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Acknowledgment to be Signed by UAlbany Students/Participants

RELEASE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK

I, ___________________________________, hereby acknowledge that I have chosen to voluntarily participate in media reporting, filming, or production, including but not limited to participating in the Physical Fitness Test (PFT), for purposes of news features, articles and in documentaries or other entertainment media regarding law enforcement activities engaged in by employees of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), ________________ Division, with full knowledge and awareness that there is inherent risk in these activities, including but not limited to risk inherent in the potential use of force, potential pursuit and physical apprehension of a criminal suspect, and injuries that may occur as a result of participation in or reporting on the PFT. With this knowledge and awareness, I hereby assume risk with respect to injury to my person or property which may occur directly or indirectly as a result of my participation in media reporting, filming or production, including but not limited to my participation in the PFT.

I hereby assume full responsibility for personal injury or damage to my personal property or to others which may occur directly or indirectly as a result of my acts or omissions while participating in media reporting, filming or production of a documentary, including but not limited to my participation in the PFT.

To the extent permitted by law, I, along with my heirs and assigns, hereby agree to hold harmless, release, discharge, and indemnify the United States, the FBI, and the personnel, agents, and employees thereof, from all claims, demands, causes of action, and damages should they be found, resulting or arising from my acts or omissions while participating in media reporting, filming or production of a documentary, including but not limited to my participation in the PFT.

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Signature of Participant