

## **Acknowledgement of Risks associated with Mission Trip to Haiti**

As a parent or legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_,  
a minor, I request that said minor be allowed to participate in the Help Brings  
Hope for Haiti, Inc. (HBHH) mission trip to bring hope to Haiti through volunteer  
help.

This release shall include my consent to allow HBHH to take photographs of said  
minor and use said photographs of said minor for whatever purpose HBHH may  
desire and such consent shall extend to the use of photographs taken of said  
minor by third parties.

I acknowledge the following on behalf of myself and said minor (initial each one):

\_\_\_\_\_ 1. I understand said minor is a volunteer on said mission trip and I am  
not relying upon any representation, communication, or expectation concerning  
said mission trip;

\_\_\_\_\_ 2. I know there are risks and dangers associated with travel to, from,  
and while present in Haiti;

\_\_\_\_\_ 3. I know these risks and dangers include possibly suffering serious  
and permanent personal injury and/or death;

\_\_\_\_\_ 4. I know these risks and dangers include possibly being a victim of  
criminal and/or political violence;

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. I know these risks and dangers include possibly contracting  
disease and/or suffering adverse health effects;

\_\_\_\_\_ 6. I know that consequences of travel to Haiti may prevent a person  
from being an acceptable blood or organ donor in the future;

\_\_\_\_\_ 7. I understand that HBHH is not financially responsible for any  
expenses associated with said mission trip.

\_\_\_\_\_ 8. I understand this is a group trip and if for any reason my child  
cannot go on the trip, monies paid will not be refunded unless we find a suitable  
replacement. I also understand that if our return is delayed due to things beyond  
our control, the extra cost will be billed to me.

Notwithstanding the forgoing risks and dangers, I give my permission freely for  
said minor to participate in said mission trip. And I agree to pay all expenses  
necessary to provide immediate transportation for said minor to immediately  
return to my custody if I am requested by Help Brings Hope for Haiti to do so in  
its sole discretion.

**INDEMNITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT**

I understand that Hope Brings Help for Haiti is a not-for-profit entity and has made no representations of any type concerning any aspect of said mission trip. HBHH does not represent that it has any insurance in force and effect which would provide coverage to any trip participant. On behalf of myself, individually and as a parent or legal guardian of said minor, and on behalf of all heirs, successors, and assigns of myself and said minor, I agree to protect, defend, indemnify, and hold harmless Help Brings Hope for Haiti and its officers, directors, and volunteers from any claim or consequence whatsoever arising out of said mission trip as it relates to said minor, even if such claim or consequence is proximately caused by the sole negligence of Help Brings Hope for Haiti and/or its officers, directors, and volunteers.

I have read the forgoing, understand it is a legally binding contract entered into by me, individually and on behalf of said minor, and have signed this document on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ (month), \_\_\_\_\_ (year).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed name of parent or legal guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed name of witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent or legal guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of witness

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

BE IT KNOWN, that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, before me, \_\_\_\_\_, a Notary Public in and for the State of \_\_\_\_\_, personally came and appeared \_\_\_\_\_, to me personally known or who has produced \_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name:  
State of \_\_\_\_\_  
Commission No

My commission expires: