

## RISKS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND ACCEPTATION WAIVER FORM

Name of the participant(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
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***If participant(s) under 16***

Name of the participant(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of a parent \_\_\_\_\_  
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(If more space is needed to complete all the participants' information, the back of this document can be used.)

I hereby certify that I have been informed of the risks that are particular to the dogsledding rides provided by **Passion Husky**. This activity, which involves driving a wooden sled in a sliding manner and the presence of a wired equipment as well as several dogs, presents more particularly but not exclusively the following risks :

- Injuries due to falls or other movements (sprain, strain, fracture, head bump, etc.)
- Injuries due to blunt or sharp objects (branches, material, etc.)
- Cold or hypothermia
- Injuries due to contact, accidental or not, between participants and/or with dogs

I agree and accept that the injuries mentioned above can be serious and even deadly.

A safety training will be given to me before the activity and I agree that any failing to apply these instructions thoroughly can have serious repercussions on the safety of the experience, and particularly on the dogs' safety, health and well-being. In complement of these instructions, I agree that any failing to conform to the direct instructions given by the guides all throughout the activity can result in higher risks. I recognize that, as a driver, I have a personal responsibility to listen to and apply the safety instructions that have been given to me. I pledge to play an active role in risk management by adopting a preventive behavior with regards to my own safety as well as the safety of everyone around me, including the dogs. The guide has a right to exclude any person presenting a risk for the team, the dogs or the other participants without any claim to a

refund.

I am aware that these risks exist for all participants and are more significant for all the « fragile » profiles (children of 3 and under, pregnant women and people above 60). I promise to disclose any information, relevant or not, about my own state of physical and/or mental health or any of the participants of my group's to the staff members of Passion Husky. I commit to not consuming, having in my possession or being under the influence of any drugs, illicit substances or medication that could impair my abilities or my judgment. I also confirm that I am under the alcohol legal threshold and will remain so until the end of the activity.

I am aware that the activities offered by **Passion Husky** take place in a semi- or a wild environment that is consequently remote from medical services. This could result in longer delays in case of an emergency requiring an evacuation, and therefore a possible aggravation of my state of health or injury.

Having been informed of these risks and having had the opportunity to discuss them with a person responsible for the activity, I hereby certify that I am fully aware of the risks inherent to the activity and that I choose to participate **WILLINGLY AND WITH ACCEPTANCE OF ANY AND ALL OF THESE RISKS**.

I forego any claim or lawsuit regarding compensation for any possible damages caused to my property, assets and belongings through attrition, loss, breakage, theft, or vandalism. I understand that this activity involves animals, dogs specifically, and that they may cause such damage.

Finally, in case of emergency, I hereby authorize all the certified employees of Passion Husky to provide all first aid care they deem necessary. I also authorize Passion Husky to take decision in case of an accident to transport me (by ambulance, helicopter, snowmobile or other) to a hospital or health care center and this, at my own expense. I provide here under my emergency contact in case any question or decision needs to be addressed regarding my situation and I am not in the capacity, state or knowledge to answer them.

**EMERGENCY CONTACT**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Signed in** \_\_\_\_\_, **on** \_\_\_\_\_

**Initials and signature :**