SALT LAKE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

RIDE-ALONG REQUEST FORM

(All lines must be completed and Waiver must be signed)

Date of Request: _____

Division Requested to ride with: ☐ Liberty ☐ Pioneer ☐ Central ☐ Other _____

Referred by: _____

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Residence Address: _____

Business Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Business Phone: _____ Cell: _____

ID or Driver License #: _____ State: _____ SSN#: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

Do you work or live in Salt Lake City: ☐ Yes ☐ No

The Salt Lake City Police Department will try to honor your request, but the date and hours will be determined by this department. Each individual will be limited to one 4-hour ride-along, which will begin no earlier the 7:00 AM and shall end no later than 1:00 AM.

Day of Week Requested: _____ Shift Requested: ☐ Day Shift ☐ Afternoon Shift

The minimum dress standard will be casual sport attire. Shorts, cut-offs, tank or tube tops, sandals without stockings, thongs or bare feet WILL NOT be allowed. All civilian observers will be required to wear a clip-on badge, which identifies that person as a police ride-along observer. **Civilian or non-sworn ride-alongs with or without a concealed carry permit may NOT be armed.**

For Departmental Use Only

BACKGROUND CHECK (must be completed prior to arrival, waived for current LEO)

Versadex: ___ Warrants: _____ UCCH: _____ III: _____ NCIC: _____ DL:_____ ☐ See attached

Concealed Firearm Permit: ☐ Yes ☐ No Date: _____ By: _____

Has waiver been signed? ☐ Yes ☐ No (cannot approve if waiver has not been signed)

Approved? ☐ Yes ☐ No **Watch Commander Signature:** _____ **ID:** _____

Date of ride-along: _____ Time: _____

Name of Officer Assigned: _____

Comments or Problems: _____

Shift Sergeant's Name: _____ **ID:** ____ **Signature:** _____

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AGREEMENT ASSUMING RISK OF INJURY OR DAMAGE WAIVER AND RELEASE OF CLAIMS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, I, _____, being over the age of eighteen years and not being a member of the Salt Lake City Police Department have made a voluntary request to ride as a guest in a Salt Lake City Police Department vehicle and to accompany a member or members of the Salt Lake City Police Department during the performance of his/her/their official duties; and

WHEREAS, the Salt Lake City Police Department is willing to allow me to ride as a guest in a vehicle assigned to that department and to accompany a member or members of the department during the performance of his/her/their duties on the following conditions:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the permission given me to ride in a vehicle assigned to the Salt Lake City Police Department and to accompany a member of said Department during the performance of his/her/their official duties, I do hereby agree:

1. That I am aware that the work of the Police Department is inherently dangerous and that I may be subjected to the risk of death, personal injury, or damage to my property by accompanying a member(s) of the Police Department during the performance of his/her/their official duties I freely, voluntarily, and with such knowledge, assume the risk of death, personal injury, or property damage arising from or in any way connected with accompanying a member of the Police Department including, but not restricted to, the use of weapons, lawful or unlawful acts or forcible resistance by law violators or suspected law violators, assault, riot, breach of the peace, fire, explosion, gas, electrocution or the escape of radioactive substances, or automobile accidents while accompanying a member(s) of the Salt Lake City Police Department during the performance of his/her/their official duties.

2. The Salt Lake City Corporation, the Mayor, the City Council, the Administration and all members of the Salt Lake City Police Department, their sureties, and each of them, shall not be responsible or liable for any damage, injury, loss or expense, either to me or to my property, incurred while riding in any Salt Lake City Police Department vehicle or while accompanying any member(s) of said department during the performance of his/her/their official duties. This includes no liability nor any responsibility for any injury or damage resulting from any negligent act or omission on the part of any member of the Salt Lake City Police Department.

3. I agree, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns to hold harmless and to defend and indemnify Salt Lake City Corporation, the Mayor, the City Council, the Administration and its members of the Salt Lake City Police Department, their sureties, and each of them, against any and all manner of actions, causes of actions, suits, debts, claims, demands, or damages or liability or expense of every kind and nature incurred or arising by reason of any actual or claimed negligent or wrongful act or omission arising out of my actions while accompanying any member(s) of said Police Department during the performance of his/her/their official duties.

4. On behalf of myself, my heirs, executors, administrators an assigns, I hereby release Salt Lake City Corp, the Mayor, City Council, and their agents and employees from any and all liability for any death, personal injury or property damage which may arise out of my accompanying any Salt Lake City officer.

I hereby represent that I have carefully read and understand the contents of this document and sign the same of my own free will.

DATED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 20____

_____ _____

RIDER'S NAME (PRINT LEGIBLY) RIDER'S SIGNATURE

_____ _____

SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN IF APPLICANT IS A MINOR WITNESS

NOTE: THE WITNESS MUST BE A MEMBER OF THE SALT LAKE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT OR A NOTARY PUBLIC.

C A U T I O N: READ THIS DOCUMENT IN FULL BEFORE SIGNING