

TRAVEL CONSENT FOR A MINOR

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This Travel Consent for a Minor (this "**Consent**") is made as of [EFFECTIVE DATE] (the "**Effective Date**") by: [CONSENTING PARENT/GUARDIAN LEGAL NAME], residing at [ADDRESS] (the "**Consenting Parent**"); and, where a second parent or guardian signs, [SECOND PARENT/GUARDIAN LEGAL NAME], residing at [ADDRESS] (together with the Consenting Parent, the "**Consenting Parents**").

This Consent concerns [MINOR LEGAL NAME], a minor born on [MINOR DATE OF BIRTH] (the "**Minor**"), who will travel in the care of [ACCOMPANYING ADULT LEGAL NAME], residing at [ADDRESS] (the "**Accompanying Adult**").

Recitals. The Minor will travel without one or both parents or legal guardians present, and border officials, airlines, schools, and other authorities often require written, signed evidence that the absent parent or guardian consents to the travel. The Consenting Parents wish to document that consent and to give the Accompanying Adult limited authority to act for the Minor during the trip. In consideration of the matters described below, the Consenting Parents agree and consent as follows.

1. Identification of the Minor and the Adults

1.1 The Minor. The Minor is [MINOR LEGAL NAME], born [MINOR DATE OF BIRTH], holder of passport or ID number [PASSPORT/ID NUMBER] issued by [ISSUING COUNTRY/AUTHORITY], expiring [EXPIRATION DATE]. The Minor's home address is [MINOR ADDRESS].

1.2 Authority of the signer. Each Consenting Parent represents that he or she is the parent or court-appointed legal guardian of the Minor and has lawful authority to consent to the Minor's travel. Any custody order or guardianship affecting that authority is identified here: [CASE/ORDER REFERENCE, IF ANY].

1.3 The Accompanying Adult. The Accompanying Adult is [ACCOMPANYING ADULT LEGAL NAME], born [DATE OF BIRTH], holder of passport or ID number [PASSPORT/ID NUMBER], whose relationship to the Minor is [RELATIONSHIP].

2. Travel Details

2.1 Itinerary. The Minor is authorized to travel from [ORIGIN] to [DESTINATION(S)], departing on or about [DEPARTURE DATE] and returning on or about [RETURN DATE].

2.2 Means of travel. The Minor will travel by [AIR / CAR / RAIL / SEA / OTHER], on carrier and flight or trip reference [CARRIER / FLIGHT / CONFIRMATION], with expected accommodations at [LODGING/CONTACT WHILE TRAVELING].

2.3 **Purpose.** The purpose of the trip is [PURPOSE, e.g. vacation, visiting family, school program, sporting event].

2.4 **Changes.** Minor changes to schedule, routing, or carrier within the same destination region are within the scope of this Consent. A change of destination country or a materially longer trip requires a new or amended Consent.

3. Scope of Consent and Delegated Authority

3.1 **Consent to travel.** The Consenting Parents consent to the Minor's travel as described in Section 2 and authorize relevant authorities to permit the Minor to depart, transit, and return.

3.2 **Day-to-day authority.** The Consenting Parents authorize the Accompanying Adult to make ordinary day-to-day decisions for the Minor during the trip, including lodging, meals, local transportation, supervision, and routine activities.

3.3 **Medical authority.** The Consenting Parents authorize the Accompanying Adult to consent to medical, dental, and emergency care for the Minor while traveling, as more fully addressed in Section 5.

3.4 **Limits.** The Accompanying Adult may [NOT] do the following without first attempting to reach a Consenting Parent: [LIST ANY LIMITS, OR "None"]. No limit prevents action a provider or authority deems immediately necessary for the Minor's safety.

4. Consent of the Non-Traveling Parent

4.1 **Confirmation.** Each Consenting Parent who is not traveling with the Minor confirms by signing below that he or she consents to the Minor leaving the place of residence with the Accompanying Adult and traveling as described.

4.2 **Sole authority.** If only one parent or guardian holds lawful authority to consent (for example, by reason of sole custody, death, or a court order), that fact and the supporting documentation are described here: [EXPLANATION AND DOCUMENT REFERENCE, IF APPLICABLE].

4.3 **No interference.** Nothing in this Consent waives or alters any custody or parenting arrangement; it documents consent for this specific trip only.

5. Medical Care While Traveling

5.1 **Authorization.** The Consenting Parents authorize the Accompanying Adult to consent to examination, diagnosis, and treatment of the Minor by licensed providers during the trip, including emergency care.

5.2 **Medical background.** The Minor's known conditions and allergies are [LIST OR "NONE KNOWN"], current medications are [LIST OR "NONE"], and blood type, if relevant, is [BLOOD TYPE].

5.3 **Insurance.** The Minor's health or travel insurance is carrier [CARRIER], policy number [POLICY NUMBER], with assistance line [PHONE]. The Consenting Parents remain financially responsible for the Minor's care.

6. Emergency Contacts

6.1 **Consenting Parents.** Reach a Consenting Parent at phone [PHONE], alternate [ALTERNATE PHONE], email [EMAIL].

6.2 **Local contact.** A contact at or near the destination is [NAME, RELATIONSHIP, PHONE].

6.3 **No delay.** Inability to reach a listed contact does not prevent the Accompanying Adult from acting, or an authority from assisting, where the Minor's safety requires prompt action.

7. Acknowledgments and Indemnification

7.1 **Good-faith reliance.** The Consenting Parents acknowledge that border officials, carriers, providers, and the Accompanying Adult will rely on this Consent in good faith and agree that such reliance is reasonable.

7.2 **Hold harmless.** To the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, the Consenting Parents will not hold the Accompanying Adult liable for good-faith decisions made under this Consent, except for gross negligence or willful misconduct.

7.3 **Accuracy.** The Consenting Parents represent that the information in this Consent is accurate as of the Effective Date.

8. Revocation, Governing Law, and General Provisions

8.1 **Revocation.** A Consenting Parent may revoke this Consent before departure by written notice to the Accompanying Adult. Revocation does not affect actions already taken in reliance on the Consent or steps underway in an emergency.

8.2 **Governing law.** This Consent is governed by the laws of the State of [STATE]. The entry, exit, and documentation rules of each destination and transit country, and of the Minor's home country, govern where they differ from this document, and the Consenting Parents should confirm those rules before travel.

8.3 **Witness or notarization.** Many authorities require this Consent to be notarized, and some require apostille or consular legalization. The Consenting Parents will complete the notarization block below where required.

8.4 **Severability.** If any provision is unenforceable, the remaining provisions stay in effect.

8.5 **Counterparts and electronic signature.** This Consent may be signed in counterparts and by electronic signature, each of which is an original, except where an authority requires a wet-ink or notarized original.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Consenting Parent(s) have signed this Consent as of the Effective Date.

CONSENTING PARENT / GUARDIAN	SECOND PARENT / GUARDIAN (if any)
Signature: _____	Signature: _____
Printed name: [NAME]	Printed name: [NAME]
Title/Relationship: [PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN]	Title/Relationship: [PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN / N/A]
Date: _____	Date: _____

Accompanying Adult acknowledgment.

ACCOMPANYING ADULT

Signature: _____

Printed name: **[NAME]**

Date: _____

Notary (if required).

NOTARY PUBLIC

Signature: _____

Printed name: **[NAME]**

Commission expires: **[DATE]**

Date: _____

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