TERMS & CONDITIONS – Xin An Chan Si Temple

Please read carefully. By ticking the box and submitting your application, you confirm that you have read, understood, and agreed to these Terms & Conditions.

1. Booking & Payment

- 1.1. All bookings are confirmed only after the deposit or full payment is received and a confirmation email is sent by the Temple's official team.
- 1.2. Bookings must be made exclusively through the Temple's official website or authorized team members. Any bookings made through third parties or unauthorized individuals will be considered invalid. The Temple will not be responsible for any issues, lost payments, or denial of entry resulting from such bookings.
- 1.3. The official booking process is managed exclusively through the Temple's authorized website and team.
- 1.4. Cancellation & Refund Policy:
- The deposit is strictly non-refundable if a participant cancels for personal reasons, including but not limited to: change of mind, change of travel plans, illness, family issues, or inability to travel.
- The only exception is if the participant provides official documentation proving that a visa application was denied or a government travel restriction prevents attendance. In such cases, the Temple may, at its sole discretion, offer a partial refund or a credit for future training dates.
- If a participant fails to arrive on the scheduled date without notice, all payments will be forfeited.
- Cancellations must be submitted in writing via the Temple's official email or website form.

2. Health, Fitness & Assumption of Risk

- 2.1. By applying, you confirm that you are physically and mentally fit to participate in martial arts training and temple life.
- 2.2. You must disclose any medical conditions or injuries before participation. The Temple may request a medical certificate.
- 2.3. Participation involves inherent risks, including but not limited to physical injury, illness, and travel-related risks.
- 2.4. To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Temple, its owners, monks, and staff are not liable for any injury, illness, loss, or damage arising from participation, except where caused by proven gross negligence or willful misconduct.

3. Media, Photography & Video Policy

- 3.1. The Temple retains full ownership and rights to any images, videos, or recordings made on its premises, including training sessions, monks, ceremonies, and temple grounds.
- 3.2. Students may record personal photos or short videos for private use only with prior permission from Temple staff.
- 3.3. Public posting of any content recorded at the Temple is allowed only if the Temple's official account is tagged in the post.
- 3.4. When sharing a video or image publicly:
- a) You must tag the Temple's official accounts, and
- b) Clearly credit the Temple in the caption or description.
- 3.5. It is strictly forbidden to sell any videos, courses, or content created at the Temple, including footage of monks teaching, ceremonies or religious practices, or training techniques taught by the Temple's instructors. Violation of this rule will result in legal action for copyright infringement and damages.
- 3.6. The Temple reserves the right to request immediate removal of any unauthorized content. Failure to comply may result in legal consequences and immediate expulsion from the program without a refund.

4. Commercial Exploitation

- 4.1. It is illegal to create and sell online programs, courses, or training plans using the Temple's name, images, or footage without explicit written permission.
- 4.2. Anyone caught preparing or selling such programs will face immediate cease-and-desist orders and potential lawsuits.

5. Conduct & Code of Behaviour

- 5.1. Respect for the Temple, monks, staff, and other students is mandatory at all times.
- 5.2. All romantic or sexual relationships are strictly prohibited within the Temple grounds.
- 5.3. Inappropriate behavior, harassment, or misconduct will result in immediate removal from the Temple without refund.
- 5.4. Proper attire is required at all times during training and while on Temple grounds. Revealing or disrespectful clothing is not permitted.
- 5.5. Students must follow all instructions given by Temple staff and teachers. Failure to comply will result in removal from the program without refund.

6. Privacy & Personal Data

- 6.1. By booking, you consent to the Temple collecting and processing your personal data for the purpose of managing your training, booking, and emergency contacts.
- 6.2. Your data will not be shared with unauthorized third parties.

7. Intellectual Property

- 7.1. All training methods, logos, teaching materials, and branded content are intellectual property of the Temple.
- 7.2. Unauthorized reproduction, distribution, or sale of this content is strictly prohibited and will result in legal action.

8. Enforcement & Legal Action

- 8.1. The Temple has the right to demand removal of unauthorized content, expel participants for breach of these rules without refund, and seek damages through legal action.
- 8.2. By accepting these Terms, you agree to comply fully with Temple policies and accept any consequences for violations.

9. Acceptance

By ticking the acceptance box and submitting your booking, you confirm that you have read and understood these Terms & Conditions, agree to follow all rules, and accept that violations may result in immediate removal without refund.