



## Player Commitment Letter and Release of Liability

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My son/daughter (player) has been offered a position with the following soccer club. I understand that to accept this offer, I as the parent/legal guardian must complete this Player Commitment Letter, and return it to the club leadership.

I am committed to \_\_\_\_\_ for the seasonal soccer year of 2016/2017.

(Name of Soccer Club)

By signing this Player Commitment Letter, I give the aforementioned soccer club permission to register my player with Tennessee State Soccer Association (TSSA) in the Current Seasonal Year (“August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 through July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017”). I further understand that this Player Commitment Letter is not binding until the 20<sup>th</sup> of June, 2016. Following the 20<sup>th</sup> of June, 2016, I understand that my player is committed to the aforementioned soccer club for the Current Seasonal Year and per TSSA Policy 26; the only way my player may be removed from this commitment is through a properly executed Player Release.

I, the parent/legal guardian of the committed player, a minor, agree that the player and I will abide by the rules of the aforementioned soccer club, TSSA, United States Youth Soccer Association (USYSA), United States Soccer Federation (USSF), and its affiliated organizations and sponsors.

Recognizing the possibility of physical injury associated with soccer, I hereby do waive and release the aforementioned soccer club, TSSA, USYSA and USSF, their affiliated organizations and sponsors, their employees, board members, coaches/trainers, volunteers and associated personnel, including the owners of the fields and facilities utilized for the programs, from any and all claims and rights for damages, liability, actions, and causes of actions whatsoever, arising out of or related to any loss, damages, or injury, including death, concussion, sudden cardiac arrest that may be sustained while participating in the soccer program or and/or being transported to or from the same. I further acknowledge that this risk may involve loss or damage or injury to the player, including the risk of death, or temporary or permanent injury or other unforeseen consequences, including those which may be due to the unavailability of immediate emergency medical care. I have a current medical consent form in force and have provided said form to the coach or club.

I AGREE NOT TO SUE nor bring any type of lawsuit against any persons or entities mentioned above for any of the claims or liabilities that I have waived, released or discharged herein; and I INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS the persons or entities mentioned above from any claims made or liabilities assessed against them as a result of my actions.

The league, club or tournament may not have primary personal injury insurance that covers my player’s participation. Therefore, I should have a current, active, personal injury insurance policy in force, which covers my player’s participation. Under any condition, I am responsible for any and all medical expenses arising from my player’s participation, both in practices and games and while traveling to and from these events. I have the right and responsibility to inspect the equipment and facilities prior to events and, if I believe that anything may be unsafe, I will advise the coach or supervisor of the condition and may refuse to participate. Participation assumes consent.

I also authorize transportation of my player convenient or necessary to and from any athletic event or social event connected with this club. I certify that to the best of my knowledge that my child/player, is in good health and is capable of participating in the soccer related activities including practice, training and games. I will inform my coach if this status changes. I, the undersigned, am/are duly aware of the risks and hazards inherent upon participating in said events.



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This form must be completed for each soccer player (participant) and, if the player is under 18-years old, must be signed by the player's parent (s) or legal guardian (s). No player will be allowed to participate in practice, training or games without this form, properly executed, and on file, which may be also be completed online and submitted as the same as signing an original paper document. I hereby affirm that I am eighteen (18) years of age or older and I have read this document and I understand its contents. I understand that I have given up substantial rights for both myself (as parent/guardian) or on behalf of the player, a minor, by signing this document and sign it voluntarily.

Parent /Legal Guardian Name (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Player Name (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_ DOB (mm/dd/yr): \_\_\_\_\_

Player Signature (if 18 years of age): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

