

**VEX® ROBOTICS COMPETITION EVENT
CONSENT, RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS
AND AUTHORIZATION TO REPRODUCE PHYSICAL LIKENESS**

Event(s): _____ Team #: _____

Role (Please Circle): Mentor/Adult Student Participant Volunteer

This is a Consent, Release of Rights, Hold Harmless and Authorization Agreement ("Agreement") between the VEX® Robotics Competition, the Robotics Education and Competition Foundation, Inc., VEX Robotics, Inc., and officers, directors, employees and Designees of each of same (collectively, "VEX Robotics"), and Participant (defined below and referred to as "I", "Me", "My" and "Participant"). "Designees" includes those persons or entities (including third-parties not affiliated with Vex Robotics) managing, contracting, sponsoring, hosting, conducting, evaluating or publicizing (including individuals and third-party entities working with VEX® Robotics in print, publication, television, broadcast or video media) the VEX® Robotics Competition. As used in this Agreement, "Participant" shall mean any individual, student, mentor, teacher, volunteer, or other person or entity involved in a VEX® Robotics Competition event, including, without limitation, the VEX® World Championship Event.

In consideration of My participation in one or more VEX® Robotics Competition events, I agree to the following:

I hereby grant VEX Robotics the right to photograph, videotape, or otherwise digitally record or collect My name, biography, image, likeness, voice, sounds, plus any other information I provide, associated with My attendance at and/or participation in any VEX® Robotics Competition events. I further acknowledge that any works made by or for VEX Robotics ("Works") to be "works made for hire," under applicable copyright laws, and to the extent I have or may claim any rights in or to such Works, I hereby grant to VEX Robotics any and all such rights, including, without limitation, the right to use or sub-license these Works in any and all media, now known or later discovered or developed, and in all forms and for all purposes, including without limitation, advertising and other promotions for VEX® Robotics Competition and Vex Robotics Competition events, without any further consideration due to Me or any limitation whatsoever.

I recognize that there may be risks associated with attending and/or participating in a VEX® Robotics Competition event, including, without limitation, risks inherent in the construction and/or operation of robots, working with electrical connections, operating or handling tools or sharp objects, traveling to and from events, and participating in public competitions. These risks include the risk of injury (including without limitation, serious bodily harm and even death) and property damage. Being fully cognizant of the risks in participating in any such event, I hereby fully and willingly assume those risks. Except to the extent due to the gross negligence or willful misconduct of VEX Robotics, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable laws, I HEREBY WAIVE ANY CLAIMS OR CAUSES OF ACTION which I may now have or hereafter arises against VEX Robotics arising out of or connected to My participation in any VEX® Robotics Competition event (including, without limitation, the VEX® World Championship Event), and I will indemnify and hold harmless VEX Robotics against any and all claims against any such entity or person resulting from same.

I HEREBY RELEASE VEX Robotics and each of their respective employees, officers, directors, successors, assigns, affiliates, licensees and agents from any and all claims, demands, liabilities, damages, costs and expenses, attorneys' fees, other professional fees and expenses, including, without limitation, any claims for compensation, defamation, or invasion of privacy, or other infringements or violations of personal or property rights of any sort whatsoever that I may now have or hereafter may arise against VEX Robotics in connection with my participation in any VEX® Robotics Competition event.

In the event I should sustain any injuries or illness while attending and/or participating in a VEX® Robotics Competition event, I hereby authorize VEX Robotics to administer, or cause to be administered, such first aid or other treatment and such medications as I may possess as reasonably suggested under the circumstances, including, without limitation, treatment by a physician or hospital of VEX Robotics' choice.

This Release shall be binding upon My heirs, personal representatives, and Me. THIS RELEASE SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, WITHOUT REGARD TO CONFLICT OF LAWS PRINCIPLES. VENUE FOR ANY LEGAL ACTION SHALL BE IN HUNT COUNTY, TEXAS. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement among the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes any and all previous agreements among the parties, whether written or oral, with respect to such subject matter.

I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS FORM INVOLVES A RELEASE OF LEGAL RIGHTS.

Participant Name [Print Clearly] _____ Participant Signature _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Zip: _____

Phone: Home (____) _____ Email address: _____

Gender: (Male) (Female) Date of Birth: Month: ___ Date: ___ Year: ___

For Participants under the age of eighteen (18) years listed above: I hereby consent and agree to all of the terms and conditions of this Agreement as the Parent/Legal Guardian of _____ (minor participant's name), in which case "I", "Me", "My" and "Participant" as used herein shall refer to said minor.

Print Parent or Guardian Name _____ Parent or Legal Guardian Signature _____