

## RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT

BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT YOU WILL WAIVE CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS, <u>INCLUDING THE</u>
RIGHT TO SUE.

PLEASE READ THIS DOCUMENT CAREFULLY

Initials

I,		,		,
[Print Name]			[Apt. and Street]	
	,	, ,		
[City]	[Province]	[Postal Code)	[Birth Date: dd/mm/yy]	
		,		
(Phone Number)			(Email)	

acknowledge and agree that in consideration of being permitted to participate in <u>EcoQuest</u> <u>Adventures' Kayaking</u> (hereinafter referred to as <u>Kayaking</u>) organized, staged and/or operated by <u>EcoQuest Adventures</u>.

1. I DO HEREBY RELEASE EcoQuest Adventures and its directors, officers, employees, sponsors, independent contractors and agents from all liability, and DO HEREBY WAIVE as against EcoQuest Adventures and its directors, officers, employees, sponsors, independent contractors and agents all recourses, proceedings, claims, and causes of action of any kind whatsoever, in respect of any and all personal injuries or property losses which I may suffer arising out of or connected with my preparation for, or participation in EcoQuest Adventures notwithstanding that such injuries or losses may have been caused solely or partly by the negligence or breach of duty of EcoQuest Adventures or any of their directors, officers, employees, sponsors, independent contractors or agents.

## 2. I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE AND AGREE THAT:

- KAYAKING may be dangerous, exposing participants to many risks and hazards, some
  of which are inherent in the very nature of Kayaking itself, others which result from
  human error and negligence on the part of the persons involved in organizing, staging
  and/or operating the Kayaking;
- as a result of the aforesaid risks and hazards, I as a participant may suffer serious personal injury, even death, as well as property loss;
- some of the aforesaid risks and hazards are foreseeable, but others are not;
- I nevertheless <u>freely and voluntarily assume all the aforesaid risks and hazards</u>, and that, accordingly, my preparation for, and participation in <u>Kayaking shall be entirely at</u> <u>my own risk</u>;
- I understand that neither EcoQuest Adventures nor any of its directors, officers, employees, sponsors, independent contractors or agents assume any responsibility whatsoever for my safety during the course of my preparation for or participation in Kayaking. I have carefully read this RELEASE and WAIVER of LIABILITY AND

- ASSUMPTION of RISK AGREEMENT (the "Agreement"), that I fully understand same, and that I am freely and voluntarily executing same;
- I clearly understand that by signing this Agreement I will be <u>FOREVER PREVENTED</u> <u>FROM SUING OR OTHERWISE CLAIMING</u> against <u>EcoQuest Adventures</u> its directors, officers, employees, sponsors, independent contractors and agents for any loss or damage connected with any property loss or personal injury that I may sustain while participating in or preparing for <u>Kayaking</u> whether or not such loss or injury is caused solely or partly by the negligence of <u>EcoQuest Adventures</u> or any of its directors, officers, employees, sponsors, independent contractors and/or agents;
- I have been given the opportunity and have been encouraged to seek legal advice prior to signing this Agreement;
- I clearly understand that EcoQuest Adventures would not permit me to participate in Kayaking unless I signed this RELEASE and WAIVER of LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION of RISK AGREEMENT, that this RELEASE and WAIVER of LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION of RISK AGREEMENT applies to Kayaking whether occurring in the near or distant future, and that the terms of this Agreement have been explained to me by EcoQuest Adventures or one or more of their representatives;
- this RELEASE and WAIVER of LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION of RISK AGREEMENT is binding on myself, my heirs, my executors, administrators, personal representatives and assigns;
- this Agreement may be in addition to another agreement I must sign as a condition of participation in Kayaking and that I am bound by the terms and conditions of both agreements; and
- I agree that I am physically capable of participating in **Kayaking**, and that I have no pre-existing conditions that would hinder my ability to participate in **Kayaking**

Participant Name (Please Print)	Witness Name (Please Print)		
Participant Signature	Witness Signature		
Date	<u> </u>		

This Agreement must be completed in full, initialed, dated, signed and witnessed prior to participating in **Kayaking**