



## **BCU STATEMENT OF PHYSICAL COMPETENCE**

"I understand that in law I have a 'Duty of Care' to others, and this Duty of Care is enhanced with regard to my responsibilities to those whom I teach because of the training and any qualifications which I may receive"

"I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief I am physically fit, and do not have any \*condition which may impair my ability to be responsible for the overall safety of canoeists in my charge"

"I do not have \*diabetes or \*epilepsy, and understand that in the event of any change to my fitness to be responsible for the safety of others, I must declare the fact to the BCU UK Director Of Coaching"

\*The declaring of an impairment does not necessarily debar a person from holding a coaching award or qualification. The BCU does its utmost to ensure that only common sense conditions are placed on those who may not be able to fulfill all requirements, both stated and implicit, for the holding of a coaching qualification.

If you are unable to sign the Statement of Physical Competence, and need to declare a disability, please send a SAE to the BCU coaching office for a copy of the medical declaration policy and return with this the required form.