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NOAA OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL INTERNATIONAL SECTION**

I understand that, during the course of my work as an intern, extern or law fellow at the National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration (“NOAA” or “Agency”), Office of General Counsel (“OGC”), I may be given access to documents or information that may be protected by the attorney-client privilege, the attorney work-product privilege, or the deliberative process privilege; to documents or information that may be considered enforcement-sensitive or enforcement-confidential; to documents or information that may be protected by the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended; or to documents or information that may relate to the personal privacy of individuals.

I understand that such documents or information may be used only in connection with my duties as an intern, extern or law fellow, and that I may not copy, disclose, or release in any manner such documents or information without the prior written approval of Peter Oppenheimer, Chief of the International Section. I further agree that I will return all such documents or information to NOAA, whenever such documents or information are no longer required for the performance of my work assignments or upon termination of my duties as an intern, extern or law fellow.

These provisions are consistent with and do not supersede, conflict with, or otherwise alter the employee obligations, rights, or liabilities created by existing statute or Executive order relating to (1) classified information, (2) communications to Congress, (3) the reporting to an Inspector General of a violation of any law, rule, or regulation, or mismanagement, a gross waste of funds, an abuse of authority, or a substantial and specific danger to public health or safety, or (4) any other whistleblower protection. The definitions, requirements, obligations, rights, sanctions, and liabilities created by controlling Executive orders and statutory provisions are incorporated into this agreement and are controlling.

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Signature _____

Date _____