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Notification and Participant Agreement

Please send: **As mail:** Gesa & Holger Heiten, Hinter den Höfen 10, D-37276 Meinhard, Germany,
or as fax to +49 5651 952144, or signed and scanned to **e-mail:** info@eschwege-institut.de

I notify to participate in the Vision Quest activity in: _____

in the time: _____, with Holger Heiten & Gesa Heiten.

Name: _____, Address: _____

_____ Tel. /e-mail: _____

I agree to pay the the 840,- € for the workshop, at the beginning of the event in € and in cash, or alternatively to transfer it to the bank account of Holger & Gesa Heiten, banks name: Sparkasse Werra Meissner, accounts number: 900 894, Bank Code: 522 500 30, for an easy transfer between European banks use also the following codes:

Iban: DE65522500300000900894, SWIFT-BIC. Code: HELADEF1ESW

I acknowledge, that I will be charged for 200,- €, if I withdrawal from participation more than three weeks before the event and to pay the full amount if I withdrawal in less than that before the event.

I agree to pay the 245,- € in GBP for accommodation, permission fee and transport to and from the Culbin Forest, at the beginning of the event in cash and in British Pound.

In consideration of the services of Holger Heiten and all other persons or entities acting in any capacity on their behalf (herein collectively referred to as „the V.Q.-guides.“), I hereby agree to release, indemnify and discharge them, on behalf of myself, my children, my parents, my heirs, assigns, personal representative and estate as follows:

1. I acknowledge that my participation in hiking, camping, backpacking and fasting entails known and unanticipated risks which could result in physical or emotional injury, paralysis, death, or damage to myself, to property, or to third parties.

I understand that such risk simply cannot be eliminated without jeopardizing the essential qualities of the activity.

The risks include, among other things: slipping and falling; water hazards; exhaustion; exposure to temperature and weather extremes, which could cause: Sunburn, dehydration or a cold; exposure to potentially dangerous wild animals and insect bites; equipment failure and improper lifting and carrying.

Furthermore, „the V.Q.-guides“ have difficult jobs to perform. They seek safety, but they are not infallible. They might be unaware of a participant’s fitness or abilities. They might misjudge the weather, the elements, or the terrain. They may give inadequate warnings or instructions, and the equipment being used might malfunction.

2. I expressly agree and promise to accept and assume all of the risks existing in this activity. **My participation in this activity is purely voluntary, and I elect to participate in spite of the risks.**

3. I hereby voluntarily release, forever discharge, and agree to indemnify and hold harmless „the V.Q.-guides“ from any and all claims, demands, or causes of action, which are in any way connected with my participation in this activity or my use of their equipment or facilities, including any such Claims which allege negligent acts or omissions of them.

4. I understand that participating in this activity cannot compensate any medical or psychotherapy treatment. If I am in current medical and /or psychotherapy treatment, I agree, to tell „the V.Q.-guides“ and to talk with my doctor and/or psychotherapist about my participation.

5. I agree in not taking drugs during this activity and to tell „the V.Q.-guides“ about any current addiction to drugs or alcohol.

6. I agree to be silent about every private detail I get to know about other participants.

Date: _____ Signature: _____