

RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS, ASSUMPTION OF RISKS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT, YOU WILL GIVE UP CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO SUE, CLAIM DAMAGES AND SEEK COMPENSATION FOR ANY INJURIES YOU MAY SUSTAIN.

INITIAL: _____

1. I _____, have voluntarily registered to participate in a motorcycle skills and safety course (hereinafter the "Course") provided by St. Lawrence College (herein after the "College" which term includes all directors, officers, employees, contractors, instructors, representatives, servants, assigns, agents and volunteers as well as the Canada Safety Council and Motorcyclecourse.com and their directors, officers, employees, contractors, instructors, representatives, servants, assigns, agents and volunteers).
2. I understand that the signing of this document is a required component of the Course. I acknowledge that I am signing this document and I am agreeing to be bound to the terms within it, as good and valuable consideration in exchange for the College permitting me to participate in the Course.

Assumption of Risk

3. I understand and acknowledge that riding a motorcycle/learning to ride a motorcycle is an inherently dangerous activity. I also am aware that riding a motorcycle/learning to ride a motorcycle and participating in the Course involves many risks, dangers and hazards including the risk of sustaining personal injury. Such injuries include but are not limited to muscular injuries, soft tissue injuries, broken bones, bruises, scrapes, cuts, sprains, dislocation, head injuries, facial eye and/or dental injuries, other severe injuries such as paralysis or death. By signing this document I am voluntarily accepting the risks identified above and assuming all responsibility for any and all injuries, including death that I may sustain during, because of, arising out of, in connection with or in relation to my participation in the Course.

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4. I understand and acknowledge that the motorcycle training area contains many obstacles including but not limited to buildings, concrete barriers, light stands, asphalt imperfections, debris, trees, other motorcycles or motorized vehicles, pedestrians, other students on foot or on other motorcycles and course instructors and that all obstacles in the motorcycle training area pose a risk of serious personal injury or death. By signing this document I am voluntarily accepting the risk that I may sustain injuries, including serious injuries or even death because of obstacles or hazards which exist in the motorcycle training area and that I am assuming all responsibility for any and all injuries, including death that I may sustain during, because of, arising out of, in connection with or in relation to my participation in the Course.

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5. I understand and acknowledge that in addition to the conditions of the motorcycle training area, I am at risk for serious injury or death due to my inexperience and inability to operate a motorcycle, the inexperience and inability of other students to operate a motorcycle, the malfunctioning or misuse of any motorcycle operated by myself or other course participants, and the failure of the College to safeguard me from the risk, hazards and dangers associated with learning to ride a motorcycle including but not limited to the negligence or other failure on the part of the College to train and instruct me in the operation of a motorcycle. By signing this document I am voluntarily accepting the risks identified above and assuming all responsibility for any and all injuries, including death that I may sustain during, because of, arising out of, in connection with or in relation to my participation in the Course.

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6. I understand and acknowledge that as a result of my participation in the Course, I may cause injury to others and that I may damage property owned by others. By signing this document I am voluntarily accepting the risk of causing such injury and damage and assuming all responsibility for any and all injuries, I may cause or contribute to during, because of, arising out of, in connection with or in relation to my participation in the Course.

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7. For greater certainty and so as to avoid any uncertainty, I understand the risks associated with my participation in the Course and I fully accept all risks including the usual risks one would associate with riding and learning to ride a motorcycle **AS WELL AS THE RISK THAT THE COLLEGE MAY BE NEGLIGENT, OR OTHERWISE FAIL TO PROVIDE A SAFE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT WHEN SUCH NEGLIGENCE OR FAILURE COULD LEAD TO INJURY OR DEATH.**

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Disclaimer and Release and Waiver of Claims

8. In addition to assuming and accepting all responsibility for all risks including the risk of any and all injuries, including death, that I may sustain during, because of, arising out of or in relation to my participation in the Course; and in addition to assuming and accepting all responsibility for any injury or damage that I may cause to others, I also acknowledge that the College is not, and shall not be, responsible for losses, injuries, damages or death that I may sustain or for any expenses or costs that I incur, or for any injury or damage I may cause to others during, because of, arising out of, in connection with or in relation to my participation in the Course, even if the risks were caused or created by the actions, inaction, negligence or omission of the College.

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9. By signing this document I hereby release the College from any and all responsibility and from any liability for:
- A. Any losses, injuries or damages that I may sustain;
 - B. Any expenses or costs I may incur; and
 - C. Any injuries or damage that I may cause to others
- during, because of, arising out of or in relation to my participation in the Course, however such losses, injuries, damages, expenses or costs may have been caused, even if such losses, injuries, damages, expenses or costs may have been caused or were caused by the negligence of the College.

