**ALBERTA SCHOOLS’ ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION**

Completion required by student and parent/guardian

in order to access ASAA competition

Retain Form at school for submission to SASAA and the ASAA if requested

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND AGREEMENT (Student /Guardian) Term: 2016/2017 School Year**

WHEREAS the Alberta Schools’ Athletic Association (“ASAA”) is a voluntary, non-profit organization that has been established to coordinate a program of worthwhile athletic activities for the young people of Alberta in an educational setting;

AND WHEREAS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ [NAME OF SCHOOL] is one of more than 370 member high schools which together ultimately determine the policy of the ASAA through representation on the Board of Governors of the ASAA;

AND WHEREAS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ [NAME OF SCHOOL] is also a member of the South Alberta Schools’ Athletic Association (“SASAA”) which also has Bylaws, Rules and Policies which govern the participation of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ [NAME OF SCHOOL] in athletic activities

AND WHEREAS it is not in the best interests of any of the student athletes who are served by the work of the ASAA and SASAA for them to spend resources responding to court applications brought by individual student athletes, their parents or guardians;

We, [Student and guardian], acknowledge and agree as follows:

1. We have had an opportunity to review the Bylaws and Polices of the ASAA and SASAA which are available for our review at:

-- <http://www.asaa.ca>

-- <http://www.southzone.org/index.html>

1. We will accept the outcome of any appeal process available through the ASAA or SASAA or any decision by, them regarding any matter concerning me or any other athlete registered as a student at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ [NAME OF SCHOOL] or any coach of a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ [NAME OF SCHOOL] team as final and binding on us.
2. We acknowledge that any application for a review of any decision of, or an outcome of an appeal process of, the ASAA or SASAA by a Judge in a court of law must be brought by the administration of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ [NAME OF SCHOOL] and not by us.
3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ [NAME OF SCHOOL]’s Membership in the ASAA and SASAA is a privilege and not a right.
4. We, authorize \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ [NAME OF SCHOOL] to provide a copy of this document to the ASAA and SASAA to use or publish in any manner they see fit.

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Student Name (print) Student Signature Date

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Guardian Name (print) Guardian Signature Date