## WASHINGTON OPEN DANCESPORT COMPETITION May 2-5, 2024 Liability Waiver and Release Form

All spectators, competitors, officials, and guests who attend this competition are subject to the official rules set out by WASHINGTON OPEN DANCESPORT COMPETITION (hereinafter "the Event"), the Superstar Dance Series, and the National Dance Council of America, Inc. and by participating in this event automatically become obligated to adhere to them.

No responsibility for loss or theft of articles left in changing rooms, ballrooms, or hotel rooms can be accepted by the Organizers or by the National Dance Council of America, Inc. Neither can they be held liable for injury sustained by persons attending this event. Everyone attending does so at his or her own risk. I release from all claims regarding illness or accidents while attending the Event. Any student, professional, studio owner or spectator making a claim, dispute, or nonpayment requiring the Event to hire legal counsel shall be held solely liable and responsible for the cost of said counsel and any and all associated fees arising thereof.

No videotaping or filming will be allowed. A professional video company will be present at the competition to video your performance. Everyone who attends the Event has by doing so consented to the use and release of any video, pictures or names in connection with the promotion of the Event. Any participant having an objection to being taped or to the possibility of being seen on television or videotape should notify the Event thirty days prior to the competition.

The Event has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19. However, the Event cannot guarantee that you will not become infected with COVID-19. Attending teh Event could increase your risk of contracting COVID-19.

By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that I may be exposed to, or infected by, COVID-19 by attending the Event and that such exposure of infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability and death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to, or infected by, COVID-19 at the Event may result from actions, omission, or negligence of myself and others, including but not limited to the Event employees, volunteers, participants, their families and friends.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any damage, loss, claim, liability or expense of any kind, that I may experience or incur in connection with my attendance at the Event.

On my behalf, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge and hold harmless the Event, its employees and representatives, of and for all claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, cost or expense of any kind arising out of, or relating thereto. I understand and agree that in the event of competition being stopped or interrupted by city or any other official/authorities, organizers shall not be liable for any incurred loss or refund.

PleasecontacttheEventorganizersshouldyouhaveanyquestions.Phone: (770) 403-6565 Fax: 404-254-1073 or e-mail aresdanceinc@gmail.com

PLEASE PRINT NAME	Signature