

**SAN JOAQUIN DELTA POWER SQUADRON**

**AGREEMENT AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY**

**Voluntary Participation in Partner in Command Course**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to the San Joaquin Delta Power Squadron to enroll and participate in the Partner in Command or Jump Start course. I understand that the course is a program aimed at assisting persons to learn the rudiments of boat handling, boating safety and also discusses techniques of assisting those who have fallen overboard or are injured or experience a medical emergency so that I can more competently respond should I be either skipper or a passenger on a vessel whose operator falls overboard or becomes incapacitated. I also acknowledge that I carry current insurance, a current vessel safety check, that I will be wearing a life vest during all on the water activities, and that conditions are favorable for the training.

Assumption of Risk

I realize that the Partner in Command or Jump Start course will involve the piloting of recreational boats by unskilled persons, sometimes in close proximity to docks, other boats, or to swimmers in the water. I recognize that under such circumstances damage to boats or other property and injury to persons can occur.

I am voluntarily participating in these activities with knowledge of the dangers involved and I hereby agree to accept any and all risks of injury, death, and damage to my boat or any other property.

Release

As consideration for being permitted by San Joaquin Delta Power Squadron to participate in these activities and use their facilities, I hereby agree that I, my successors, assign, and/or legal representatives will not make any claim against, sue, or attach the property of the San Joaquin Delta Power Squadron, its affiliated District and National organizations, or any of its officers, agents or members, or the supplier of any boat or other equipment used in the course, for injury or damage resulting from the negligence or other acts, howsoever caused by any officer, agent, or member of the San Joaquin Delta Power Squadron or its affiliated District and National organizations as a result of my participation in the Partner in Command or Jump Start course. I hereby release San Joaquin Delta Power Squadron, its affiliated District and National organizations, or any of its officers, agents or members from all actions, claims, or demands that I, my successors, assign, and/or legal representatives now have or may hereafter have for injury or property damage resulting from my participation in the said courses.

Knowing and Voluntary Execution

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND CONTRACT BETWEEN MYSELF AND THE SAN JOAQUIN DELTA POWER SQUADRON AND ITS AFFILIATED DISTRICT AND NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.

Executed in San Joaquin County, California on \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Owner of Boat

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

I certify that \_\_\_\_\_ acknowledged in my presence that he or she has read and fully understands the meaning and consequences of the foregoing RELEASE and signed it in my presence and that the squadron bridge has knowledge of and has approved me as an instructor of this course.

Executed in San Joaquin County on \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

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Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name