PEACE CORPS MOTORCYCLE POLICY

This statement must be signed by all overseas employees and contract staff members

I understand that I will be separated for cause from Peace Corps employment or my contract terminated if, while in official duty status:

- I fail to wear a Peace Corps approved helmet while operating or riding on a motorcycle;
- I carry or ride with a person not wearing a Peace Corps approved helmet on a motorcycle;
- I permit another person to use, operate, or ride on a motorcycle in my custody or under my control without using a Peace Corps approved motorcycle helmet (even if the person is not a staff member or a U.S. citizen); or
- I operate a motorcycle in an unsafe manner or while under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

In extraordinary circumstances the Country Director may determine that termination is not required, for example, if the threat of imminent harm outweighed the risks associated with my failure to wear a helmet or with any other violation described above. If the employee is the Country Director, only the Regional Director may make this determination.

Disciplinary action or termination, including termination of employment or contract status, may be taken for any other violation of Manual Section 523 or any Peace Corps motorcycle policy applicable to my country of assignment.

Employee or Contract Staff Signature:

Date: _____

Country Director Signature:

Date: _____