ABPath CertLink Honor Code

I hereby attest that I have met all certification requirements in accordance with and subject to the bylaws, policies, and registration fees of the American Board of Pathology (ABPath) in force at this time.

I understand and agree that to maintain a fair and secure assessment process that:

- The assessment and all questions are the exclusive property of the ABPath. I agree not to retain, copy, disclose, discuss, share, reveal, or distribute any part of these questions, including memorized, reconstructed and recalled items.
- The following actions may be sufficient cause for ABPath, in its sole discretion, to take action to terminate or bar for a period of time my participation in ABPath CertLink, to invalidate the results of my assessment, to revoke my certificate, or to take other appropriate action.
    - The giving or receiving of aid during participation, as evidenced either by observation or by statistical analysis, including, but not limited to:
        - Seeking assistance from any other person or giving assistance to another person in answering questions during assessment.
    - The unauthorized possession, reproduction, disclosure, discussion, or distribution of any ABPath CertLink materials, including, but not limited to, questions, answers, critiques, images, reconstructed and recalled items at any time before, during, or after the assessment.
    - The use of any type of camera to record, photograph or transmit the question, answers, critiques or associated images.
    - The ABPath may require me to take a Continuing Certification (formerly MOC) examination if presented with sufficient evidence that the security of the assessment has been compromised, notwithstanding the absence of any evidence of my personal involvement in such compromise.

I understand and agree that as a Diplomate:

- I have the responsibility to update ABPath with contact information and any information in connection with my certification, including any relating to an adverse action against my medical license(s) within 60 days of such action.
- All decisions as to my qualification for participating in ABPath CertLink rest solely and exclusively in the ABPath, that its decision is final, and my exclusive appeal from any adverse decision is pursuant to the ABPath's policies and procedures.
- I hereby release, discharge, covenant not to sue, and hold harmless the ABPath, its trustees, officers, members, examiners, representatives, agents, and any person who supplies information regarding my credentials from any actions, suits, claims, demands, or damages arising out of, or in connection with any action taken by any of them regarding the gathering, collecting, and use of information about my practice or education, the results given with respect to any examination or performance, the failure of the ABPath to recertify me, or the revocation of any certificate.