**WORKING RANCH COWBOYS ASSOCIATION**

**RANCH HORSE SHOW**

**RELEASE, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT**

As a condition of participating in the WRCA RANCH HORSE SHOW (hereinafter referred to as the Ranch Horse Show), each contestant or participant agrees that the Working Ranch Cowboys Association, its Board of Directors, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers working on behalf of the WRCA (hereinafter referred to as the Association), is not responsible for any injury to the contestant or damage to property belonging to or used by the contestant involved in the Ranch Horse Show. Each contestant agrees to be responsible for all damages or injuries that occur to the contestant or any property or animal owned or used by the contestant and to hold harmless the Association for such injuries or damages. The contestant acknowledges that participating in the Ranch Horse Show involves significant danger and risk of injury or death to person and on behalf of contestant’s personal representatives, heirs, spouse, and next of kin, agrees and understands, as a condition of participating in the Ranch Horse Show, to hold harmless the Association, for any and all injuries or damages to the contestant, and agrees to personally assume all responsibility for any and all injuries or damages that may occur as a result of participating in this event.

The contestant further agrees that any expenses or attorney fees incurred by the Association for a breach of this agreement shall be paid by the contestant. The contestant voluntarily accepts all risks associated with participating in the Ranch Horse Show and again waives all liability of the Association and agrees to hold harmless the Association for all injuries to the contestant’s person or property owned or used by the contestant.

The contestant agrees that any cause of action arising from participation in the Ranch Horse Show or any cause of action pertaining to this agreement shall be filed in the county and state in which it was entered into by the parties, to wit, Potter County, Texas.

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**Contestant’s Printed Name Contestant’s Signature (or Parent if minor)**

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**Phone Number Date WRCA Ranch Horse Show Secretary**