



## QRF DOMESTIC COMPETITIONS PLAYER DISCLAIMER AND PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT 2022 / 2023 SEASON

<b>Full Name:</b>	
<b>Date of Birth (DOB):</b>	
<b>Club &amp; Team:</b>	
<b>Qatar ID (QID) or Passport</b>	
<b>Email Address:</b>	
<b>Mobile Contact:</b>	
<b>Emergency Contact Name</b>	
<b>Emergency Contact Number</b>	

I, the undersigned:

- Accept the invitation to participate in Qatar Rugby XV's, Ten's and Sevens Domestic Competitions, Tournaments and Events in accordance with the terms of the applicable Championship Regulations, Disciplinary Regulations and Laws of the Game.
- Agree to participate in all activities and functions organized by Qatar Rugby Federation or agents associated with the Domestic Competitions (including but not limited to professional development, athlete testing, media interviews and research);
- Acknowledge that all imagery, audio and video footage taken by QRF or its agents during the Domestic Competitions is available for use by QRF, at its sole discretion for editorial, publicity and advertising purposes;

### **TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**

**WARNING** - This is a legal document that affects your rights. It must be accepted by all participants and/or by the guardian/parent if under the age of 18.

I agree to the following conditions of participating in Qatar Rugby Federation's Domestic Competitions, Tournaments and Events for the 2022 / 2023 season.

1. I acknowledge that Rugby is a contact sport where injuries are frequent and sometimes serious. I also note the Qatar Rugby Federation recommends a physical / medical examination from me permitting participation.
2. I understand that I should not compete in Rugby unless I have trained appropriately and that to the best of my knowledge I am not suffering from a condition which would make me unfit to participate in Rugby. I declare that I am in good health, with a good/high level of physical fitness and mental clarity. I have no pre-existing physical or mental conditions or illnesses which might impair my fitness and/or my ability to participate safely in any Rugby matches / championship or tournaments. I have no pre-existing physical or psychological condition that could affect me from participating or will be exacerbated by participating in any rugby matches. I take complete responsibility for my health and fitness and my safe participation in Rugby matches.
3. I consent to receiving any medical treatment including ambulance transportation that the Qatar Rugby Federations, event organizers and their appointed medical staff think desirable during or after the competition, tournament or event.
4. I acknowledge Qatar Rugby Federation recommends that I ensure that I have the relevant sports insurance and private insurance that will cover me in the championship or tournament of an accident or other unforeseen circumstances.

5. I consent to Rugby organizers using my name, my image, my child's name, my child's image and likeness before, during or after the competition, tournament or event for related promotional broadcasting or reporting purposes in any media. I acknowledge that if I withdraw my consent I must provide a legitimate or legal reason for not wanting photographs or electronic images of myself or my child used for ongoing Rugby promotional purposes. I acknowledge that notice of the withdrawal of my consent must be received in writing to the Qatar Rugby Federation at [qatarrugby28@gmail.com](mailto:qatarrugby28@gmail.com)

6. I consent to the conduct of identity verification checks, background security checks and any other security checks (which may include inspection of my personal property) prior to my entry or departure from any Rugby competition, tournament or event.

7. Safety precautions undertaken by the Qatar Rugby Federation are a service to me and other players but are not a guarantee of safety.

8. I am fully responsible for the security of my personal possessions at the Rugby competitions, tournaments and events and the organizers will not be liable for replacement of any personal possessions.

9. My club registration and QRF player registration is not transferable to other people.

10. I agree to abide by all Rugby competition regulations, rules and directions issued by the Qatar Rugby organizers.

11. The Rugby organizers may change the competition, tournament and event format conditions at their discretion. If that occurs, this agreement applies to the changed conditions.

12. Having regard to the number of clubs and/or participants in any championship or tournament Qatar Rugby Federation and its organizers have the right to alter any prizes at any time at their own discretion.

13. I acknowledge and consent to photographs and electronic images being taken of me before, during or after the competition, tournament and event by an official representative of the organizer. I acknowledge and agree that such photographs and electronic images are owned by Qatar Rugby Federation and its organizer and that the Qatar Rugby organizer and sponsors may use the image for promotional use.

These images, my name and my results may be used for reporting purposes or other purposes at any time by any form of media without my further consent being necessary. The Qatar Rugby Federation and its organizer is not responsible for photographs and electronic images taken by persons who are not an official representative of the competition, tournament or event organizer.

14. I acknowledge that I may receive email newsletters from Qatar Rugby Federation and organizers to keep me informed about competitions, tournaments and events.

