



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

GENERAL RELEASE

Submit completed form to: N/A

In consideration of _____, (name of passenger) being a passenger and/or operator ("passenger") of a State-owned motor vehicle or watercraft (the "activity") on the date listed below, I _____ (adult passenger's name/or legal guardian or parent of minor passenger), agree to assume all the liabilities and inherent risks in any activity connected with the activity. The inherent risks of the activity are: slipping and falling, drowning, collision with objects or people, and serious bodily injury, including death; the negligence of others on the road or waterways, mine or my child's negligence; and failure to warn of an inherent risk. My or my child's participation in activity is purely voluntary and I elect to participate or allow my child to participate in spite of the risks. I hereby release and waive any claims or causes of such action which I or my child may have now or hereafter against the State of Florida, Department of Environmental Protection, and/or the Board or Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund (collectively, the "State"), its officers, employees, and agents, arising out of or resulting from any damages, including injuries, illness, or claims which may be attributed to my or my child's participation in said activity. I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless the State from and against all liabilities, claims damages, injuries, losses and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees and costs arising out of or resulting from my or my child's participation in said activity.

This General Release shall be binding upon me, my heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns.

NOTICE TO THE MINOR CHILD'S NATURAL GUARDIAN

READ THIS FORM COMPLETELY AND CAREFULLY. YOU ARE AGREEING TO LET YOUR MINOR CHILD ENGAGE IN A POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS ACTIVITY. YOU ARE AGREEING THAT, EVEN IF THE STATE USES REASONABLE CARE IN PROVIDING THIS ACTIVITY, THERE IS A CHANCE THAT YOUR CHILD MAY BE SERIOUSLY INJURED OR KILLED BY PARTICIPATING IN THIS ACTIVITY BECAUSE THERE ARE CERTAIN DANGERS INHERENT IN THE ACTIVITY WHICH CANNOT BE AVOIDED OR ELIMINATED. BY SIGNING THIS FORM, YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR CHILD'S RIGHT AND YOUR RIGHT TO RECOVER FROM THE STATE IN A LAWSUIT FOR ANY PERSONAL INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH, TO YOUR CHILD OR ANY PROPERTY DAMAGE THAT RESULTS FROM THE RISKS THAT ARE A NATURAL PART OF THE ACTIVITY. YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REFUSE TO SIGN THIS FORM, AND STATE HAS THE RIGHT TO REFUSE TO LET YOUR CHILD PARTICIPATE IF YOU DO NOT SIGN THIS FORM.

Passenger Travel Date(s): _____

Adult Passenger Signature on their own Behalf

Signature Date

Signature of Parent, Legal Guardian or other Person Authorized to Sign for Minor/on Behalf of the Minor

Signature Date

Form Received by

Date Received