COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES - SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

AGREEMENT ASSUMING RISK OF INJURY OR DAMAGE, WAIVER AND RELEASE OF CLAIMS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, I,,
(being/not being) over the age of eighteen and not being a member of the Los Angeles
County Sheriff's Department ("Sheriff's Department"), have made a voluntary request to ride as a
guest in a vehicle assigned to the Sheriff's Department and/or to accompany a member or
members of the Sheriff's Department during the performance of their official duties, and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff's Department is willing to allow me to ride as a guest in a vehicle assigned to the Sheriff's Department and/or to accompany a member or members of the Sheriff's Department during the performance of their duties on the following conditions.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the permission given to me to ride in a vehicle assigned to the Sheriff's Department and/or to accompany a member or members of the Sheriff's Department during the performance of their official duties, I do hereby agree:

- 1. That I am aware that the work of the Sheriff's Department is inherently dangerous and that I may be subjected to the risk of death or personal injury or damage to my property by riding in a vehicle assigned to the Sheriff's Department and/or accompanying a member or members of the Sheriff's Department during the performance of their official duties and that I freely, voluntarily and with such knowledge assume such risk of death, personal and/or bodily injury, or property damage arising from or in any way connected with riding in a vehicle assigned to the Sheriff's Department or while accompanying any member of the Sheriff's Department during the performance of their official duties, including such risk of death, personal and/or bodily injury, or property damage arising from but not limited to: the use of firearms or other weapons, acts by law violators or suspected law violators, assault, riot, breach of the peace, fire, explosion, gas, electrocution or the escape of or exposure to radioactive or toxic substances.
- 2. That the County of Los Angeles Sheriff, Robert Luna, the Sheriff's Department, and their officers, directors, employees and agents shall not be responsible or liable for any bodily injury, death, personal injury, invasion of privacy, trespass, property damage, defamation, or any other injury and/or claim suffered or incurred by me while riding in any vehicle assigned to the Sheriff's Department or while accompanying any member or members of the Sheriff's Department during the performance of their official duties.
- 3. That I hereby indemnify the County of Los Angeles, Sheriff Robert Luna, the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, and their officers, directors, employees, partners and agents against any claims, costs, lawsuits, liabilities, damages, expenses or losses, including reasonable

attorneys' fees and all reasonable actual out-of-pocket related costs (collectively, "Claims"), for damages of any nature whatsoever, including but not limited to bodily injury, death, personal injury, invasion of privacy, trespass, property damage, defamation or any other personal injury and/or claims arising from or in connection with any actual or claimed intentional or negligent act or omission of mine while riding in any vehicle assigned to the Sheriff's Department and/or while accompanying any member or members of the Sheriff's Department during the performance of their official duties. Notwithstanding anything contained herein, the County Counsel of Los Angeles will have the exclusive right to choose the counsel to represent the County of Los Angeles, Sheriff Robert Luna, the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, and their officers, directors, employees, partners and agents in connections with such Claims.

I hereby represent that I have carefully read and understand the contents of this document and sign the same of my own free will.

	Print Name
Dated:	
	Signature
	
Witness	Signature of Parent or Guardian
	(if Applicant is a Minor)

<u>CAUTION</u> READ THIS DOCUMENT IN FULL BEFORE SIGNING

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