HAWAII INSTITUTE OF MARINE BIOLOGY

AT COCONUT ISLAND

WAIVER/RELEASE FORM

Required of Visitors to Coconut Island

(PLEASE READ, then complete this page for a single visitor or a group. A parent or guardian must sign for children under 18 years of age. Give the completed form to your guide when you reach the island.)

I (we), the undersigned in full recognition and appreciation of the dangers and hazards inherent in marine field activities, during transportation to and from HIMB- Coconut Island, to which I (we) may be exposed during my. (our) participation in site visitations on_____, 200_____, do hereby agree to assume all the risks and responsibilities surrounding my (our) participation therein. Furthermore, adults in a family group shall be responsible for the safety of the minors in the group.

I (We) shall for myself/ourselves, my (our) heirs, executors, and administrators hereby indemnify, defend and hold harmless the University of Hawai'i. and the State of Hawai'i, and their officers, employees, agents, or any person acting on their behalf from and against: (1) any claim or demand for loss, liability or damage, including, .but not limited to, claims for property damage, personal injury or death, by whomsoever brought, arising from any accident or incident connected with the performance of this agreement; (2) all claims, suits and damages by whomsoever brought or made by reason of the non-observance or non-.performance of any of the terms covenants and conditions herein or the rules, regulations, ordinances and laws of the federal, state, municipal or county governments. Furthermore, I (we) shall reimburse the University of Hawai'i and the State of Hawai'i, and their officers, employees, agents, or any person acting on their behalf for all attorney's fees, costs, and expenses incurred in connection with the defense of any such claims.

Print your name	Signature or Parent's signature	Date