Georgia Governor’s Office of Highway Safety

Teen Driver/Parent Agreement
A Short-term Safe Driving Contract During The Intermediate Licensing Phase (Class D)
To be Periodically Revised as Teen Increases Experience and Maturity

This agreement is in effect on ____________and will be reviewed on______________.

Teen/Parent to Initial Each Factor:

- Be Safe and Obey the Law
  _____/_____ Never use alcohol or drugs.
  _____/_____ Never ride with a driver who has been drinking alcohol or using drugs.
  _____/_____ Obey speed limits and all traffic laws and signs.
  _____/_____ Never race with another vehicle or train.
  _____/_____ Never drive aggressively (follow too closely or cut others off).
  _____/_____ Wear a safety belt at all times, as a driver or passenger, regardless of distance.
  _____/_____ Always insist that every passenger wear a safety belt.
  _____/_____ Number of passengers will not exceed State law nor parent’s rule.
    Legal Limit:_______  Parent’s Rule:_______
  _____/_____ Always check blindspots before passing and changing lanes.

- Be Responsible
  _____/_____ Get permission from a parent before each trip.

    Provide the following information for each trip:
    _____/_____ Where I am going;
    _____/_____ Who will be passengers;
    _____/_____ When I will return; and
    _____/_____ What roads I will use.

  _____/_____ Accept the fact that my actions are my responsibility, both on and off the road.
  _____/_____ Will never get behind the wheel when angry or upset.
  _____/_____ Will be responsible for the safety of my passengers and myself.
Will drive defensively by being alert at all times.

Will not become overly confident in my driving abilities.

Will not drive another vehicle nor permit anyone to drive my vehicle.

Will not eat while driving.

Will not use a cell phone while driving.

Will adjust the radio/CD player to conversational volume before driving.

My curfew begins at ______on weekday nights and ______on weekend nights.

Will call home immediately if:

- I am going to be more than ______minutes late.
- My plans changed while I am out.
- I can not get home safely.

Parent agrees to respond reasonably if teen calls.

Will not neglect my everyday responsibilities:
- School grades and homework;
- Home chores.

If I run-off the road, I know safe recovery procedures.

My driving privileges may be lost for not complying with any of the above and will be lost for ______ weeks or months on the first offense for:

#  - Using alcohol or drugs;
   - Receiving a ticket for speeding or following too closely;
   - Lying about trip destination;
   - Not buckling up or requiring all passengers to buckle up;
   - Having more passengers than allowed; and
   - Racing or performing any act which places me or my passengers’ health or life in jeopardy.

I pledge to always follow the agreed upon conditions.

__________________________________________
Signature of Teen Driver                        Date

__________________________________________
Signature of Parents                           Date