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Dog Daycare Liability Waiver and Release

Facility Name: _____ **Location:** _____

Pet Parent Full Name: **Phone and Email:**

Dog Name(s): **Breed(s) and Age(s):**

Emergency Contact: **Preferred Veterinarian:**

1. Assumption of Risk in Off-Leash Group Play

_____ I understand that off-leash group play carries inherent risks that cannot be eliminated even with trained staff supervision. These risks include minor scratches, puncture wounds, sore paws, broken nails, fatigue, and transmission of contagious canine illnesses such as canine respiratory complex.

2. Health and Vaccination Certification

_____ I certify that my dog is current on all vaccines required by the facility (Rabies, DHPP, and Bordetella, plus optional vaccines posted by the facility), is free of fleas, ticks, and parasites, and has shown no vomiting, diarrhea, coughing, or nasal discharge within the last 14 days.

3. Behavior and Bite History Disclosure

_____ I certify that my dog has not harmed or shown unprovoked aggression toward any person or dog, except as explicitly disclosed in writing on the facility intake profile. I understand that the facility reserves the right to remove any dog from group play or end daycare privileges for safety reasons.

4. Spay, Neuter, and Age Policy

_____ I confirm that my dog meets the facility's spay, neuter, and minimum age requirements for group daycare, and that my dog has completed or is scheduled for the facility temperament assessment.

5. Emergency Veterinary Authorization

_____ If my dog requires urgent medical attention and staff cannot reach me or my emergency contact, I authorize the facility to obtain veterinary care at my expense. I agree to reimburse the facility or pay the veterinary clinic directly for all authorized treatment costs.

6. Release of Liability and Indemnification

_____ To the fullest extent permitted by law, I release and hold harmless the facility, its owners, and its staff from claims arising from my dog's participation in daycare, except where prohibited by state law or caused by gross negligence. I accept financial responsibility for damage or injury caused by my dog to another dog, person, or facility property.

7. Photo and Payment Authorization

_____ I agree to pay all applicable daycare fees, late pickup fees, and no-show fees per posted facility policies.
Photo permission for report cards and social media: [ ] Granted [ ] Report cards only.

Pet Parent Signature	Date
Printed Full Name	Staff Verification Initials

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