PDXLAN WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

IN CONSIDERATION OF BEING ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY WAY IN THE PDXLAN LAN EVENT AT THE HOLIDAY INN PORTLAND AIRPORT CONFERENCE CENTER AND RELATED EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES, THE UNDERSIGNED:

1. AGREES THAT IF UNDER 18 THE PARENT(S) AND/OR LEGAL GUARDIANS(S) WILL INSTRUCT THE MINOR PARTICIPANT THAT PRIOR TO PARTICIPATING HE OR SHE SHOULD INSPECT THE FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT TO BE USED, AND IF THE PARTICIPANT BELIEVES ANYTHING IS UNSAFE, HE OR SHE SHOULD IMMEDIATELY ADVISE A PDXLAN STAFF MEMBER AND REFUSE TO PARTICIPATE.

2. ACKNOWLEDGES AND FULLY UNDERSTANDS THAT EACH PARTICIPANT WILL BE ENGAGING IN ACTIVITIES AND CONTESTS THAT MAY INVOLVE RISK OF SERIOUS INJURY TO THEIR PERSON AND TO COMPUTERS AND ELECTRONICS, INCLUDING VIRUSES, POWER FAILURE AND SEVERE SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC LOSSES WHICH MIGHT RESULT NOT ONLY FROM THEIR OWN ACTIONS, INACTIONS OR NEGLIGENCE, BUT THE ACTION, INACTION OR NEGLIGENCE OF OTHERS, OR THE CONDITION OF THE PREMISES OR OF ANY EQUIPMENT USED. FURTHER, THAT THERE MAY BE OTHER RISKS NOT KNOWN TO US OR NOT REASONABLY FORESEEABLE AT THIS TIME.

3. ASSUMES ALL THE FOREGOING RISKS AND ACCEPT PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE DAMAGES FOLLOWING SUCH DAMAGE, PERMANENT OR TEMPORARY.

4. RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE PDXLAN, AND/OR THE PDXLAN EVENT ORGANIZERS., ITS AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS THEIR ADMINISTRATORS, DIRECTORS, AGENTS AND OTHER EMPLOYEES OF THE ORGANIZATION, OTHER PARTICIPANTS, SPONSORING AGENCIES, SPONSORS, ADVERTISERS, AND, IF APPLICABLE, OWNERS AND LEASERS OF PREMISES USED TO CONDUCT THE EVENT, ALL OF WHICH ARE HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "RELEASEES", FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY TO EACH OF THE UNDERSIGNED, HIS OR HER HEIRS AND NEXT OF KIN FOR ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES OR DAMAGES ON ACCOUNT OF INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH OR DAMAGE TO PROPERTY, CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE.

5. RELEASE, WAIVE, and DISCHARGE ALL RIGHTS TO ALL PHOTOGRAPHS AND OR VIDEO TAKEN BY MYSELF OR OTHERS WHILE AT THE PDXLAN EVENT TO ITS ORGANIZERS, PRESS AGENCIES, AND SPONSORS. I UNDERSTAND THAT MY PICTURE AND LIKENESS MAY BE USED IN PUBLICATIONS AND ON WEBSITES IN THE FUTURE FOR PROMOTIONAL OR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES. I UNDERSTAND THAT DUE TO THE RIGHTS OF OTHERS I MAY HAVE TO TURN OFF MY VIDEO CAMERA IF ASKED BY AN EVENT ORGANIZER.

I/WE HAVE READ THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE, UNDERSTAND THAT WE HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT AND SIGN IT VOLUNTARY.

TODAY'S DATE _____ PRINTED NAME OF PARTICIPANT _____

PARTICIPANT SIGNATURE _____

Participant Acknowledgements:

- 1. I understand the rules and code of conduct posted online at www.pdxlan.net/rules
- 2. I understand that bit-torrenting of any kind is not allowed at PDXLAN or Vector LAN
- 3. I understand that downloading illegal content of any kind <u>from the Internet</u> can result in ejection from the event.
- □ I understand the above items.
- □ <u>I do not understand</u> the above items and I will forfeit my admission.