2019 SAE CyberAuto Challenge™ Terms of Participation

As a participant in the 2019 SAE CyberAuto Challenge™, Participant understands that he/she may be privy to information of a confidential and/or sensitive nature throughout the duration of the event. Participant further understands that the unauthorized disclosure of such information could cause irreparable harm to the company and/or companies to which such information is lawfully titled. With these considerations in mind, Participant hereby agrees to the following:

1. Participant understands that he/she shall not use information of a confidential or sensitive nature to further his/her personal interest, nor shall he/she violate the privacy and confidentiality of information entrusted to him/her or to which he/she may gain access, unless disclosure is otherwise required by legal authority.

2. Participant will diligently protect all confidential and sensitive information from unauthorized disclosure, including, but not limited to face-to-face discussions with outside parties and social media engagement (i.e., Facebook, Tweeting, blogging). Participant shall, at all times, abide by the “Information Sharing Protocols”, as separately set forth and distributed to all Participants in association with The Challenge event.

3. Participant will seek guidance from his/her supervisor or an appropriate event staff member when unsure of the correct decision regarding appropriate use, confidentiality, or access of information, and will do so BEFORE sharing any information.

4. Participant will immediately report any incidents of personal noncompliance or noncompliance of colleagues with the terms of this agreement to his/her supervisor or an appropriate event staff member.

5. The obligations with respect to disclosing and using Confidential Information, as set forth herein, are not applicable if the same is:
   (a) shown by Participant to be in the public domain at the time of receipt or that it came into the public domain thereafter through no act of Participant in breach of this Agreement or of any other party in breach of any other obligation of confidentiality owing to Discloser, or
   (b) contained in written records in Participant’s files prior to the date of its receipt from Discloser, or
   (c) disclosed or used with the prior written approval of Discloser, or
   (d) demonstrated in written records by Participant to have been developed independently of disclosures made hereunder, or
(e) lawfully disclosed on an unrestricted basis to Participant by a third party under conditions permitting such disclosure, or

(f) disclosed by Participant in response to a legal mandate by order of a court or administrative body, after Participant promptly notifies Discloser and provides a reasonable opportunity to oppose such order.

6. The obligations with respect to disclosing and using Confidential Information, as set forth herein, shall commence as of the date set forth below and remain in effect for three (3) years immediately following.

7. Participant understands that participation in the event shall not be construed as a teaming, joint venture or other such arrangement; and that the intellectual property of all event contributors shall remain theirs’ exclusively, unless otherwise agreed in writing.

8. Any dispute arising from participation in the Challenge shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

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Signature of Participant    Printed Name of Participant

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Parent / Guardian Signature Printed Name of Parent / Guardian
(If Participant is 17 years of age or less)