#### **LIABILITY AND OTHER MATTERS**

15. The Qatar Rugby Federation, its members, officials, employees, and volunteers accept no liability for any participants under the age of 18 ("Minors"). Such liability is wholly attributable to the nominated parents or guardians of the Minors who execute this agreement on their behalf.

16. The Qatar Rugby Federation and its Rugby organizers reserve the right to remove any persons from the competition, tournament or event who is considered a danger to their own health and safety and the health and safety of others.

17. I accept all risks necessarily flowing from my participation which could result in serious injury. I waive all claims for liability against any participant and release every participant from all liability, provided that such liability arises while in participating in any rugby activity. I agree that QRF will hold the benefit of this release and waiver on trust for all participants. I release Qatar Rugby Federation, its organizers and all other persons or corporations including unincorporated associations directly or indirectly with the conduct of the rugby competitions, tournaments and events from all claims demands, liability and proceedings for or as a result of any loss, injury or damage suffered by me arising out of my participation and or attendance at the Rugby competition, tournament and events matches.

17a. This release shall extend to and includes all Qatar Rugby Federation championships, tournaments and events and its members, directors, partners, managers, officials, officers, agents, contractors, employees and volunteers including referees, linesmen, medical and paramedical personnel appointed for the competition, tournament and event, the owners, licensees and occupiers of land upon which Rugby is played on or any part of it is conducted, any

statutory body or local authority having control over any land upon which Rugby any part of Rugby is conducted or which is involved directly or indirectly with the championship or tournament in any manner whatsoever and promoters, sponsors and championship or tournament organizers. This release and indemnity continues forever and binds my heirs, executors, personal representatives and assigns.

**PRIVACY POLICY**

18. The Qatar Rugby Federation collects personal information for the purposes of conducting safe rugby championships, tournaments and events, including identifying participants, recording results and communicating with me about competitions, tournaments and events.

19 I take complete responsibility for my conduct vis-à-vis other competition, tournament and events participants and servants or agents of the competition, tournament or event organizer. I will not do anything, nor fail to do anything, which would have the result of threatening or harming the safety or well-being of any other person.

20. I will not use force or violence, nor use any threatening or offensive language.

21. I am not, and on the date of the Rugby matches will not, be under the influence of alcohol or non-prescription drugs that will impair my ability to participate in the competition, tournament and event. I understand that consumption of alcohol and any illegal drugs during the competition, tournament and event is strictly prohibited and grounds for ejection from the competition, tournament and event without refund (if applicable) and accept any applicable sanctions.

22. I consent to being searched by the competition, tournament and event organizer or persons on its behalf prior to entering the competition, tournament and event area to check for illegal items and substances as well as any banned or prohibited items listed in the Rules.

**ANTI-DOPING:**

23. QRF condemns the use of performance enhancing substances in Rugby as both dangerous to health and contrary to the ethics of sport, and prohibits the taking or use of drugs. World Rugby and the QRF operate a zero tolerance policy to doping in Rugby. As a player you are solely responsible for any prohibited substances found to be present in your body. You agree to observe and comply with QRF, World Rugby and WADA - Anti- Doping Code. You acknowledge and agree that the QRF has jurisdiction to impose sanctions as provided for in the World Rugby Anti-Doping Code. A copy of the Anti-Doping Code is available at <http://keeprugbyclean.worldrugby.org/>

24. It is a requirement that you complete the WR Anti-Doping E-Learning Education Program contained at <http://keeprugbyclean.worldrugby.org/> or as a minimum read and understand the applicable regulations.

**CORRUPTION AND BETTING**

25. QRF prohibits betting, financially speculating, match-fixing or providing information to bookmakers on any match in which a participant is involved in or connected to. I agree to comply with and be bound by the World Rugby Code of Conduct and must immediately report any offer of a bribe or benefit stated above to the QRF

**EXECUTION**

26. By signing this agreement I agree to be bound by the terms and conditions and indemnities listed in the above pages,

Participant Name:.....Participant(signature).....  
Date.....

Participant’s Guardian (print name) .....Signature .....  
Date.....

**PLEASE NOTE:**

**CLUB / TEAM MANAGERS ARE REQUIRED TO COLLECT AND COLLATE ALL PARTICIPANT AGREEMENTS FORMS (1 PER PLAYER) AND DELIVER OR EMAIL THEM TO THE QRF ASAP AT THE FOLLOWING EMAIL [gatarrugby28@gmail.com](mailto:gatarrugby28@gmail.com)**