

# Invisible Paw Prints®

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT, WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

In consideration for participating in the Invisible Paw Prints, Inc.'s ("IPP") handlers exam, the undersigned agrees as follows:

1. My participation is voluntary.
2. I acknowledge and fully understand that I will be engaging in activities that may involve risk of serious injury, including permanent disability and death and severe social and economic losses, which might result not only from my own actions, inactions or negligence but also that of others, including but not limited to canines, or the condition of the premises or any equipment used, and that there may be other risks neither known nor reasonably foreseeable at the time.
3. I assume all of the foregoing risks and accept personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, permanent disability or death.
4. I release, waive, discharge, and covenant not to sue IPP, and its officers, directors, employees, members and insurers and, if applicable, owners of premises used to conduct IPP events, all of which are hereinafter referred to as "Releasees," from any and all liability to the undersigned, his or her heirs, and next of kin for any and all claims, demands, losses, or damages on account of injury, including death, or damage to property caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise.
5. I agree to indemnify Releasees for any attorneys' fees and/or costs incurred to enforce this agreement.
6. In the event a lawsuit is filed against Releasees, I agree to the sole and exclusive venue of the state court in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina.
7. I agree that if any portion of this agreement is found to be void or unenforceable, the remaining portion shall remain in full force and effect.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS READ THE ABOVE ACKNOWLEDGMENT, WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, UNDERSTANDS THAT HE OR SHE MAY HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT AND SIGNS IT VOLUNTARILY.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_