

**NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC TELEVISION  
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**IDEA SUBMISSION POLICY AND AGREEMENT**

You have an idea or ideas which you think may be of interest to National Geographic Television, National Geographic Channels International or National Geographic Channel US (individually and collectively, "NG"). While NG is anxious to take every opportunity to improve and expand its programming, NG has found certain precautions necessary in receiving unsolicited ideas and suggestions submitted to it in order to avoid any misunderstandings as to what are the rights and obligations of NG with respect to such submissions. NG will receive and consider submitted ideas and suggestions only if the submitter is willing to agree that the submission of ideas shall be subject to the following:

1. OWNER OF NEW IDEA. NG will receive only submitted material that is embodied in written form. NG will consider your submission only at your request and only with your assurance that to the best of your knowledge you are the sole originator of the idea and that you have the legal right to submit it to NG for its evaluation.
2. DISCLOSURE NOT CONFIDENTIAL. You acknowledge that NG may disclose the idea to its employees, and possibly to others, to determine the idea's value to NG. It is understood that no confidential relationship is entered into by any reason of the consideration of your submission to NG or by reason of any oral discussions between NG and you.
3. CONCEPTION BY NG. NG and its employees develop many ideas of their own for the development of programs, some of which may be similar to yours. An idea that is new to you may be old to NG, or similar or identical ideas may be conceived independently. Accordingly, you hereby waive any claim that NG misappropriated any ideas in or portions of your submission in any activities in which NG may engage in the future.
4. SUBMISSION NOT RETURNED. NG does not assume any obligation to return the submitted materials to you. Therefore, you should keep a duplicate of any material submitted, as well as a copy of this Agreement.
5. NO PREJUDICE. Any consideration of the submitted idea(s) or negotiations to purchase it (or them) does not waive NG's right to contest the validity of your copyrights, trademark, or other intellectual property rights in such submissions.
6. NO COMPENSATION. No agreement for compensation shall be implied from NG's consideration or review of your submitted idea. However, should NG elect to use any portion of your idea that is legally protectable, you and NG shall negotiate appropriate compensation to you in good faith.

7. MODIFICATION. The foregoing conditions may not be modified or waived except in a writing signed by an officer of NG.
8. TERM. This Agreement shall be valid for a period of ten (10) years from the date of signature and shall apply to any further ideas submitted by you to NG during such Term.
9. HEADINGS. The titles of the paragraphs of this document are for convenience only and are not intended to affect the interpretation of the actual terms and conditions of this Agreement.

**I HAVE READ THE IDEA SUBMISSION POLICY AND AGREEMENT, AND I AGREE TO THE CONDITIONS CONTAINED THEREIN:**

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