



By affixing my signature to this contract, I agree as follows:

### **1. Release (injury to myself or to my personal property)**

I release any and all officials, agents, sponsors, the employees of The Bar Association of San Francisco and its Justice & Diversity Center or any others affiliated with this basketball tournament for any injury to myself or my heirs or successors in interest arising from my participation in this adult basketball tournament.

### **2. Hold harmless (injury to others or other personal property)**

I will indemnify and hold harmless any and all officials, agents, sponsors, the employees of The Bar Association of San Francisco and its Justice & Diversity Center or any others affiliated with this basketball tournament from any loss or liability (bodily injuries or death, and/or for damage to property, including the loss of use thereof) which results or is alleged to result from my participation in this adult basketball tournament.

### **3. Player responsibility for procuring insurance**

I am fully aware this basketball tournament, The Bar Association of San Francisco and its Justice & Diversity Center, and its officials, agents, sponsors and employees, or any others affiliated with this basketball tournament carries NO medical insurance for any participant. I understand that I am solely responsible for securing my own insurance and that the other members of my team are responsible for securing their own insurance.

### **4. Assumption of risk**

I assume all risks involved in my participation in The Bar Association of San Francisco and its Justice & Diversity Center's basketball tournament which will be held at Ruth Asawa San Francisco School of the Arts (SOTA) and I recognize that I am solely responsible for my decision to participate in any game in this adult basketball tournament. The above release stated in number one includes, but is not limited to, a release, (1) for the maintenance or condition of the playing court, (2) for the condition of appurtenances thereto (bleachers, scorekeepers table, etc.), (3) any equipment used and supplied by this tournament, and (4) any lost or stolen property while participating or attending the game(s).

### **5. Release for photographs taken during the 2017 Hooplaw Basketball Tournament**

I grant permission to The Bar Association of San Francisco and its Justice & Diversity Center to use photographs and/or video images taken during the tournament, to be used for promotional purposes. I also understand that The Bar Association of San Francisco and its Justice & Diversity Center retains the right to use photographs and/or video images taken of me and my teammates for publicity and advertising purposes.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Team: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

# The Bar Association of San Francisco

## 2017 HOOPLAW BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

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#### I. Design

- The tournament will operate on Saturday, August 26 and Sunday, August 27, 2017.
- Three game minimum. Pool play followed by bracket play. There will be a minimum of ten teams, with 8-10 players per team with a maximum of ten players per team.
- Championship rounds will be played on Sunday, August 27 at Ruth Asawa San Francisco School of the Arts (SOTA).

#### II. Rules

- Warm-Up - Teams will be allowed a three minute warm-up between games but are encouraged to warm-up through other modes.
- Game Play - Games will be five-on-five with two, twenty minute halves running time. Time will be stopped for timeouts (each team receives two per half of 30 seconds) and by referee discretion. The game clock will stop during the last minute of the second half for whistles. In addition, each player present during tournament games must play at least 10 minutes.
- Halftime - There will be a five minute half-time. Teams do not have to switch sides of the court.
- Overtime - In the event of a tied score at the end of regulation play, an overtime session of two minutes (running time until the final minute) will be played. If the game is still tied, the teams will have a jump ball at center court and the outcome will then be decided by sudden death (*i.e., whichever team scores the first basket*).

In the playoffs there will be no sudden death and the game will continue with overtime sessions of two minutes each.

- Forfeits - Teams may play with four players. However, a team having three or fewer players will be required to forfeit. If a team forfeits, the score will be 40-0 as a reflection and the non-forfeiting team may use the hour as practice.
- Fouls - Each player is allowed five personal fouls, with the fifth foul resulting in player disqualification. Each team is allowed seven fouls per half, with the seventh foul resulting in a one-on-one foul-shooting bonus for the opposing team. Two technical fouls by one player in a game will result in player disqualification for that game. Flagrant fouls and physical and verbal abuse are not tolerated during tournament play and players can be disqualified from the tournament. This is at the referee's and commissioner's discretion. Fighting is not tolerated and may also result in a player or team tournament disqualification. Decisions to disqualify a player or team will be reviewed by the commissioner and/or decided upon by The Bar Association of San Francisco and its Justice & Diversity Center.
- Technical Fouls - If a player receives two technical fouls during the tournament it will result in tournament disqualification.

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- NCAA Format - All other rules will follow NCAA format unless indicated by the referee.

### III. Playoffs/Championship

See schedule for tournament format.

### IV. Referees

Referees make and enforce the final calls in all games. Please respect all decisions made by the referees. Verbal and/or physical abuse toward a referee is prohibited and may result in player or team tournament disqualification.

### V. Jerseys

All players present for each team who wish to play must be wearing their own team jersey. If any player does not have his or her own jersey to wear that team will receive a technical foul and the opposing team may elect to take a two-shot technical foul prior to the start of the game.

### VI. Acceptance of Rules and Regulations Agreement

The participant at the participant's sole risk shall undertake participation in the event and use of all facilities. The Bar Association of San Francisco and its Justice & Diversity Center shall not be liable for any claims, demands, injuries, damages, actions, or causes of action whatsoever, to person or property arising out of or connected with the tournament.

I have read the agreement and the rules and regulations. I agree to be bound by their terms and conditions.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print name), have read and understand the rules and policies of The Bar Association of San Francisco and its Justice & Diversity Center's 2017 Hooplax Basketball Tournament. I acknowledge that disregard for the policies, especially physical and verbal abuse may result in disqualification from the tournament. By not signing this agreement, I will not be permitted to play in the tournament.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Team: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_