Instructor Declaration

I, _____, wish to become a STOTT PILATES® Certified Instructor by completing the

_____ Course conducted at _____,

operating under license/contract from Merrithew International Inc. (Merrithew®).

Upon completion of the course, I will be able to teach the STOTT PILATES® method of exercise and be included in a global community and support network. I agree to do my certification examination within six months of the last STOTT PILATES course that I complete. Upon passing my exam, I will be recognized as a STOTT PILATES Certified Instructor. Only upon the receipt of my certificate will I be entitled to identify myself as a STOTT PILATES Certified Instructor. I agree not to misrepresent my training and level of certification to clients and/or employers.

I understand that as a STOTT PILATES Certified Instructor I am not qualified, nor have acquired the permission or the right to train and certify students to become Instructors of the STOTT PILATES method. Instructors must obtain STOTT PILATES Instructor Trainer status in order to train and certify others in the STOTT PILATES method.

As well, in order to maintain my status as a STOTT PILATES Certified Instructor, I agree to do six hours of continuing education credits annually.

Once certified, under the guidelines of the STOTT PILATES program, I will receive a number of benefits, including a detailed listing in the online Merrithew Instructor Finder that will include my name, qualifications, location, phone number and email address. If I do not wish to have my name and contact information listed on the Instructor Finder, I agree to notify the Merrithew Education staff in writing within five (5) days of receipt of my certificate.

As a STOTT PILATES Certified Instructor, I will follow the teaching methods and maintain the quality standards taught to me in the STOTT PILATES Certification Courses. When Merrithew provides regular updates on any changes to the teaching methods, I will incorporate these changes into my teaching. I will not modify the STOTT PILATES curriculum without permission from Merrithew, and I agree that the Company may observe any of my STOTT PILATES client sessions.

When teaching STOTT PILATES client sessions I will do so in accordance with the trademarks owned by Merrithew Corporation. I agree to use the designated and approved trademarks at all times when teaching and marketing STOTT PILATES client sessions. I agree that any relevant trademarks used in print, visual or electronic formats must be accompanied by the appropriate STOTT PILATES logo and legal fine print approved by the Merrithew Marketing Department.

I also agree to submit for approval (prior to publishing/distributing) samples of any promotional materials including websites developed in order to promote my STOTT PILATES client sessions. Since significant research, development and promotion have gone into developing the STOTT PILATES brand, I agree that I will not use trademarks owned by Merrithew Corporation, verbally or otherwise, to describe any exercise method or "Pilates" in the generic sense.

As a STOTT PILATES Certified Instructor, I will receive specific printed material and proprietary video content to use as instructed for the purpose of learning, teaching and promoting STOTT PILATES, and I will not copy, distribute or sell such material or video content without the express written permission of Merrithew. For each course in which I have enrolled, I agree to purchase all required materials prior to or on the first day of the course.

As a STOTT PILATES Certified Instructor, I understand that I am not an employee or official business partner of Merrithew.I agree to hold Merrithew, the Company, their Corporate Training Center, Licensed Training Centers, Host Training Centers, and their respective officers and employees harmless from and against any and all injuries, damage or losses resulting from training, accident or negligence.

Trademarks & Intellectual Property: The presentation and use of STOTT PILATES trademarks, logos, styles, images, copy, co-founder references, and all other Merrithew Intellectual Property, is granted to me on a non exclusive basis as long as I maintain my STOTT PILATES Certified Instructor status and I shall at all times adhere to, and be in strict accordance with the Merrithew Marketing and Communications Guidelines ("Guidelines"). A current version can be found at **merrithew.com**

- ☐ I understand my agreement with the above terms is required to become a STOTT PILATES Certified Instructor.
- ☐ I agree to review the Guidelines link on a regular basis, no less than once every six months, to ensure compliance.
- ☐ I understand that in my role as a STOTT PILATES Certified Instructor it is essential to be kept up-to-date, and as such, I consent to Merrithew contacting me via electronic messages including emails and text messages to communicate important updates, news, relevant offers and training information.

Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Company: *if applicable* _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State / Province: _____ Zip / Postal code: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Please keep a signed copy for your records

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