

MIT SKYDIVING CLUB
Liability Release, Waiver, Discharge and Covenant Not to Sue

This is a legally binding Release, Waiver, Discharge and Covenant Not to Sue (collectively, "Release"), made voluntarily by me, the undersigned Releasor, on my own behalf, and on behalf of my heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives and assigns (hereinafter collectively, "Releasor," "I" or "me", which terms shall also include Releasor's parents or guardian, if Releasor is under 18 years of age) to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology ("MIT").

As the undersigned Releasor, I fully recognize that there are dangers and risks to which I may be exposed by participating in the **MIT Skydiving Club** (the "Activity" including but not limited to skydiving, tandem skydiving, ground instruction, parachute instruction, aircraft operation, riding in aircraft at any phase of operation, aircraft exit, freefall, deployment of parachute, time under parachute, landing, rescue operations or attempts, demonstration jumps, water jumps, ground or air transportation or operation in any vehicle, use of equipment, wind tunnel training, or any activity whatsoever at the dropzone facility, in transit to club activities, or at club events on campus or off campus). As the undersigned Releasor, I understand that MIT does not require me to participate in this Activity, but I want to do so despite the possible dangers and risks and despite this Release. With informed consent, and for valuable consideration received, including assistance provided by MIT, as the undersigned Releasor, I agree to assume and take on myself all of the risks and responsibilities in any way arising from or associated with this Activity, and I release MIT and all of its affiliates, divisions, departments and other units, committees and groups, and its and their respective governing boards, officers, directors, principals, trustees, legal representatives, members, owners, employees, student volunteers, agents, administrators, assigns, and contractors (collectively "Releasees"), from any and all claims, demands, suits, judgments, damages, actions and liabilities of every name and nature whatsoever, whenever occurring, whether known or unknown, contingent or fixed, at law or in equity, that I may suffer at any time arising from or in connection with the Activity, including any injury or harm to me, my death, or damage to my property (collectively "Liabilities"), and I agree to defend, indemnify, and save Releasees harmless from and against any and all Liabilities.

As the undersigned Releasor, I voluntarily assume all risk of personal injury or death sustained during this Activity. I recognize that this Release means I am giving up, among other things, all rights to sue Releasees for injuries, damages or losses I may incur. I also understand that this Release binds my heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives and assigns, as well as myself. I also affirm that I have adequate medical or health insurance to cover any medical assistance I may require. I affirm that I am personally responsible for all costs associated with medical treatment, vehicular damage, equipment damage, or property damage that I may incur. I agree not to participate as a member of the Skydiving Club unless I am medically able and properly trained, and I agree to abide by the decision of the MIT Skydiving Club official or agent, regarding my approval to participate in skydiving activities. I agree that this Release shall be governed for all purposes by Massachusetts law, without regard to such law on choice of law.

I have read this entire Release. I fully understand the entire Release and acknowledge that I have had the opportunity to review this Release with an attorney of my choosing if I so desire, and I agree to be legally bound by the Release.

THIS IS A RELEASE OF YOUR RIGHTS. READ CAREFULLY AND UNDERSTAND BEFORE SIGNING.

(Releasor's Signature)

(Parent's Signature, if Signatory is minor)

(Print Name)

(Print Name)

(Date)