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Rideau
Roundtable

**RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS
ASSUMPTION OF RISKS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT**
By signing this document you will waive certain legal rights, including the right to sue.
PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

AWARENESS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

I understand that during participation in the Rideau Roundtable's Rideau Experience Voyageur canoeing activity ("Activity"), I may be exposed to a variety of hazards and risks, foreseen or unforeseen, which are inherent in this Activity. These inherent risks include, but are not limited to, the dangers of serious personal injury, property damage, and death ("Injuries and Damages") from exposure to the hazards of the Activity. The Rideau Roundtable has not tried to contradict or minimize my understanding of these risks. I know that these Injuries and Damages can occur by natural causes or activities of other persons, participants, animals, Activity members, Activity leaders, directors, officers, owners of the facilities where the activities occur, volunteers, and assistants or third parties, either as a result of negligence or because of other reasons.

I freely accept and fully assume all risks and the possibility of personal injury, death, property damage, expense and related loss, including loss of income.

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IN CONSIDERATION OF Rideau Roundtable and Paddle Canada accepting my application to participate in this activity, I AGREE AND CONFIRM MY UNDERSTANDING:

1. TO WAIVE and DISCHARGE any and all CLAIMS that I have or may in the future have against the Rideau Roundtable and Paddle Canada, its officers, directors, employees, agents, and leaders from any and all liability on account of, or in any way resulting from Injuries and Damages connected with this Activity.
2. TO HOLD HARMLESS the Rideau Roundtable and Paddle Canada, its officers, directors, employees, agents, and leaders from any claims, damages, injuries or losses caused by my own negligence while a participant on the Activity. I understand and intend that this assumption of risk and release is binding upon my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, and includes any minors accompanying me on the Activity.
3. TO HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY Rideau Roundtable and Paddle Canada from any and all liability for any damage to property of, or personal injury to, any third party resulting from my participation in this Activity.
4. TO RELEASE Rideau Roundtable & Paddle Canada from any & all liability for any injury, death, property damage, expense & related loss, including of loss of income that I or my next of kin may suffer as a result of my participation in this activity.
5. TO GIVE MY PERMISSION for the free use of my name and image in broadcast, telecast or other media account of the Activity and for the promotional purposes of Rideau Roundtable's Rideau Experience Program in Voyageur Canoeing.
6. I further state that I am 18 years of age or older and in proper physical condition to participate in this Activity.
7. This Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the laws of Canada and Ontario. If any provision or any part of any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or legally unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of this Agreement shall not be affected thereby and shall remain valid and fully enforceable.
8. This Agreement is binding on not only myself, but my next of kin, heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns.

THE 2019 NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

9. I am currently not experiencing COVID-19 symptoms.
10. I have not provided care or had close contact with any person with COVID-19 or with any person reasonably suspected of having COVID-19 in the last 5 days.
11. I represent and warrant to the Releasees that I have not been advised by the Government of Canada or Ontario Public Health or my doctor or the Ontario Ministry of Health website to self-isolate due to possible exposure to COVID-19.

12. I am fully aware of the risks and hazards with respect to COVID-19 inherent in my participation in the tour.
13. I freely and voluntarily agree to assume the risk with respect to COVID-19, including the risk of death, bodily injury or property damage, regardless of severity, that I (or my child/ward) may sustain as a result of my participation during the tours, howsoever arising, including, but not limited to, the active or passive negligence of the Releasees.

I HAVE READ THIS AGREEMENT AND UNDERSTAND IT. I AM AWARE THAT BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT I AM WAIVING CERTAIN RIGHTS WHICH I OR MY NEXT OF KIN, HEIRS, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, AND ASSIGNS MAY HAVE AGAINST RIDEAU ROUNDTABLE, VOYAGEUR CANOEING, AND OTHERS.

Date Signed: Year _____ Month _____ Day _____

Signature of Applicant _____ Print Name _____

Phone _____ Email** _____ Postal Code _____

Signature of Witness _____ Print Name _____

** Please initial here _____ to give the Rideau Roundtable your permission to contact you in the future regarding specific Rideau Roundtable and/or Rideau Experience programs or activities that may be of interest to you.

We assure you that we will NOT knowingly lend, sell, give or publish your personal and/or contact information.

This information is exclusively for the use of the Rideau Roundtable and Rideau Experience, a project of the Rideau Roundtable. Further, we assure you that we will not abuse the privilege of contacting you.

Thank you.