

## **INDEMNIFICATION AND RELEASE AGREEMENT**

THIS AGREEMENT entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
by and between SOMERSET COUNTY POLICE ACADEMY (hereinafter "County") and  
\_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter "Candidate").

WHEREAS, Somerset County has agreed to administer a physical fitness assessment for candidates for the employment as a police officer with the Bridgewater Township Police Department and

WHEREAS, as a condition of administering physical fitness exams for the undersigned candidate, the candidate has agreed to indemnify and hold the County of Somerset and Somerset County Police Academy harmless from any liability for property damage or physical harm incurred by the candidate during the examination process.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED between the parties as follows:

1. The undersigned Candidate agrees to assume all risk and responsibility for personal injury or property damage sustained by the Candidate during any portion of the administration of the physical fitness examinations as described above which in any way involved Somerset County and/or the Somerset County Police Academy. Additionally, the undersigned Candidate agrees to assume all risk of responsibility for any injury or property damage incurred by the Candidate during the physical fitness examination and to reimburse or indemnify, defend and save harmless the County of Somerset and the Somerset County Police Academy from and against any and all claims, demands, suits, actions, recoveries, judgements, costs, and expenses in connection therewith which are brought or obtained on account of the loss of life, property or injury or damage to the person or property of any person which shall be due to, or arise out of, result from, or be in any way connected with the administration and conduct of the physical fitness examination.

2. Additionally, the undersigned Candidate agrees on behalf of him/herself, his/her heirs, dependents or personal representatives, to release and relinquish any causes of action or claims which he/she may have against the County of Somerset or the Somerset County Police Academy or its employees, agents, or assigns for any personal injury or property damage, including but not limited to all actions, causes of actions, claims, demands, judgements, executions, debts, costs of litigation and attorney's fee of every kind and nature whatsoever which may in any way arise or result to the undersigned during the course of the physical fitness examination and conduct of the physical fitness examination as described above.

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

Candidate Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

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