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RELEASE OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, INDEMNIFICATION, HOLD  
HARMLESS & MEDIA AGREEMENT

This document affects your legal rights: Read it carefully before signing!

Rocket experimentation involves many potential hazards. Persons attending rocket firings will be in the proximity of hazardous chemicals, pyrotechnic devices, electrical equipment, tools, machinery and desert terrain. The building and testing of rockets always presents risk of fire, explosion, thermal/chemical burns, fragment impact, or electrical shock, to name a few. The undersigned understands that the activities associated with rocket activities are very dangerous and that all of the risks may not be known in advance.

The danger associated with these activities is such that testing must often be conducted at a remote location. This limits access to medical assistance that would normally be available within city limits. In addition, the time required for such assistance to arrive on scene might be considerably longer than normal, or an injured person might need to be transported to the nearest medical facility by others on scene. Risk of injury or death exists when engaged in rocket fabrication, test operations, launching, and observing. The undersigned agrees that they have been apprised and informed of risks attendant to participation in Reaction Research Society, Inc. activities. In consideration of your participation, the undersigned grants and accords the following full and complete WAIVER OF RIGHTS, RELEASE OF LIABILITY, INDEMNIFICATION, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, HOLD HARMLESS & MEDIA AGREEMENT to the Reaction Research Society, Inc. ("RRS").

INDIVIDUAL/PARENT (The "Undersigned") INITIALS EACH PARAGRAPH

\_\_\_\_\_ 1. ASSUMES ALL RISKS of physical/emotional/economic injury to person or property while attending rocket activities. This assumption of risk applies whether such injury results from negligence, unknown causes, latent defects, or causes beyond our control.

\_\_\_\_\_ 2. HOLDS HARMLESS the Reaction Research Society, Inc., its pyrotechnic operators, members, officers, and agents in the event that any third party brings suit or claims against the Reaction Research Society, Inc. in connection with any physical/emotional/economic injury sustained during rocket events.

\_\_\_\_\_ 3. **WAIVES the protections afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code:**

**A GENERAL RELEASE DOES NOT EXTEND TO CLAIMS THAT THE CREDITOR OR  
RELEASING PARTY DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS OR HER  
FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE AND THAT, IF KNOWN BY  
THEM, WOULD HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED THEIR SETTLEMENT WITH THE  
DEBTOR OR RELEASED PARTY.**

\_\_\_\_\_ 4. AGREES to INDEMNIFY AND DEFEND the Reaction Research Society, Inc., its members, pyrotechnic operators, officers, and agents from all claims, liabilities, causes of action, damages, judgments, costs or expenses including attorneys fees arising from their attendance or participation in rocket activities.

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. AGREES to PAY FOR ALL DAMAGES to property caused by negligent, intentional, or unintentional actions.

\_\_\_\_\_ 6. **RELEASE & WAIVER:** The undersigned (including those simply observing) freely, voluntarily, and intelligently elects to participate in rocket activities in spite of the associated risks, and by signing this document, knowingly and voluntarily assumes all responsibility for their attendance/participation in rocket activities. The undersigned releases and discharges and holds harmless the Reaction Research Society, Inc. and their successors and assigns from all liability, claims, and demands of whatever kind or nature, that arise from activities with the Reaction Research Society, Inc. This agreement releases the Reaction Research Society, Inc. from any liability or claim a participant, attendee, or volunteer may have against the Reaction Research Society, Inc. with respect to bodily injury, psychological or emotional injury, personal injury, illness, death or property damage that may result from activities, whether caused by the Reaction Research Society, Inc or its officers, directors, employees, agents, or others.

\_\_\_\_\_ 7. **MEDIA RIGHTS/USE OF NAME, LIKENESS & PHOTOS:** During Reaction Research Society, Inc. activities, the undersigned waives all rights of publicity or privacy or pre-approval they may have. The undersigned grants to Reaction Research Society, Inc. and its assigns permission to copyright, use, and publish (including by electronic means) their name and likeness including photos, whether in whole or part, in any form, without restrictions.

\_\_\_\_\_ 8. (PARENT/GUARDIAN) In consideration of a minor being permitted to participate in the activities, the undersigned accepts the full contents of this agreement. The undersigned certifies that they have the authority to sign on behalf of the minor and to make decisions for the minor regarding these activities. The undersigned agrees to RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS, INDEMNIFY AND DEFEND the Reaction Research Society, Inc. from and against all liabilities and claims including injury, illness, death, loss or harm that occurs to the minor during or related to the activities. This includes any claim of the minor and any claim arising from the negligence of the Reaction Research Society, Inc.

NAME OF STUDENT

PRINT NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN (if student under 18)

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN (if student under 18)

DATE

PRINT OTHER INDIVIDUAL NAME

INDIVIDUAL SIGNATURE

DATE

OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE AND BOUND BY THIS AGREEMENT: