***Saint Louis University***

***Billikens Hockey Club***

**Busch Student Center 20 N. Grand Blvd. St. Louis, Missouri 63103**

**INDIVIDUAL PLAYER CONTRACT**

**for the**

**2013 - 2014 SEASON**

This Individual Player Contract (“Contract”) constitutes a binding agreement under the laws of the State of Missouri, between (print Player’s Name,), , born on , Student ID# , as well as jointly and severally by his Parents and/or Legal Guardians (please print ) , and the BILLIKENS Hockey Club, a not for profit, unincorporated association, (“BILLIKEN(S)”), of Saint Louis University (“SLU”), an Amateur Collegiate Hockey Club, in association with the American Collegiate Hockey Association (“ACHA”) and registered with USA Hockey, Inc., for the 2013 - 2014 ice hockey season which shall be defined as lasting from August 26, 2013 through June 1, 2014, inclusive (“SEASON”).

1. I agree that, during the SEASON, I will play amateur ice hockey, exclusively, for the BILLIKENS with the exception of USA Hockey organized camps and/or other amateur ice hockey events or teams for which I have received prior written permission to participate in by the BILLIKENS.
2. I agree that I will attend all BILLIKEN on-ice practices, games, off-ice training, instructional sessions, fundraising functions and BILLIKEN organized meetings (“SESSIONS”), except when prevented from doing so by educational obligations or medical reasons. I understand that I must request permission to be absent in advance, when reasonably possible to do so, from such session
3. I agree that I will maintain academic eligibility and keep my grade point average at or above a grade point average 2.0 / 4.0 in order to remain eligible to be a student in good standing at SLU, and that failure to do so does not release me of any financial obligation that I have entered into with the BILLIKENS and SLU. Furthermore, I understand that my lack of eligibility, due to grades, will not constitute a refund of any kind from the BILLIKENS or SLU.
4. I agree to present myself at all BILLIKEN functions in a manner in which to honor myself, the BILLIKENS, the BILLIKENS Coaching Staff, and SLU. I realize that my personal appearance must be neat and clean at all BILLIKEN SESSIONS. Radical hair styles and exposed body piercings are not acceptable and that I must limit jewelry worn in games to comply with current USA Hockey and ACHA guidelines. I understand that I must wear a white helmet and SLU pant covers to all league or practice games, and that I must comply with all BILLIKENS uniform standards. Stickers on my helmet will be limited to SLU logo as supplied by the BILLIKENS, player number and ACHA logo, as required by ACHA. I acknowledge that all equipment owned by the BILLIKENS (including jerseys and socks) must be returned, by me, to the BILLIKENS, at the conclusion of the season and that if I fail to return said equipment I will be responsible for paying the BILLIKENS the replacement value of the equipment.
5. I understand and agree that I will not reproduce, or caused to be reproduced, the BILLIKEN logo, or any other SLU logo without prior approval of the BILLIKENS.
6. I agree that I will be personally responsible for any damages that I am involved with, incurred during any BILLIKEN function, and payment for said damages will be due immediately upon assessment. I agree to comply with the Student Athlete Code of Conduct (“CODE”) as set forth by SLU. I understand that my failure to do so will result in my expulsion from the BILLIKENS and that no refund will be given.
7. I understand that the active Team Rosters will consist of no more than 35 players, plus practice players, and that no player will be released or dropped from the active roster except for failure to adhere to this CONTRACT, the CODE and other SLU policies.
8. I understand that the BILLIKENS do not guarantee any official game playing time, whatsoever, to me or to any player, and that all decisions regarding playing time shall be determined at the sole discretion of the coaching staff.
9. I understand that the BILLIKENS are a club hockey team comprised of players who are required to be in attendance, and in good standing as a full time student, carrying a minimum of 9 credit hours per semester at SLU and that this is the sole affiliation between the BILLIKENS and SLU.
10. I understand that the BILLIKENS are registered with USA Hockey and are covered by the USA Hockey and not by any SLU athletic insurance. Moreover, I understand that the insurance offered by USA Hockey is a supplemental insurance plan and will not cover as primary insurance. I acknowledge that, if I wish to have insurance other than what is provided by USA Hockey, that it is my obligation and responsibility to secure that coverage.
11. I give unconditional consent to emergency first aid care which may be performed by coaches, coordinators, or fellow players. I understand that there are unforeseeable accidents that may occur, and I assume full responsibility for the risk of bodily injury, death, and property damage while participating with the BILLIKENS hockey team. I agree to abide by all decisions, requests or instructions made by the BILLIKENS, the BILLIKENS coaching team and trainers. In consideration of being permitted to participate with the BILLIKENS hockey team, I hereby do for myself, my spouse, if applicable, my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, release and forever discharge the BILLIKENS, SLU its Trustees, employees and agents from any claim, demand, action or right of action arising from any bodily injury or personal accident, including death, that may occur as a result of may participation with the BILLIKENS hockey team, whether by negligence or not. Furthermore, I understand that the BILLIKENS, SLU and their sponsors assume no legal liability for my bodily injury, death or property damage as a result of my participation with the BILLIKENS.
12. I understand that, for all away games, out of the St. Louis Metropolitan area, I must accompany the BILLIKENS in the mode of transportation supplied for the team, unless express advanced permission has been given by the BILLIKENS Head Coach, to me to travel in another mode. I also understand that, if it should be necessary for me to travel to an away game in any other way, other than the transportation provided by the team, no reimbursement of expenses will be awarded.
13. I understand that the BILLIKENS have the right to use any pictures taken of me during BILLIKEN activities for promotional or instructional purposes without compensation.
14. I understand that I must execute and abide by the SLU Hockey Fee payment authorization form and that failure to comply with said agreement will result in immediate suspension of play or dismissal from the BILLIKENS. I understand that dismissal from the BILLIKENS because of non compliance with said agreement does not absolve my obligation and that I am bound to the agreement until it is paid in full. I also understand that I may not participate in any USA Hockey sanctioned team or event if I fail to comply with the payment authorization form and that USA Hockey will be notified of my default and resulting debt.
15. I understand that this contract shall remain in full force and effect throughout the SEASON.
16. I understand that all decisions made by the BILLIKENS, SLU and the Billikens Coaching Staff are final and binding.
17. I understand that alcohol, chewing tobacco, cigarettes and any other recreational drugs will not be permitted at any BILLIKENS hockey function. The coaching staff holds the right to search hotel rooms, locker rooms, hockey bags and any personal items during a BILLIKENS hockey function with or without suspicion of use. Any player caught with any of the above will be suspended indefinitely and possibly removed from the team permanently without refund of team dues.

Acknowledged and signed this the day of , 20 ,

 Signature or Player Player’s Name Printed Here

 Signature of Signature of

 BILLIKEN Representative BILLIKEN Representative

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**Player Financial Obligation Agreement**

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The total cost to participate as a member of the BILLIKENS Hockey Club will be $1,900.00 for returning players and $2000 for new players.

**NO REFUNDS WILL BE ISSUED AFTER 9/1/11 FOR ANY MONEYS PAID TO THE BILLIKENS Hockey Club.**

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