



Affirmation of MCC Safe Child Policy & Code of Conduct

I **ACKNOWLEDGE** have read, understood and agree to abide by the *MCC Safe-Child Policy* and *agree to the Code of Conduct* for the protection of children, students, and vulnerable people. I have familiarized myself with the procedures for reporting suspected abuse. Additionally, it is my responsibility to read and comply with future updates to the *MCC Safe-Child Policy and Code of Conduct* or changes in how suspected cases of abuse are to be reported.

I **CONFIRM** that I have not been accused of (to the best of my knowledge), been investigated for, or prosecuted for any offense against a minor or vulnerable adult in any jurisdiction. I understand that it is my responsibility to inform the Session of MCC if this affirmation changes at any point throughout the applicable year.

I **AGREE** not to engage in any such behaviors.

I **FURTHER AGREE** that as an individual who has engendered trust from a child, I will not tolerate physical, emotional, or sexual child abuse or neglect.

I **AGREE** to immediately report any reasonable suspicion of or disclosure of inappropriate behavior between adults and minors, or between two minors, to the appropriate leadership and in accordance with our reporting protocols and state mandates.

Please Note: Ministry leaders, volunteers, staff members, and church officers of MCC must sign this affirmation once every year.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Print Name: _____ **Ministry Position:** _____

Supervisor's Signature: _____

Session Approved on 3/21/2019