



Liability Limitation Extreme Diving

The student hereby declares the following to ProTec, as well as the diving training organisation and the ProTec instructor:

1. I am aware that diving, especially technical diving beyond recreational diving limits, is regarded as an extreme sport „at my own risk“.
2. Neither the ProTec training organisation nor the ProTec instructor shall be liable for diving accidents or consequences of such, unless caused with intent or through gross negligence.
3. I am aware that the ProTec instructor holds diving courses, trains divers and performs exams, according to the specified ProTec standards. It is expressly noted that, in addition, the local statutory regulations apply. The local statutory regulations are known to me.
4. In the course of the dives I have to follow the instructions of the ProTec instructors entirely. In the case of extreme dives, the ProTec instructor acts only as observer and companion; the ProTec instructor will not act as a diving instructor or rescue diver.
5. It is incumbent to me in particular cases to seize all measures which avert a danger to life and limb, regardless of whether I have to comply with orders of the ProTec instructor, unless an improper, inappropriate arrangement of the diving situation is clear to me. Any remaining risk is borne by myself.
6. I specifically declare that I have the necessary environmental knowledge, the necessary technical diving skills as well as a locally valid medical fitness certificate and have proven this to the ProTec instructor.
7. The student is aware of the dangers and potential accident risks, which could occur when exercising diving with diving equipment. The most important are listed below:

Decompression sickness types I and II, oxygen poisoning, barotraumas, CO₂ poisoning, rapture of the deep and more.
8. The student is aware that the aforementioned dangers and accidents can lead to physical impairments in the form of disability or death.
9. The student feels physically and mentally (psychologically) able to participate in the diving course.



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10. The student assures that he has adequate health and accident insurance, with which, in the event of an accident, the necessary medical measures, the transport services, the further care, sickness benefit and possible pension payments are secured.
 11. The student is responsible for his own equipment. The instructor is not liable for damages resulting from loss or damage.
 12. The student is responsible for loss and/or damage of the equipment consigned to him for implementation of the course.
 13. The student acknowledges that place of jurisdiction and performance for both sides is
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Student / Diver