POINT-TO-POINT WAIVER OF LEGAL RIGHTS AND EXCLUSION OF LIABILITY

[This is a legal document and should be read carefully]

CONTEXT:

- 1. Many Hunts run point-to-points and provide facilities therefor, including car parking, tents, ambulances, doctors, vets and farriers, mostly, with voluntary help.
- 2. The provider of the jumps inspects them prior to and during racing.
- 3. The IHRB are responsible for ensuring the suitability of the courses provided by the Point-to-Point organisers.
- 4. All jockeys are obliged to be properly equipped as specified by and supervised by IHRB
- 5. No racing on the day can take place unless the IHRB are satisfied with the condition of the course and the eligibility of rider and horses.
- 6. Point-to-point riding is a very dangerous sport

INSURANCE:

It is impossible for the organisers of point-to-points to obtain insurance for jockeys injured while racing.

Landowners and Hunts/organisers could not run point-to-points if they were exposed to claims by jockeys.

WAIVER AND EXCLUSION OF LIABILITY

I, the undersigned, in the light of the above hereby AGREE for myself and for my legal personal representatives to WAIVE my legal right to sue the Hunt, Masters, Committee, Trustees, organisers, staff, all persons assisting the Point-to-Point Committee and the landowners over whose land the Point-to-Point is run, and other persons having any connection with the promotion and/or organisation and/or conduct of point to points as envisaged by Section 34 of the Civil Liability Act 1961 for negligence, breach of duty, breach of statutory duty or for any other cause of action arising from any injuries or losses incurred by me.

I agree to ABSOLVE the Hunt, Masters, Committee, Trustees, organisers, staff, all persons assisting the Point-to-Point Committee and the landowners over whose land the Point-to-Point is run and other persons having any connection with the promotion and/or

organisation and/or conduct of point to points from any liability arising out of any accident howsoever caused resulting in damage and/or personal injury to me

Due to the impossibility of having waivers signed at each Point-to-Point, this waiver is signed and agreed by me to cover any Point-to-Point in the Republic of Ireland or Northern Ireland whenever I take part therein.

The foregoing Waiver and Exclusion of liability by me is given on the basis and understanding that it will only apply when I participate in point to points as a rider and the injuries or losses sustained by me arise therefrom.

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