A Program of Andrew Fleck Child Care Services

CONSENT TO CHILD CARE AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY FORM

I/We

representative(s) of (name of the child/ren) hereby agree to, assume responsibility for and undertake to abide by the arrangements with the STCC Program for childcare to be provided by the designated caregiver(s) (hereinafter referred to as STCC caregiver) of the STCC Program, to take place during the conference/special event at ___________________________(name of location of conference/special event) under the following conditions:

That I/We

1. understand that the STCC caregiver is neither a physician nor a nurse and that s-he is not competent to diagnose any child/ren's illness and s-he will not do so; s-he may administer first aid on an emergency basis if, on her/his sole discretion, s-he believes it necessary to save the child/ren's life and I/we hereby consent to same.

2. hereby release the STCC caregiver and the STCC Program from all liability for any complication(s) which may develop in the child/ren's condition as a result of care given to the child/ren in accordance with the Instructions For Child Care form which is to be completed, by the parent of each child, prior to the start of care.

3. hereby give the STCC caregiver permission to care for the child/ren in accordance with the information provided in the Instructions For Child Care form, including the administration of prescription and non-prescription drugs provided therein.

4. hereby authorize the STCC caregiver to consent to emergency medical care for the child/ren should the caregiver, in consultation with a representative of the STCC Program, believe a medical emergency exists and s-he is unable to or does not have time to contact us for instructions. I/We further agree that the expense resulting from such a decision by the STCC caregiver to seek emergency care, (including but not limited to ambulance bills, doctor's fees and hospital charges), will be my/our sole responsibility and hereby agree to hold the STCC caregiver and the STCC Program harmless from same.

5. hereby authorize the STCC caregiver to use such appliances and/or other items and facilities at the site of care as may be reasonably necessary in the judgement of the STCC caregiver to provide adequate care for the child/ren, except as specifically excluded by me/us in writing. I/We further release and agree to hold the STCC caregiver and the STCC Program harmless from any loss caused by damage to or breakage of any property when reasonably used by the STCC caregiver as set forth above.

6. hereby agree:

A. to sign this Consent to Child Care And Release From Liability form and submit same to the STCC caregiver or the representative of the STCC Program PRIOR to the start of child care.
B. I/We will complete and sign (i) the Instructions For Child Care form and (ii) the Outdoor Activities form (where applicable). These forms must be submitted to the STCC Program two weeks PRIOR to the start date of the conference/special event. (these forms will be made available by the STCC Program to the organization or individual registrants as appropriate);

C. to make myself/ourselves available to the STCC caregiver, for an adequate period of time, before and after the conference/special event for the purpose of exchanging information relating to the care and security of the child/ren,

D. to facilitate and ensure contact with me/us by telephone and/or otherwise, by the STCC caregiver or representative of the STCC Program, at any time during the conference/special event. To inform the STCC caregiver of the appropriate contact person and telephone number for all enquiry’s and emergencies.

E. to provide all necessary transportation or related expenses for the child/ren. The STCC caregiver will not transport any child/ren in her/his vehicle under any circumstances.

F. to ensure that all necessary medication (if appropriate) are in their original container(s), correctly and clearly labeled and given to the STCC caregiver with the appropriate written instructions in the Instructions For Child Care form. The STCC caregiver will not pick up medication from the pharmacy.

G. not to ask nor to expect the STCC caregiver to care for any child/ren other than those included on the Registration form.

H. not to ask nor to expect the STCC caregiver to pay for “treats” or other items even if it is intended to reimburse for such expenditure.

I. to relieve the STCC caregiver at the time agreed. In the event of a delay the parent or representative of the organization MUST inform the STCC caregiver or the representative of the STCC Program, who will in turn issue the appropriate instructions to the STCC caregiver.

J. I/We will remit a deposit (in the amount agreed with the representative of the STCC Program) prior to the start of child care. I/we will settle in full the balance of the service fees and related expenses with the STCC caregiver on the last day of care before leaving the conference/special event. The payments must be made in, Canadian currency, by cheque/money order/banker’s draft.

THIS CONSENT TO CHILD CARE AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY WILL BE EFFECTIVE FOR THE DURATION OF THE CONFERENCE/SPECIAL EVENT AND UNTIL ALL BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED TO THE SATISFACTION OF BOTH PARTIES.

Signed: ________________________________
(parent/representative of the child/ren)  DATE:  

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