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Parents' Rights In Education Chapter Affiliation Agreement

1. License of the Parent Organization's Trademarks to the Chapter

_____ Parents Rights In Education Chapter is given a limited
Name of Group ie: Arkansas
right to use the parent organization's name, logo, and other trademarks, and call itself a "chapter" of Parents' Rights In Education, subject to terms and conditions set forth in this agreement.

2. Brand Usage

Unless reproduced materials have been provided by PRIE, to ensure uniformity in branding, and messaging, Parents' Rights In Education requires submission of all branded documents/items for permission to use by Parents' Rights In Education.

All printed materials must display Parents' Rights In Education logo, and tag line as provided. Colors must be used as provided in official branding artwork. Official marketing materials shall not be edited, without permission from Parents' Rights In Education.

All printed materials, and documents published by Parents' rights In Education, unless representing samples of imagery to make a point, shall use same or similar fonts and colors used by Parents' Rights In Education. Chapter members/consultants creating PRIE publications will avail themselves of training.

2. Territory

_____ Parents' Rights In Education Chapter
Description of geographical location, ie: Camas/Washougal SDs
will recruit members within the specified territory, and status is exclusive within said territory.

3. Permitted Activities

Parents' Rights In Education Chapters are encouraged to take part in varied activities including, not exclusive to the following:

- Host local meetings and events
- Promote membership in and advocate for Parents' Rights In Education
- Attend and testify at school board meetings, legislative hearings, and public events.
- Defend values and public policies as represented by Parents' Rights In Education
- Inform and educate the public regarding state and local issues.
- Write and submit editorials to local papers

It is legal for PRIE affiliate groups to participate in lobbying AND endorsing candidates in your states as long as you do not spend money for a professional lobbyist, or support candidates financially. Candidates are encouraged to endorse the PRIE Public Policy Statement.

When representing Parents' Rights In Education, Chapters will represent policy positions held by the parent organization. When in disagreement the local group is required to refrain from any form of public opposition to organization's public policy positions.

4. Formal Requirements (Incorporation and Tax-Exempt Status)

Parents' Rights In Education is a Tax Exempt, Non-Profit corporation. Chapters, not separately incorporated, are unincorporated associations linked with PRIE corporately. Chapters are NOT required to form independent corporations with formal boards of directors and governing documents.

Local Chapters may incorporate organizational titles and leadership responsibilities of their choosing.

A nonprofit organization, also known as a non-business entity, not-for-profit organization, or nonprofit institution, is an organization traditionally dedicated to furthering a particular social cause or advocating for a shared point of view.

To keep 501(c)(3) status, an organization must be careful not to do anything that would cause it to lose its exempt designation from the IRS. That can include private benefit, inurement, lobbying (paid lobbyist), political campaign activity (contributing money), excessive unrelated business income, not filing an annual 990 tax information form, and failing to achieve its original purpose.

Chapters are responsible to follow state laws pertaining to activities restricted by Non-profit 501-C3 status.

5. Record keeping, Reporting, and Inspection

It is essential that Parents' Rights In Education have adequate oversight of chapters so any problems can be addressed or, if necessary revoke Chapter status. PRIE Chapters are asked to issue an annual summary report of activities due to the parent organization, December 31 of every year.

Although fundraising and reimbursements are kept by PRIE National, Chapters are required to keep adequate financial and corporate records, and allow the parent organization to inspect its records upon reasonable request.

6. Contributions/ Fees/ Dues

At this time, dues and fees are non existent. Tax deductible contributions are welcome to assist in funding the ongoing work of the parent organization. Contributions may be applied to products and services provided to the organization.

Set up for group PRIE website page requires a minimum fee to cover cost. Annual maintenance is subject to need, on a monthly basis.

In-Kind Donations welcome.

7. Obligations of the Parent Organization

- Administrative Assistance
- Membership Assistance - Chapter inquiry form submitted via website forwarded to local Chapter
- Marketing and Communication - Frequent (1-3 x's per month) News Alerts, Brochures and Flyers available on secure site.
- FB Group page is set up in connection with the parent org. Administrator will be trained and Moderators are selected by the Administrator.
- Fundraising Assistance
- Training - Monthly conference calls. Often, guest speakers from other areas are featured.
- Branding - Full range of high resolution marketing materials and logos are provided to Chapters when qualified. In addition, PRIE will work with you to provide swag (caps, bags, shirts, banners, etc.) for your marketing needs.
- State Issues Website Page
- Annual Regional Events

8. Revocation and Modification of Chapter Status

Parents' Rights In Education reserves the right to revoke the chapter's affiliation or otherwise modify the chapter's role (e.g. by forcing a merger of two or more chapters from different

territories), when Chapter has demonstrated noncompliance with the chapter affiliation agreement. Revocation is subject to 60-day notice, whereby dispute resolution procedures will be followed. A revoked chapter must cease all use of Parents' Rights In Education branding and trademarks, including by amending its corporate documents, if necessary.

9. Chapter Dissolution

The local group may disassociate for any reason, and formal written notice is required. All branded materials are copyrighted property of Parents' Rights In Education. Use of the logo and all branded materials will cease. In the event limited use of the parent organization's name, logo, and other trademarks is breached, legal action will be pursued.

_____, _____
Leader's Signature *Printed Name*

_____ Parents' Rights In Education, Director
Chapter Name

Date _____

_____, Suzanne Gallagher
Parents' Rights In Education, Executive Director

Date _____

Return Completed Agreement to INFO@parentsrightsined.com