



	Bitch Owner(s) Information:	<u>.</u>	
BITCH OWNER(s) Name(s):			
Address:			
Phone # and Email:			
Will	be referred to as the "BITCH OWNER" in	this contract.	
	Bitch's Information:		
BITCH's AKC Name:		AKC #:	
Microchip #:		DNA Profile #:	
Date of Birth:		Color:	
Date of Recent Brucellosis Test	(*attach proof)		
	Will be referred to as the "BITCH" in this	contract.	
	Stud Owner(s) Information:		
STUD OWNER(s) Name(s):			
Address:			
Phone # and Email:			

Will be referred to as the "STUD OWNER" in this contract.

### **Stud's Information:**

STUD's AKC Name:		AKC #:	
Microchip #:		DNA Profile #:	
Date of Birth:		Color:	
Date of Recent Brucellosis Test	(*attach proof)		

Will be referred to as the "STUD" in this contract.





#### This is a contract for STUD SERVICE between the STUD OWNER and the BITCH OWNER.

Date(s) of Matings:	
Estimated Due Date(s) of the Bitch:	

### **Responsibilities Of The Stud Owner**

The STUD OWNER certifies that they are the legal owner of the STUD on file with the AKC.

The STUD OWNER has made every effort to ensure that the STUD is healthy, in good condition, and fertile.

The STUD OWNER makes no guarantees for the future temperament, health, or conformation of any puppies resulting from this breeding.

The STUD OWNER has provided the BITCH OWNER with proof of a recent "NEGATIVE" Brucellosis Test.

The STUD OWNER will attempt to ensure at least two natural breedings or "ties" as long as the dogs are cooperative.

The STUD OWNER agrees to board the BITCH at their home for up to 10 days, included in the stud fee.

#### **Responsibilities Of The Bitch Owner**

The BITCH OWNER certifies that they are the legal owner or leasee of the BITCH on file with the AKC.

The BITCH OWNER has provided the STUD OWNER with proof of a recent "NEGATIVE" Brucellosis Test.

The BITCH OWNER assumes all responsibility for any "progesterone" or "breeding/timing testing" if they want it done prior to breeding.

The BITCH OWNER agrees to deliver the BITCH to the STUD OWNER when she is ready for breeding.

The BITCH OWNER will provide a 10 day supply of the diet the BITCH is used to eating, written instructions for feeding the BITCH, and an appropriate crate for the BITCH to sleep in.

The BITCH OWNER agrees to pick up the BITCH no longer than 10 days after delivering her to the STUD OWNER.

The BITCH OWNER agrees to keep the BITCH separated from other intact male dogs until she is out of heat, to insure that she is not bred by another male dog on this heat cycle.

The BITCH OWNER agrees to provide acceptable health care, veterinary care, shelter, training, diet, & exercise for the resulting puppies in accordance with the BITCH OWNER's current and future local, state, & national laws.

The BITCH OWNER agrees not to hold the STUD OWNER liable for any expenses of any kind (including, but not limited to Veterinary Bills) for any puppies resulting from this breeding.

The BITCH OWNER agrees not to hold the STUD OWNER liable for any expenses of any kind (including, but not limited to Veterinary Bills) for the BITCH, that may result from this breeding.

The BITCH OWNER understands the risks involved in dog breeding (c-sections, loss of bitch, loss of puppies, veterinary expenses, etc) and assumes all responsibility for these risks.



#### **Stud Service Fees**

The BITCH OWNER agrees to pay the STUD OWNER a Stud Fee of **\$1000 (One Thousand Dollars)** in exchange for Stud Service.

The Stud Fee will be paid in <u>Cash</u> at the time that the BITCH OWNER picks up the BITCH.

If the BITCH is not cooperative for a natural breeding, and no natural breeding occurs, then no Stud Fee is due.

#### **If The Bitch Does Not Become Pregnant**

The birth and survival of at least 2 (two) live puppies at 2 weeks of age will constitute a litter. If the BITCH does not become pregnant or there are not at least two live puppies at 2 weeks of age, the BITCH OWNER must notify the STUD OWNER within 90 days of the last date of breeding. A signed statement from a licensed veterinarian may be required, if requested by the STUD OWNER.

On the BITCH's next heat cycle, the breeding will be repeated "return service" for no additional stud fee. The "return service" will be performed under the exact same conditions described in this contract (with a recent "Negative" Brucellosis test, within 30 days prior to "return service" required of the BITCH). If the BITCH does not become pregnant on the "return service", this contract will be terminated and no fees will be refunded or reimbursed. The Stud Service Fee is non-refundable.

#### **Registration Of The Puppies**

The STUD OWNER will provide the BITCH OWNER with a printed and signed application for the registration of the resulting puppies with the American Kennel Club, also known as a signed AKC Litter Application. This signed AKC Litter Application will be provided to the BITCH OWNER at the time that they pick up the BITCH from the STUD OWNER.

The STUD OWNER certifies that puppies sired by the STUD are eligible for registration with the American Kennel Club at the time of breeding.

#### **Sale Of The Puppies**

The BITCH OWNER agrees to never sell, given away, transfer, trade, or raffle puppies resulting from this breeding to a shelter, rescue, laboratory, testing factory, dog-fighting-ring, pet store, dog broker, or disreputable breeder. The BITCH OWNER agrees to make every effort to find the resulting puppies homes with responsible dog owners.

The BITCH OWNER agrees to use discretion when selling the puppies using "Limited Registration" for puppies with known defects or puppies who are not good representatives of the AKC Beagle Breed Standard.



#### **Legal Recourse**

- 1. This is a legally binding contract, controlled by the laws of South Carolina. It is agreed that shall there be any disagreements between the BREEDER and the BUYER, that it will be settled in Berkeley County, South Carolina.
- 2. Any costs of litigation will be paid for by the BITCH OWNER.

The written terms of this contract contain the entire agreement between the BREEDER and the BUYER. No other written, verbal, or implied statements, promises, documents, or writings shall have any effect on this contract unless these terms are reduced to writing, signed by both parties, and attached.

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