Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/COVID-19

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. **COVID-19 is extremely contagious** and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people.

SPA RETREAT CARY has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, we **cannot guarantee** that our valued patrons will not become infected with COVID-19. Receiving services at SPA RETREAT CARY could <u>increase</u> your risk of contracting COVID-19.

By signing this agreement, I acknowledge:

- I feel well today and do not have a fever, cough, chills, shortness of breath, loss of taste or smell, or sore throat.
- □ I have not been within 6 feet for more than 10 minutes of someone I know has COVID-19 in the last 14 days.
- □ I have not had a fever above 100.4 in the past 24 hours.

SPA RETREAT CARY is following the guidelines provided by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), the Occupational Health and Safety Administration (OSHA), North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (NC DHHS), but I voluntarily assume the risk that I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by receiving services at SPA RETREAT CARY and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I may experience or incur in connection with the spa services at SPA RETREAT CARY ("Claims"). I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless SPA RETREAT CARY, its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of SPA RETREAT CARY, its employees, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any SPA RETREAT CARY service or program.

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Date:_____