Illinois_Roadbuff's Development

Code of Conduct

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Preamble

Welcome to the IRBD Code of Conduct (ICC). This accompanying document will serve as the policies and guidelines for all persons who hold moderator or administrator permissions in Illinois_Roadbuff's Development (IRBD), and for all staff members herein.

Article I: General Rules of Conduct

Section 1: Prohibition of Adonis Abuse (& capabilities)

No personnel shall abuse capabilities (Adonis Admin) or use commands in a disruptive or harmful manner without Illinois_Roadbuff's consent.

Section 2: Prohibition of Incognito Mode

Personnel shall not use incognito mode without explicit consent from Illinois_Roadbuff, regardless of suspicion of other individuals per se (i.e., simply for monitoring other players or gathering private information).

Section 3: Prohibition of Providing Capabilities

Providing capabilities to other individuals is strictly proscribed without @Illinois_Roadbuff's consent.

Section 4: Prohibition of Specific Command Usage

The commands listed are strictly forbidden without @Illinois_Roadbuff's consent. These commands include but are not limited to "dex"/"newdex" and the admin explorer, screening images and videos, making servers via admin, and usage of ":cm".

Section 5: Prohibition of Insertion of Instances

Insertion methods are strictly prohibited without Illinois_Roadbuff's consent. Illinois State Police (role-play) is set aside from being limited to inserting models.

Section 6: Prohibition of Disruption

Personnel shall not cause behavior issues or disruption.

Section 7: Prohibition of Entering Restricted Areas

Personnel shall not bring users into restricted areas. Personnel are also restricted from interacting with the power plant or other important infrastructures in public servers without prior consent from Illinois Roadbuff.

Section 8: External Behavior

All public behavior (Twitter/X, YouTube, etc.) shall be counted by the ICC. In other words, be a good role model.

Conversely, private behavior may or may not be counted by the ICC. Information on that matter shall be confidential unless necessary (e.g., inappropriate behavior). Minor violations will not be counted by default; moderate violations will require a decision; severe violations will be counted by default unless stated otherwise.

In a case of an environment such as a private group chat, primarily with a host, that individual can decide if the ICC is counted in that environment. Additionally, the individual [host] can elect a punishment categorized into minor, moderate, or severe violations in the ICC in the case of having separate or no guidelines.

One action from an individual may represent the whole team.

Section 9: Other Behavioral Matter

Personnel shall not use their ranks for personal gain or corruption.

Any type of politics other than DOT (Department of Transportation) are strictly proscribed.

Mass arguments and drama are strictly prohibited.

Any inappropriate behavior which includes but not limited to pedophilia/gore/NSFW, excessive profanity, illegal activity, self-promotion, etc. are strictly prohibited.

Section 10: Involvement

Personnel shall not be involved in external drama, competition, or any of that matter.

Article II: Means of Avoidance

Section 1: Prohibition of Command Aliases.

Staff members are prohibited from creating command aliases1 to avoid the accompanying guidelines.

Section 2: Prohibition of Convincing Others

Convincing/persuading and manipulating others to refrain from reporting rule violations is strictly prohibited.

Section 3: Prohibition of Backdoors and Loopholes

Attempting to find backdoors or loopholes in the accompanying rules is strictly prohibited and will face additional penalties.

Article III: Violations

Section 1: Severity Levels

Accompanying violations are categorized into three levels based on the severity of the offense. Minor violations (e.g., mild disruption, accidental misuse), moderate violations (e.g., repeated trolling, repeating minor violations), and severe violations (e.g., exploiting loopholes, running loadstrings).

Section 2: Penalty Progression

The penalty progression will go as stated. For minor violations, you may receive warnings, suspicion, and possible unranking depending on the amount of reports. For moderate violations, it will be decided by Illinois_Roadbuff and may lead to possible suspension and/or unranking. For severe violations, it will be decided by Illinois_Roadbuff and may lead to possible unranking.

Section 3: Expiration

Violations do not expire after the penalty period has been served. To clear a violation, the staff member must have good behavior for a specified amount of time.

Section 4: Overrides

Illinois Roadbuff can override this system if needed.

Article IV: Additions or Removals

Section 1: Proposed Revisions

Accompanying changes ought to be approved by Illinois_Roadbuff before implementation.

Article V: Eventual Statements

Section 1: Exclusion of Regulations

All terms are set aside for individuals ranked higher than "Head Admin" which is solely Illinois_Roadbuff. These guidelines set forth in this document are subject to revision on any occasion without prior notice.

Section 2: Maturity and Good Sense

Since it's not possible to explicitly outline every regulation, personnel are expected to use good sense and act maturely.

Personnel are prohibited from blaming others without reasoning.

Section 3: Prohibition of Making Light

Making light (i.e. joking) about these accompanying regulations is strictly proscribed.

Section 4: Prohibition on Inviting Unauthorized Users

Inviting unauthorized users to personnel reserved servers is strictly prohibited.

Section 5: Stuck Vehicles

Personnel can use ":fling" or ":spin" if their cars are stuck.

Section 6: Private Servers

Official IRBD staff can mess around with "fun" non-exploitable admin commands in private servers.

Section 7: Application of ICC

All personnel ranks are bound to the ICC by default unless stated otherwise. This can include but not limited to having separate guidelines.

Section 8: Warnings & Moderation

All personnel moderation ranks shall warn a player if he or she is conducting inappropriate matters. Additionally, all personnel moderation ranks shall state all moderation actions in #player-moderation-logs.

Section 9: Assessment

Demonstrating understanding of the ICC is a prerequisite for all pre-ranked personnel after 2/28/2025 before election unless stated otherwise.

Any personnel may be assessed at any occasion. If there is a case of a due date, personnel are required to complete the assessment or else may risk facing certain consequences until further notice.

Assessment can be retaken and is open-note unless stated otherwise. The assessment must be provided by Illinois_Roadbuff.

It's imperative that personnel complete the accompanying assessment to avoid accidental violations.