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### **17.8 Cadet Code of Conduct**

I Cadet \_\_\_\_\_ promise to carry out my duties to the best of my ability, and I will conform to the following rules:

1. Respect the people around me, my environment, and the belongings of others; including equipment on loan from the Department of National Defence, my unit, or unit Sponsors.
2. Not to purchase, sell, consume and/or distribute alcohol, narcotics, prohibited substances, drug related paraphernalia, pornographic material, not to take part in illegal gambling activities; and not to purchase, sell or distribute tobacco products.
3. Not bring weapons, or imitations of weapons to cadet parades, or training activities.
4. Not to consume prescription and/or non-prescription medications not specifically prescribed to me for a current health condition.
5. Not to commit theft nor to borrow the belongings of others without having been authorized to do so by the owners of the belongings in question and not to sell, barter, or steal any items belonging to the Department of National Defence or the government, Cadet League, or Sponsor.
6. Not to enter the accommodations of the opposite sex unless required by duty to be there. To conduct myself towards others following the values and regulations of the Cadet Harassment and Abuse Prevention Program, including: not fighting with, shouting at, or bullying anyone. I agree that any kind of fraternization or sexual activity shall not be tolerated during any cadet activity.
7. To be loyal, honest, fair, diligent, courageous, and accept responsibility.
8. To respect rules and regulations, and report to my supervisors any breach of the rules of which I may become aware. To obey proper orders, directives, and instructions issued by persons in a position of authority.
9. Conform to the approved cadet dress regulations.
10. I agree that when/if using information technologies, including cellular telephones, internet, Facebook, Instagram, Snapchat, YouTube, and all other such applications I shall do so in a responsible manner and will not engage in any activity that may bring the cadet movement, DND, the Cadet Leagues, or any individual associated with the cadet movement into disrepute.
11. To do nothing that might endanger the safety of other persons.

I understand these rules apply when engaged in authorized cadet activities in or out of uniform.

I acknowledge that a breach of one or more of the foregoing rules may result in administrative measures including release from my Cadet Unit or Training Centre **in accordance with Cadet Administrative and Training Order (CATO) 15-22.**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, agree to obey these rules of conduct while enrolled as a cadet

Signature of Cadet \_\_\_\_\_ in 243 Ogopogo Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron.