

TRAILER LEASE AGREEMENT

This Agreement dated the ____ day of _____ in the year 2025.

By and between,

**NEW YORK STATE AMATEUR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION
(hereinafter, "NYSAHA")**

Lessor,

-AND-

Lessee,

The undersigned Lessee, with the authority to bind, hereby takes possession of equipment described as ONE TRAILER and HOCKEY EQUIPMENT presently owned by the Lessor, NYSAHA, for the time period of: _____ through _____, and agrees to be bound by the following terms and conditions as agreed to by both parties:

1. **PROPER USE AND TRAILER CONTENTS.**

Upon taking possession of said equipment and trailer, the Lessee shall assume full responsibility for same. The Lessee understands that it is their responsibility to furnish a towing vehicle of sufficient size. Said trailer weighs approximately 3,500 lbs. empty, and is rated at 4,500 lbs. with necessary components such as a strong towing receiver, drop hitch, electrical wiring, tow ball, etal. needed to safely tow same.

2. **EQUIPMENT TRAILER.**

Lessee shall not tow the trailer through or under any structure without sufficient overhead or side clearance. Lessee shall not use the trailer to transport people, persons, dangerous, hazardous, illegal material, or live animals. No one other than the Lessee shall be permitted to tow or use the trailer.

Lessor is not responsible for any unauthorized use of said trailer, including but not limited to, any unauthorized equipment/storage or materials as suggested above.

All conditions apply regardless if the trailer is moving or at a standstill, or if the trailer is attached or detached to any other tow vehicle.

3. **RENTAL, INDEMNITY & WARRANTY.**

This is a contract for **lease only** and not for sale. Lessee agrees that during the term of use of said trailer, same shall at all times remain the exclusive property of NYSAHA. NYSAHA may repossess the trailer from Lessee at Lessee's expense without notice if the trailer is abandoned in or used in violation of any state laws or the terms of this agreement. Lessee hereby agrees to indemnify, defend and hold NYSAHA harmless from any and all claims, liabilities, costs, and attorney fees resulting from, or arising out of, this agreement and use of said trailer. NYSAHA makes no warranties, expressed, implied or apparent, regarding the trailer, and no warranties of merchantability, or warranties that the trailer is fit for any particular purpose.

4. **CONDITION & RETURN OF TRAILER.**

Prior to the Lessee's return of said trailer, same shall be examined and deemed to be in good condition or in the same condition as it was at the time of possession from Lessor. The trailer shall be returned to NYSAHA and upon inspection of same, Lessee shall acknowledge receipt. Any service to the trailer or replacement parts or accessories during the period of rental must have NYSAHA's prior approval. Lessee shall not alter the trailer by placing signs, lettering, or painting the trailer.

5. **DAMAGE & LOSS.**

Lessee shall be responsible for any and all losses and/or damages which may have occurred to the trailer during Lessee's possession period, including damage caused by weather, road conditions, and acts of nature, whether or not the specific act is Lessee's fault. Lessee shall be responsible for the cost of repair of the actual damages to the trailer. If the damages are not repairable, Lessee shall be responsible for the replacement cost and the contents of the trailer. Lessee shall also be responsible for any missing equipment and a reasonable charge to cover any administrative expenses in connection with any damage claim. Lessee shall report all accidents to NYSAHA at the time of occurrence as well as report same to the police.

6. **RELEASE OF LIABILITY.**

NYSAHA is not responsible for any injuries, accidents, or death of any persons, any animals, or any content while said trailer is in the Lessee's possession. Lessee hereby releases NYSAHA its employees, contracted personnel, agents, volunteers, successors, assigns, lessors from any liability. Lessee further releases any joint ventures from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions and causes of actions whatsoever arising out of any damages, both in law and in equity, in any way resulting from personal injury, conscience, suffering, death, or property damage sustained by Lessee arising out of our use of the trailer.

7. **TOW VEHICLE.**

Lessee hereby affirms that any tow vehicle associated with towing/pulling the said trailer herein will have proper registration, inspection and Liability Insurance thereby covering said trailer and same shall be provided to NYSAHA upon request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned is at least 18 years of age or older, and has read each and every part of this Agreement. The undersigned understands that by signing this Agreement, he/she promises not to sue NYSAHA and to release them, its employees., contracted personnel, agents, volunteers, successors or assigns, lessors and joint venture from any and all liability, claims, lawsuits, losses, costs, causes of action, and damage of any kind. The undersigned further understands that he/she shall indemnify, defend and hold NYSAHA for any and all causes of actions relating to said trailer while in the leased possession of Lessee.

The undersigned hereby makes a free and deliberate choice to enter into this Agreement and execute same as a condition of use of said trailer.

NEW YORK STATE AMATEUR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

By: _____
Title: _____

LESSEE

By: _____
Title: _____
Address: _____

License _____
Insurance _____