

# OVERKILL LAN #7

# WAIVER FORM

## WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

IN CONSIDERATION OF BEING ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY WAY IN THE OVERKILL LAN EVENT ON AUG. 28-29 2009 AT THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA BCM AND RELATED EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES, THE UNDERSIGNED:

1. AGREES THAT IF UNDER 18 THE PARENT(S) AND/OR LEGAL GUARDIANS(S) WILL INSTRUCT THE MINOR PARTICIPANT THAT PRIOR TO PARTICIPATING HE OR SHE SHOULD INSPECT THE FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT TO BE USED, AND IF THE PARTICIPANT BELIEVES ANYTHING IS UNSAFE, HE OR SHE SHOULD IMMEDIATELY ADVISE AN OVERKILL LAN OFFICIAL AND REFUSE TO PARTICIPATE.

2. ACKNOWLEDGES AND FULLY UNDERSTANDS THAT EACH PARTICIPANT WILL BE ENGAGING IN ACTIVITIES AND CONTESTS THAT MAY INVOLVE RISK OF SERIOUS INJURY TO THEIR PERSON AND TO COMPUTERS AND ELECTRONICS, INCLUDING VIRUSES, POWER FAILURE AND SEVERE SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC LOSSES WHICH MIGHT RESULT NOT ONLY FROM THEIR OWN ACTIONS, INACTIONS OR NEGLIGENCE, BUT THE ACTION, INACTION OR NEGLIGENCE OF OTHERS, OR THE CONDITION OF THE PREMISES OR OF ANY EQUIPMENT USED. FURTHER, THAT THERE MAY BE OTHER RISKS NOT KNOWN TO US OR NOT REASONABLY FORESEEABLE AT THIS TIME.

3. ASSUMES ALL THE FOREGOING RISKS AND ACCEPT PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE DAMAGES FOLLOWING SUCH DAMAGE, PERMANENT OR TEMPORARY.

4. RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE USF BCM, AND/OR THE OVERKILL LAN EVENT ORGANIZERS, ITS AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS AND THEIR ADMINISTRATORS, DIRECTORS, AGENTS AND OTHER EMPLOYEES OF THE ORGANIZATION, OTHER PARTICIPANTS, SPONSORING AGENCIES, SPONSORS, ADVERTISERS, AND, IF APPLICABLE, OWNERS AND LEASERS OF PREMISES USED TO CONDUCT THE EVENT, ALL OF WHICH ARE HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "RELEASEES", FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY TO EACH OF THE UNDERSIGNED, HIS OR HER HEIRS AND NEXT OF KIN FOR ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES OR DAMAGES ON ACCOUNT OF INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH OR DAMAGE TO PROPERTY, CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE.

5. IT IS AGREED THEFT WILL NOT BE TOLERATED AND IF CAUGHT IN SUCH AN ACT THE UNIVERSITY POLICE DEPARTMENT WILL TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION.

6. RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE ALL RIGHTS TO ALL PHOTOGRAPHS AND OR VIDEO TAKEN BY MYSELF OR OTHERS WHILE AT THE OVERKILL LAN EVENT TO ITS ORGANIZERS, PRESS AGENCIES, AND SPONSORS. I UNDERSTAND THAT MY PICTURE AND LIKENESS MAY BE USED IN PUBLICATIONS AND ON WEBSITES IN THE FUTURE FOR PROMOTIONAL OR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES. I UNDERSTAND THAT DUE TO THE RIGHTS OF OTHERS I MAY HAVE TO TURN OFF MY VIDEO CAMERA IF ASKED BY AN EVENT ORGANIZER.

7. **I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE LAN RULES SECTION AND ACCEPT THEM.** A COPY WILL BE PROVIDED TO ME AT THE LAN ON THE INTRANET AND I UNDERSTAND I MUST FOLLOW THEM AT ALL TIMES.

I/WE HAVE READ THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE, UNDERSTAND THAT WE HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT AND SIGN IT VOLUNTARY. BY SIGNING BELOW I ALSO AGREE I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND ALL OF THE RULES AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY THEM.

Printed Name of Participant \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

School Name \_\_\_\_\_

Participant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### **If PARTICIPANT IS Under 18:**

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number of Parent/Guardian (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*\*BRING THIS FORM WITH YOU TO CHECK-IN\*\*\*\***