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Release of Information Form

With your approval, the University of Montana Peace Corps Prep Program will release information on a regular basis to the Peace Corps about the participants in this program, their progress through the program, and other details that help the Peace Corps gauge the effectiveness of the PCPP. These educational records are subject to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), a Federal law designed to protect the privacy of a student’s educational records. This Act prohibits college officials from disclosing any records, including grade reports, academic standings, transcripts of records, or any other records, which contain information directly related to the student and from which the student can be individually identified without your consent. Consistent with FERPA guidelines, UM will not release records related to your performance in the PCPP program, other than those enumerated in this disclosure agreement.

I hereby permit the University of Montana to disclose personally identifiable information to the Peace Corps regarding my participation in the Peace Corps Preparatory Program for the purposes of assessing the PCPP. This information will be limited to my name, my date of admission to the PCPP, the coursework and other activities I selected to satisfy PCPP requirements, date of graduation, and whether I successfully completed the PCPP upon graduation. If I do not ultimately enter the Peace Corps, the University of Montana may report post-graduation career information; to the extent that University of Montana has that information.

Student Name (printed) _____________________________________________________________

Student Signature_________________________________________________________ Date________________________

Accepted by the director of the University of Montana Peace Corps Prep Program

Name and Title (printed) _______ Teresa Sobieszczyk Ph.D IDS/PCPP Program Director

Signature_________________________________________________________ Date________________________

To register for the Peace Corps Prep Program students are required to meet with the IDS/PCPP Director to complete signatures on this form