APPENDIX 9

Code of Conduct for Children and Young People

EXAMPLE OF A CONTRACT

Your health, safety and welfare on this visit are of paramount importance to the school. This agreed Code of Conduct will help ensure our visit is successful.

You must:

- not take unnecessary risks
- follow the instructions of the group leaders and other supervisors
- dress and behave sensibly and responsibly at all times
- show courtesy at all times, but particularly when dealing with members of the public
- look out for anything which might hurt and threaten you or anyone in the group and tell the group leader or supervisor about it as soon as possible
- be punctual at all times
- always wear a seatbelt on the coach and ensure that bags do not obstruct aisles. You will be told about emergency doors, escape hammers and first aid kits on the coach- you must be aware of these at all times.
- Carry identity cards/hotel information with you at all times
- Use your personal safety skills should you be approached by anyone you do not know
- Stay together with your group during sightseeing and other times when you are not directly supervised. Members of a group are responsible for each other at all times

NO CHILD/YOUNG PERSON SHOULD EVER BE ON THEIR OWN

Mobile phones

Only in exceptional circumstances, and by prior agreement, will children and young people be permitted to bring a mobile phone.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES

- Consume, purchase or otherwise acquire alcohol
- Smoke
- Bring through customs any alcohol, tobacco, flick-knives or fireworks (even as presents for others)

If there is any other significant violation of the school rules, the group leader reserves the right to consider sending the child or young person home, at the parents'/guardians' expense.

Date

Date

The aim of this Code of Conduct is to try to ensure that your trip is enjoyable and trouble free.

Child/Young Person Code of Conduct

I have read the Code of Conduct for the school tour and agree to abide by it at all times.

Signature of child/young person____

Signature of parent/guardian____

This form should be signed by both child/young person and parent/guardian and returned to

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