



## MINNESOTA HOCKEY DISTRICT 5 COACHING ETHICS CODE AGREEMENT

All head coaches, assistant coaches and coaching instructors must complete this agreement prior to the beginning of the 2008-2009 hockey season as follows:

1. Read and understand the USA Hockey Coaching Ethics Code. It can be found electronically on the USA Hockey website. You may also obtain a copy of the Coaching Ethics Code from your association's ACE Coordinator.
2. Read and understand the Minnesota Hockey District 5 coaching guidelines. Your association ACE Coordinator can provide you with a copy of these guidelines.
3. Submit this form along with a photocopy (front and back) of your signed USA Hockey coaching card to your local association ACE Coordinator.

*Your agreement form and photocopied coaching card will be a part of your team book during the 2008-2009 hockey season and will be required at the time your team rosters are certified for the 2008-2009 hockey season.*

### AGREEMENT

*This form is effective for the hockey season beginning 2008 through 2009.*

I, the undersigned coach, have read and agree to abide by, the USA Hockey Coaching Ethics Code and the Minnesota Hockey District 5 coaching guidelines. I understand that violations of the Coaching Ethics Code or the District 5 coaching guidelines may result in full or partial forfeiture of my coaching privileges in programs sanctioned by USA Hockey and/or its affiliate, Minnesota Hockey. I further understand that lack of awareness or a misunderstanding of an ethical standard on my part is not a defense to a charge of unethical conduct.

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

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

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_