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Out of safety concerns for guests, employees, and resort property, as well as concerns for individual privacy, rules and regulations set by Transport Canada, Sun Peaks Resort LLP (SPRLLP) prohibits the operation or use of unmanned aerial vehicles (UAVs), commonly called Drones by the general public – including recreational users and hobbyists. This prohibition includes drones used for filming or videotaping, as well as any drone use by media or journalists operating above or within SPRLLP boundaries (the Controlled Recreation Area or CRA). This prohibition on drone operations or use extends to any drones launched or operated from SPRLLP property, as well as drones launched from private property outside of the SPRLLP boundaries that has intent to enter SPRLLP boundaries.

Use of UAV's for commercial purposes can be granted after application and written consent. Please contact either the resort representative, Marc White, Risk Management and Safety Programs Director at [mwhite@sunpeaksresort.com](mailto:mwhite@sunpeaksresort.com) or Erik Meertens, Senior Director Mountain Operations at [emeertens@sunpeaksresort.com](mailto:emeertens@sunpeaksresort.com) 30 days prior of intended use to seek authorization to operate any UAV's. Any authorized operation of UAV's is governed by Transport Canada rules and regulations, local law enforcement, as well as those policies separately established by SPRLLP, which include certification, training, insurance coverage, indemnification requirements, and waivers or releases of liability. SPRLLP has the right to refuse or suspend drone use at any time due to the nature of the operation and for commercial and emergency aircrafts requiring to land in the CRA.

Any violation of this policy may involve suspension of your skiing or snowboarding privileges, or the revocation of your season pass, as well as confiscation of any drone equipment, and may subject violators to full cost of any damages, including, but not limited to, damages for violations of privacy and/or physical or personal injuries or property damage, as well as regulatory fines and legal fees.

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