

## Delegate Liability Wavier

At ILMUNC India, we hope to build a partnership with the delegates to ensure a meaningful and seamless conference experience. We hope to work closely with you for your safety and conduct during the course of the conference. This document will help apprise you about what is expected of you, enabling us to have a successful conference together.

**Alcohol & Controlled Substances Policy** - Consumption and/or possession of alcohol at the conference will not be tolerated under any circumstances. Likewise, controlled substances are illegal and intolerable. If a Delegate is found to possess, consume and/or to have possessed or to have consumed alcohol at the conference, or if any Delegate is found to unlawfully possess or use, or to have unlawfully possessed or used any controlled substance, will be immediately expelled from the conference and hotel; criminal complaints may be pursued against the participant in question. In the case of expulsion, all expenses for the return journey must be borne by the individual delegate.

**Hotel Courtesy** - Participants will be held responsible for vandalism or any other damage that occurs in their rooms. Rowdiness in the hallways, excessive noise, roughhousing, throwing objects, accessing prohibited areas of the hotel premises, and/or other unruly behavior will not be tolerated. False fire alarms will be dealt with severely. The conference and hotel reserve the right to eject delegates for these or other disruptions to the safety and well-being of other hotel guests.

**Curfew Policy** - Curfew will be strictly enforced by the Ivy League Model United Nations Conference India ("ILMUNC India") staff and Hotel Security at the times indicated on the conference schedule. After curfew, Delegates must remain quietly in their assigned rooms; students will not be permitted to pass through hallways or to be in rooms to which they are not assigned. This includes departures from assigned rooms to accept food deliveries.

**Valuables** - If delegates must bring valuables, they are encouraged to place them in a hotel safe deposit box. ILMUNC India and the Hotel are not responsible for belongings left in guest rooms or in meeting rooms

**Dress Code and Conference Badges** - The safety of conference participants is of paramount importance to ILMUNC India. To maintain and enhance delegate security, ILMUNC India requires all conference participants to visibly wear conference badges at all times during the conference; all delegates are required to adhere to the conference dress code as outlined in the Guide to Delegate Preparation and other conference publications. Participants who fail to adhere to these rules may be excluded from conference proceedings and events. ILMUNC India staff reserves the right to check conference badges of any participant at any time, for any reason whatsoever.

**Photography and Video** - Throughout the conference, ILMUNC India staff and representatives of the conference may take photographs, videos, and interviews that show conference participants both during and in between committee sessions, and which may be used for promotional, educational, or other purposes by ILMUNC India. By attending the conference and signing the liability release form, participants consent to be photographed, videotaped and/or interviewed and authorize ILMUNC India to use those photographs, videos, and/or interviews in any manner of ILMUNC India's choosing.

**Plagiarism** – The least favorable thing that one can do during committees or outside is steal another delegate's research/speech or presentation points. ILMUNC India 2017 does not encourage this in the slightest and will in fact take strict action against any delegate who indulges

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in plagiarism. This may also result in being banned from attending committee sessions and social events and may even result in expulsion from the conference based on the severity of the case.

**In-Committee Behavior** – As delegates who are representing world leaders and diplomats, the world looks to you to set an example. In line with this, you will be expected to demonstrate the highest standards of behavior in committee as well.

## Note to Individual Delegations

a) Individuals in a private delegation/ club will be identified first by their school names and will have the same reflected on their IDs at the conference. The club or private MUN team they are a part of will also be represented on their IDs, secondarily.

b) Each individual in the MUN club/ private delegation will need to produce a copy of his/her school ID to the conference team, before he/she attends the conference.

c) While the participants will be eligible for individual awards and recognition, the MUN club or private delegation as a whole will not stand to win a delegation award, since the participants will be from various schools and the delegation awards are given to recognise the efforts put in by the schools to grow MUN within their ecosystem.

**General Award Policy** - All awards are purely based on the discretion of the Secretariat. Multiple factors are taken into consideration from Day 1 of the conference until the last day. Your co-operation and understanding are imperative.

**Other Rules** - These rules are in addition to those established by national and local laws and ordinances and common sense. Serious infractions will result in dismissal from the conference of those involved. The Secretary-General reserves the right to issue additional rules or to alter existing rules at any time at his/her discretion.

**Interpretation of Rules** -All authoritative determinations of fact and interpretations of conference rules and policies are to be made by the Secretary-General.

**Expulsion from the Conference** - The Secretary-General reserves the right to expel any delegate, delegation, school, or group thereof from the conference at any time for violating or failing to comply with conference regulations, or for any other reason. ILMUNC India has a zero-tolerance policy concerning alcohol and controlled substances, and violations of the alcohol and/or controlled substance policies will always result in expulsion. Expulsions take effect immediately at the time they are issued. All conference registration materials (i.e. conference badges and placards) must be surrendered to conference staff upon expulsion.

By signing this liability release form, each participant agrees to abide by the rules of ILMUNC India and the conference venue. These rules are established for the participants' safety, as well as for that of the hotel and its other guests. Rules will be strictly enforced by the Hotel security team, the ILMUNC India security team, and all other ILMUNC India staff. Every student and faculty advisor participating in ILMUNC India must sign and return a copy of this form to ILMUNC India before registering at the conference.

Every Delegate has to send a signed form to [info@ilmunc-india.com](mailto:info@ilmunc-india.com) as soon as they register. Students must also obtain a signature from a parent or legal guardian. Any Delegate without a

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completed form on file prior to ILMUNC India will not be permitted to register at the conference, and will thus be unable to participate in any conference activities.

I, the undersigned participant from \_\_\_\_\_ (name of school or organization) hereby indemnify and hold harmless, to the fullest extent permitted by law, Ivy League Model United Nations India ("ILMUNC India"), including Worldview Education Services, Ltd. and the International Affairs Association of the University of Pennsylvania, ('the IAA'), their directors, officers, employees, staff, volunteers, and any agents from and against any and all claims, liabilities, losses, costs, or obligations including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees and expenses, which may arise out of my travelling to, participating in, or returning from ILMUNC India, but excluding liability for injury, death, or damage caused solely by gross negligence of ILMUNC India and the IAA. I take full personal responsibility for all charges and damages to my hotel room. I also declare that I have read, understood, and will adhere to the Security Rules of ILMUNC India, and will adhere to the applicable laws of Delhi-NCR, the Republic of India, and any other pertinent laws or regulations in force at the conference location. I declare that I will adhere to any additional rules promulgated by ILMUNC India before and during the conference, including but not limited to those published in the conference handbook and those announced to faculty advisors. I understand that refunds or other consideration will not be granted for any reason except as provided for by ILMUNC India policy and procedure, and agree that I may be expelled from the conference at any time for violating this agreement with no expectation of refund. Refunds or other consideration will not be granted to those registered participants unable to attend the conference for any reason, including but not limited to inclement weather, travel delays, or illness. I agree that this agreement is enforceable to the fullest extent of the law, and that any provisions herein found invalid, as a matter of law will be deemed severable from the balance of the agreement.

The individual and the parent shall be solely responsible for every action of the individual done both intentionally and unintentionally beginning from the arrival at the conference to the departure from the conference. The individual and the Parent are required to sign below to communicate the acceptance of responsibility.

ILMUNC India team will allocate rooms to all the Individual delegates attending the conference keeping in mind the Gender and Age of the Delegates. We do not encourage delegates to stay alone for safety purposes. The costs for single occupancy rooms are considerably higher. If the delegate (with the consent from his parent/ guardian) wishes to stay alone please send a request to [info@ilmunc-india.com](mailto:info@ilmunc-india.com) for further details.

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ (DD/MM/YYYY)