

SAESI 2017 Training Events

CLIMATE CHANGE AND THE EMERGENCY SERVICES

29 OCT - 3 NOV 2017

The 31st SAESI Conference, Exhibition, Training Events and Challenges

INDEMNITY

Participation agreement and release of liability
Each participant MUST complete this form prior to the SAESI 2017 Training Events

In consideration for being permitted to attend or participate in the SAESI 2017 Training Events, (competitions designed to test the clinical skills of professionals in the fire and emergency services), in all related activities (Vehicle Extrication, High Angle Rescue, EMS, Fire fighter Rescue Challenge). This includes the right to be involved or engage in activities within the premises utilised for the SAESI 2017 training events (herein collectively referred to as the "SAESI 2017 Training Events"), I, (Name in print letters) _______, on my own behalf as well as on behalf of my peers, next of kin, family, personal representatives and assigns, hereby agree to follows:

- I hereby RELEASE and DISCHARGE the SAESI 2017 Training Events, Southern African Emergency Services Institute, organisers, sponsors, officials, insurers and representatives (herein collectively referred to as the "released parties") from any and all liability, loss, claims, demands or causes of action ("losses"). This includes injuries and damages arising out of my participation in the SAESI 2017 Training Events, including, but not limited to, losses which may be CAUSED SOLELY OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF ANY OR ALL OF THE RELEASED PARTIES.
- 2. I further agree that I WILL NOT INSTITUTE ACTION OR MAKE CLAIM against the released parties for losses sustained as a result of my participation in the SAESI 2017 Training Events. I also agree TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE RELEASED PARTIES from all LOSSES, judgments and costs, including attorney's fees, incurred in connection with any action as a result of my participation in the SAESI 2017 Training Events. I further agree that I will not allow any other person to participate in the SAESI 2017 Training Events as my guest or invitee.
- 3. I understand and acknowledge that the SAESI 2017 Training Events involve inherent and unforeseeable dangers that no amount of care, caution, instruction or expertise can eliminate. I EXPRESSLY AND VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL RISK OF DEATH OR PERSONAL INJURY THAT MAY BE SUSTAINED WHILE PARTICIPATING IN THE SAESI 2017 TRAINING EVENTS WHETHER OR NOT CAUSED SOLELY OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF ANY OR ALL OF THE RELEASED PARTIES. I understand and affirm that my participation in the SAESI 2017 Training Events is purely voluntary, of my own free will and is not per request of the released parties.
- 4. I hereby expressly acknowledge that this Agreement and Release of Liability is a contract pursuant to which I have released any and all claims which may result from my participation in the SAESI 2017 Training Events INCLUDING ANY CLAIMS CAUSED SOLELY OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF ANY OR ALL OF THE RELEASED PARTIES.
- 5. The undersigned hereby expressly agrees that this Agreement and Release of Liability is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of South Africa and that if any portion hereof is held to be invalid, it is agreed that the remainder shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

- 6. I hereby acknowledge that the SAESI 2017 Training Events may include physical exertion, as well as the possibility of physical injury and emotional stress. I hereby further acknowledge that my physician has AT NO TIME RECOMMENDED THAT I AVOID STRENUOUS ACTIVITY or that I limit my physical activity in any way. I further acknowledge and confirm that I DO NOT HAVE A MEDICAL OR CARDIAC HISTORY that may prevent me from participating in or that may be aggravated by my participation in the SAESI 2017 Training Events.
- 7. I hereby acknowledge that I have not at any time had any infectious disease, including, but not limited to upper respiratory infection, open sores, or any blood-borne diseases that might pose a hazard to other participants at the SAESI 2017 Training Events.
- 8. I hereby warrant and represent that I am at least 18 years of age, in good physical condition with no disability, impairment, or ailment preventing me from engaging in the level of physical exertion required to participate in the SAESI 2017 Training Events or anything that will be detrimental to my health or the safety of any other participant. I further agree not to engage in the SAESI 2017 Training Events with any open cuts, sores, infections or conditions that could cause harm to others.
- 9. I hereby acknowledge that the released parties may cancel my participation in the SAESI 2017 Training Events if, in their sole discretion, they deem me unfit to participate. I hereby agree that the released parties may retain any payments made by me for my participation in the SAESI 2017 Training Events. This shall in no way limit the released parties' ability or right to institute a claim or lawsuit against me because of my actions at the SAESI 2017 Training Events or for any breach of any agreement or warranty contained herein, or for any other reason.
- I acknowledge that I understand that the SAESI 2017
 Training Events entails a degree of risk and that I voluntarily assume all such risk whether foreseeable or not.
- 11. I hereby give permission to the released parties to record in any format the proceedings during the SAESI 2017 Training Events and to utilise any such recordings for any purpose deemed appropriate.

I HAVE READ THIS AGREEMENT AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENT, AND SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.

Participants signature:	Date:
HOD Permission: Yes No	
HOD Signature:	Date:

Organiser







