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International Association of Trampoline Parks (IATP) Statement in Response to Incident at Extreme Air Park

The International Association of Trampoline Parks (IATP) is a voluntary trade association dedicated to serving the interests of its membership and educating the trampoline park industry by promoting optimally safe operations, facilitating commercial success and stimulating growth of the trampoline park industry. We do not make comment regarding incidents at non-member parks such as the incident that recently occurred at Extreme Air Park in Richmond. The IATP expresses its deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Mr. Greenwood.

Patron safety is a top priority for the IATP. Every incident is a serious matter, and we take every opportunity to communicate and recommend to our members that all optimal steps be taken to mitigate risks. In the absence of regional regulation and safety inspections, the IATP advocates that trampoline parks abide by ASTM International F2970-15, the Standard Practice for Design, Manufacture, Installation, Operation, Maintenance, Inspection and Major Modification of Trampoline Courts.

With industry growth on the rise from 3 parks in 2009 to well over 1,000 parks worldwide by the end of 2017 the available data indicates that trampoline park injury rates are lower or on par with common youth sports such as soccer, basketball and volleyball, and far lower than contact sports such as lacrosse and football.

We take pride in developing programs and training aimed at promoting the safety and well-being of patrons who visit our member parks. The IATP would welcome the opportunity to work with safety authorities to improve standards at indoor trampoline parks in Vancouver and throughout Canada.

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