Student Travel Policy and Waiver

Summary

Columbus State University students participate in CSU sponsored activities and field trips where they recognize risks involved and release CSU from responsibility of injury.

Purpose

This document presents the potential dangers and responsibilities involved in CSU sponsored activities.

Policy

Columbus State University sponsors events that may involve inherent risks of physical injury and therefore, students assume all such risks and dangers to which they may be exposed by participating in such activity.

Accordingly, for the sole consideration of Columbus State University ("CSU") allowing them to participate various activities for which or in connection with which the university has made available any equipment, facilities, grounds or personnel for such programs or activities, students release and forever discharge CSU and the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia, its members individually, and its officers, agent and employees (collectively referred to as "CSU and the Board") from any and from all claims, demands, rights and causes of action of whatever kind or nature, arising from and by reason of any and all known and unknown, foreseen and unforeseen bodily and personal injuries, damage to property, and the consequences thereof, resulting from my participation in or in any way connected with the above named activity.

Students further covenant and agree that for the sole consideration stated above they will not sue CSU or the Board for any claim for damages arising or growing out of my voluntary participation in such activities.

Students should understand that the acceptance of this release and waiver of liability by CSU and the Board shall not constitute a waiver in whole or in part of sovereign immunity by CSU and the Board.

Students, or their guardian if under 18 years of age, must sign a Release, Waiver of

Liability, and Covenant Not to Sue form.

Related USG Policy

- 4.1.1 Institutional Responsibility
- 5.1 General Policy

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Responsible Authority

Vice President for Business and Finance