-Pitch National) events, in this and any future year, I appreciate, acknowledge and agree,

(1) that there is significant risk of injury or damage, including the potential for permanent paralysis and for death, in slo-pitch softball, including also injury and/or damage resulting from ordinary negligence or the carelessness of league officials, other players, coaches, managers, conveners, umpires, sponsors, officials and agents and I agree to assume all such risk of injury or damage.

(2) that a benefit is realized by me through participation in and/or attendance at SLO-PITCH NATIONAL events; and in consideration of being allowed to participate and/or attend in any way. I for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and successors, **HEREBY RELEASE FROM ANY AND ALL PRESENT AND FUTURE CLAIMS AND LIABILITY AND HOLD BLAMELESS AND AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND WAIVE ALL CLAIMS** against SLO-PITCH NATIONAL SOFTBALL INC. and all players, coaches, managers, conveners, umpires, sponsors, affiliated leagues, agents and owners or operators of slo-pitch and/or softball fields or facilities in respect of any personal injury, loss or damage, **however caused, now and forever.**

(3) that this agreement shall be in accordance with the laws of whatever province or territory shall prevail and that should any part of this agreement be held invalid for any reason, the balance of the agreement shall be held in full force.

IN ADDITION, I AGREE TO, AT ALL TIMES, INSPECT EQUIPMENT, PLAYING FIELDS, PREMISES AND EVENT-RELATED FACILITIES FOR POSSIBLE RISK AND DETERMINE FOR MYSELF THAT CONDITIONS ARE ACCEPTABLE FOR ME TO COMMENCE OR CONTINUE PARTICIPATION AND/OR ATTENDANCE.

IF I **OBSERVE** ANY UNUSUAL SIGNIFICANT HAZARD DURING PARTICIPATION AND/OR ATTENDANCE, I **WILL REMOVE MYSELF** FROM PARTICIPATION AND/OR ATTENDANCE AND IMMEDIATELY BRING SUCH HAZARD TO THE ATTENTION OF THE NEAREST OFFICIAL.

I ALSO AGREE THAT MY PARTICIPATION AND/OR ATTENDANCE COMMENCING AND/OR CONTINUING, INDICATES ACCEPTANCE OF EQUIPMENT, FIELDS, CONDITIONS, PREMISES ET AL, I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL RISKS AND RESPONSIBILITY FOR MY PARTICIPATION AND/OR ATTENDANCE, COMMENCING OR CONTINUING.

AND I hereby grant to SLO-PITCH NATIONAL SOFTBALL INC. and their agents, the irrevocable right to use my name, face, or other likeness for any and all purposes, including to advertise any event or possible future event.

**** MANAGERS/COACHES RESPONSIBILITIES**

In signing as a manager/coach, I **hereby declare** that I understand all the responsibilities of a manager/coach, and that I am 18 years of age or older, I declare that the persons listed are eligible to play for the team named hereon and are members or are eligible to become members in good standing of SLO-PITCH NATIONAL SOFTBALL INC. in the division/category as identified. I **agree to make all reasonable effort** to control the conduct of all team members, staff, accompanying personnel and fans and/or family members and will **advise said persons** that they are fully responsible for any damage caused or incurred by them. We also agree to hold safe and return to SLO-PITCH NATIONAL any trophies or awards necessitated by our participation in SLO-PITCH NATIONAL activities and accept responsibility for said return within the timeframe established by SLO-PITCH NATIONAL.

PLAYERS UNDER EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF AGE - MUST BE MINIMUM SIXTEEN (16) YEARS OF AGE

I hereby acknowledge and confirm that my parent(s) guardian(s) have explained the foregoing to me.

_____ (NAME) a person under eighteen (18) years of age, and not younger than sixteen (16) years of age, hereby acknowledge having read the foregoing and acknowledge and confirm the same. Furthermore, we state that we have explained the same to the said minor. We also certify that as parent or guardian with legal responsibilities for this person, I/we do consent to and agree to his/her release as provided above of all the releasees and for myself, my heirs, and next of kin, I release and agree to indemnify the releasees from any and all liabilities incident to my minor child's involvement or participation in programs/events provided EVEN IF ARISING FROM THEIR NEGLIGENCE.
(NOTE: Both parents/guardians must sign.)

Minor's Name (please print)

Minor's Signature (Must also sign on front)

Parent/Guardian Name (please print)

Parent/Guardian Name (please print)

Parent/Guardian Signature

/Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

/Date

***** MISCELLANEOUS RESTRICTIONS**

Maximum awards presented at most tournaments and championships will be less than (16) sixteen.

ALL TEAM MEMBERS, INCLUDING PLAYERS, COACHES AND MANAGERS ARE CONSIDERED RESPONSIBLE AND MAY BE HELD LIABLE FOR: ANY TEAM PURPOSELY ATTEMPTING TO ENTER IN A LOWER DIVISION: FOR USING INELIGIBLE OR FRAUDULENTLY REPRESENTED PLAYERS: FOR ABUSE, MISUSE, UNSPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT, FRAUD OR CONDUCT CONSIDERED BY SPN TO BE DETRIMENTAL TO THE SPORT OR SPN.