Sample Sports/Action Photography Contract

This Agreement is made this _____ day of _____, 20____, between _____, ("League") and _____ ("Photographer") of _____ _____ (Studio) in _____, _____.

This Agreement is for the following length of time: _____ _____ (i.e. 2004 Lee County Recreation Youth Winter Basketball League).

The League and the Photographer hereby agree to the following terms:

- For the duration of this agreement, the Photographer shall have the exclusive right to photograph league participants and events. This exclusive right includes, but is not limited to, the creation, offering for sale and distribution of action photographs of league events and group or individual portraits of coaches, players, or teams participating in the league. The League shall take all reasonable steps to ensure this exclusivity.

- The League agrees to obtain model releases from each parent which will indemnify the photographer and the studio from claims arising out of the performance of this agreement.

- The Photographer agrees to provide the League with photographs of league events, action photographs, and group or individual portraits of coaches, players, or teams participating in the league within _____ days of the seasons completion unless stated otherwise.

- The Photographer agrees to provide the following limited copyright license to the League for photographs of league events and group or individual portraits of coaches, players, or teams participating in the league. :

1. The image(s) subject to this agreement are as follows: _____
   _____

2. Use of the above mentioned images use are limited to the following: _____
   _____
   _____

3. All rights granted by The Photographer shall expire on: _____
   _____

The Photographer and the League agree to the following licensing terms:

1. The Photographer retains all rights to each image. The Photographer also retains all rights not expressed in the agreement including advertising rights.
   _____
   _____
   _____

   The League agrees to give the Photographer proper photo credit on each reprint as follows:
   _____
   _____
   _____

2. The League may not transfer this license to other parties without written permission from the Photographer.

3. The League agrees that altering images is prohibited without receiving written permission from the Photographer except for alterations stated below.
   _____

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4. This agreement is:

   _____ Exclusive: The Photographer shall not enter into an agreement with the aforementioned images throughout the duration of this contract.

   _____ Non-exclusive: The Photographer may assign additional licenses to other parties during the contract.

- The League agrees to provide the Photographer's contact information to all persons requesting reprint permission of photographs created for the League as follows: _____
  _____

- The League shall arrange team and individual photographs with each team and provide the photographer with the schedule. The Photographer will send confirmation via writing to the League Director.

- The League is responsible for providing game schedules for each team to the Photographer _____days prior to the start of the season.

- The League shall designate an area at each event for the Photographer to display, sell, and/or promote photographs created for league events. The League shall provide the following:

  - The area shall have convenient access to electricity.

  - _____
  - _____
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  - _____
  - _____
  - _____

- The League agrees to provide the photographer within a reasonable time for notice of any cancellation of a league event.

In witness thereof, the parties execute this agreement.

_____ (Photographer)
Studio Name
Studio Address
City, State Zip Code
Phone Number

_____ (League Director)
League Name
Title
League Address
City, State Zip Code
Phone Number

Witness_____ Date _____

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