# **TRAVEL AGREEMENT**

All DGT guests traveling in 2022 will have to sign two important agreements on the first day of their land tour or cruise. By signing the Travel Well Pledge, you assume personal responsibility for your own health, to help protect the well-being of fellow travelers, the DGT staff, our supplier partners, and the places we visit. By signing the Waiver of Liability, you assume all risks in the unlikely event you are exposed to, or infected by, COVID-19. Hard copies of these documents will be provided for your signature by your DGT Director.

### **REVIEW TRAVEL AGREEMENTS**

#### **Travel Well Pledge**

Please complete and submit this form to your DGT Director on the first day of your trip.

By joining a DGT journey, it's important that every guest assumes personal responsibility for their own health to help protect the well-being of their fellow travelers, the DGT staff, our supplier partners, and the places we visit. To assist us in this important goal, we are implementing this *Travel Well Pledge*.

Please complete and submit this form to your DGT Director on the first day of your trip.

Trip Start Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Trip: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (as shown in passport): \_\_\_\_\_

<u>Initial</u>

\_\_\_\_\_ I confirm that I am up to date with my vaccinations for COVID-19. If more than 270 days have passed since my initial vaccination series, I am carrying proof of having received a booster shot or proof of full recovery from COVID-19 (dated within the last 180 days).

I confirm that I do not currently have, and have not recently had, a fever (100.4 F° / 38 C° or higher), felt feverish, had chills, a cough, difficulty breathing or other symptoms of COVID-19.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that DGT cannot guarantee that I, or those I'm traveling with, will not become infected with COVID-19. As such, I agree to hold DGT harmless and voluntarily assume all risk and related expenses in the event that I, or any member of my traveling party, becomes infected with COVID-19.

I pledge that the above declarations are true and understand that any dishonest answers may have serious public health implications. I agree to take personal responsibility for my health and well-being, to follow COVID-19 protocols – such as

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wearing a mask and social distancing – when required by our supplier partners and local authorities. I understand that noncompliance with these measures by myself or my traveling party will result in our party not being able to continue on this DGT journey.

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

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

### 2022 WAIVER OF LIABILITY FOR COVID-19

The safety and comfort of our guests has always been of paramount concern to DGT. We have worked diligently to give you the peace of mind you expect. However, there is no way to eliminate all possible risks while traveling and DGT therefore cannot assume liability in the unlikely event you contract COVID-19. This is the reason for the necessity of the following waiver of liability:

Deaf Globetrotters (DGT) has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19. However, DGT cannot guarantee that you or your travel party will not become infected with COVID-19. In fact, traveling on a DGT trip and participating in its activities could increase your risk of contracting COVID-19.

By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by participating in the DGT trip and that such infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. I understand that the risk of becoming infected by COVID-19 on a DGT trip may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to DGT employees, suppliers (and their employees) and other passengers. I understand that complete knowledge of the risk factors of contracting COVID-19 is not complete and that unknown or unanticipated risks may result in injury, illness, death, or any other loss. I agree that having considered these risks, I desire to participate in the tour or cruise and I freely and voluntarily assume complete personal responsibility for the risk of exposure, illness, and death due to COVID-19, even if such injuries or death occur in a manner that is not foreseeable at the time this agreement is signed.

I for myself, and on behalf of my and their heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury (including, but not limited to personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense of any kind that I may experience or incur in connection with my DGT trip and its activities ("Claims"). I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge and hold harmless DGT, its employees, agents,

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and representatives, of and from the Claims. Including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs, or expenses of any kind arising out of or related thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of DGT, its employees, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any DGT trip.

I HAVE READ THIS WAIVER OF LIABILITY, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

I agree that if any portion is found to be void or unenforceable, the remaining portions shall remain in full force and effect. No additions, deletions or changes can be made to the release form, and signing it is a requirement for joining the trip.

Signature of Participant

Date

(Guardian signature if participant is under 18 years of age)

Name of Participant

Valid as of June 01, 2022