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10. For greater certainty I understand and agree that by signing this document, I WILL BE GIVING UP MY LEGAL RIGHT TO SUE THE COLLEGE IN THE EVENT THAT I SUSTAIN ANY LOSSES, INJURIES OR DAMAGES because of, arising out of or in relation to my participation in the Course. I understand that this document is a RELEASE OF MY RIGHT TO SUE the College and that this document may be used against me in a court of law should I sue the College. I further understand that the term "Right to Sue" means the right to make a claim, bring a lawsuit or otherwise advance any action against the College for any losses, injuries or damages that I may sustain and for any expenses or costs I may incur during, because of, arising out of or in relation to my participation in the Course.

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11. I also understand and acknowledge that the waiver and release of my legal right to sue the College as set out in the paragraphs above, encompasses any rights I may have for contribution and indemnity from the College, including but not limited to the right to add the College to any claim or lawsuit in the event that I am sued for any matter because of, arising out of, in connection with or in relation to my participation in the Course.

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12. I expressly acknowledge that the waiver of my legal rights as set out in the paragraphs above extends both to losses, injuries, damages, costs and expenses which result from the usual risks one would associate with riding and learning to ride a motorcycle AND TO losses, injuries, damages, cost and expenses WHICH MAY RESULT FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE COLLEGE AND FROM ANY FAILURE ON THE PART OF THE COLLEGE TO TAKE CAREFUL MEASURES AVAILABLE OR UNDERSTOOD TO BE NECESSARY FOR SAFETY IN THE CIRCUMSTANCES.

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13. For greater certainty and so as to avoid any uncertainty, I understand that by signing this document I AM GIVING UP MY RIGHT TO SUE THE COLLEGE AND THE CANADA SAFETY COUNCIL AND MOTORCYCLECOURSE.COM for any losses, injuries, damages, cost or expenses, due to any cause whatsoever, EVEN if such losses, damages, injuries, costs or expenses were caused BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE COLLEGE OR BY THE FAILURE OF THE COLLEGE TO TAKE CAREFUL MEASURES AVAILABLE OR UNDERSTOOD TO BE NECESSARY FOR SAFETY IN THE CIRCUMSTANCES.

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Hold Harmless and Indemnity

14. In addition to my assumption of the risks associated with riding or learning to ride a motorcycle, and in addition to waiving my legal right to sue the College as per the paragraphs above, I also hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless the College against and from all claims, demands, actions, causes of action, suits, debts, liabilities, demands, judgments and damages whatsoever, which may be brought against or sought from the College because of, arising out of, in connection with or in relation to my participation in the Course.

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Additional Agreements

15. This document and this agreement and the commitments I have made in the document, shall be effective and binding upon my heirs, next of kin, successors, assigns, executors, administrator and/or legal representatives in the event of my death or incapacity.

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16. I acknowledge that:

- A. I am at least 18 years of age;
- B. I have read this document in its entirety and appreciate my rights, obligations and liabilities set out herein;
- C. I have been given the opportunity to seek independent legal advice with respect to this document and that I have received such advice or waived my right to do so;
- D. I am voluntarily participating in this course and voluntarily signing this document.

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17. I understand that if I do not sign this document, I will not be permitted to participate in this Course and that I will be entitled to a full refund of my Course fees.

Date: _____

Student Name (please print)

Student Signature

Witness Name (please print)

Witness Signature

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IS UNDER PROVINCIAL AGE OF MAJORITY

This Section must be completed if the student is under the Provincial age of majority.

I, _____, Parent/Guardian of _____ hereby consent to his/her enrolment in the above-noted Motorcycle Training Program, as conducted by St. Lawrence College, the Canada Safety Council and Motorcyclecourse.com. The Release of Liability, Waiver of Claims, Assumption of Risks and Indemnity Agreement was provided to the above-named student as well as myself in advance of the commencement of the training course and I understand and consent to the conditions of enrolment for this program as noted above. I understand that there is a risk of accident and personal injury involved in learning to operate a motor vehicle, and hereby acknowledge and accept this risk in my consent to this training.

In addition, as parent/guardian of the above-named student, on my own behalf, and on the behalf of the student, I hereby release St. Lawrence College, the Canada Safety Council, and Motorcyclecourse.com, their directors, officers, employees, contractors, instructors, representatives, servants, assigns, agents and volunteers from all responsibility for any property damage, bodily injury, liability, costs and expenses and claims of every nature and kind howsoever arising from, or in consequence of, such student's participation in training activities conducted by St. Lawrence College, the Canada Safety Council, and Motorcyclecourse.com, their directors, officers, employees, contractors, instructors, representatives, servants, assigns, agents and volunteers from all claims and rights of action which may arise through the participation of such student in this training.

I acknowledge that I have been given the opportunity to seek independent legal advice with respect to this document and that I have received such advice or waived my right to do so.

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____
Parent/Guardian

Parent/Guardian must initial each paragraph alongside student's initials.