

This certifies _____ herein referred to as the Mare Owner, has engaged one breeding to An Artful Image for the 20__ breeding season at \$_____ for the following mare:

Mare Name: _____ Breed: _____ Reg. No. _____
_____ Year Foaled: _____

Sire: _____ Dam: _____

Lenni Lightner-Burk, owner for the above named stallion, will herein be referred to as Breeder. This service is engaged subject to the following:

1. A booking fee of \$_____ from the above breeding fee is payable with this contract, and the balance of \$_____ 0 plus all unpaid expenses will be payable upon receipt of an invoice. **Collection, cooling/freezing and S/H costs are to be incurred by mare owner independent of stud service fees.** Once a mare has been examined by Breeder, the booking fee is considered earned and is **non-refundable**.
2. A **photocopy** of the **registration papers** (both sides) shall be sent to the Breeder with this contract. A veterinarian's health certificate, worming and immunization records, and a current Coggins test (within 6 months) shall accompany the mare.
3. Mare Owner agrees each mare offered for breeding shall be in sound breeding condition and free from any infection or disease. Any mare certified by the attending veterinarian not to be in sound breeding condition shall not be bred.
4. The mare does not settle, the Breeder shall be held harmless. There will be no guarantee of a lie foal for any mare leaving breeder before being checked safe in foal by the attending veterinarian.
5. **Live Foal Guarantee:** Live foal means the foal shall stand and nurse. It is understood that if the mare proves barren, aborts her foal, or if foal is stillborn, a return breeding will be guaranteed the following year providing proper notification is given. Proper notification is a written certification by licensed veterinarian within seven (7) days that the mare has slipped or produced a non-viable foal. Mare Owner verifies that such abortion or death did not result from any act or omission of the Owner. Rhino vaccinations must be administered as indicated by the individual drug manufacturer as the mare progresses through her pregnancy. **Failure to do this will void the live Foal Guarantee.**
6. **Rebreeds:** If the mare does not produce a live foal the first breeding season bred, Mare Owner is entitled to a rebreed the following year after the initial year the breeding fee was paid. No live foal guarantees on the third year.
7. Genetic Diseases: The Breeder shall be held harmless of any horse(s) with genetic diseases (HYPP). If the above said Mare Owner has a HH (double positive) foal, the Mare Owner shall have the option of returning the double positive foal to the Breeder in return for a rebreed the following year. (The foal must be returned to the Breeder before mare Owner is entitled to a rebreed.) This also applies to a cremello or albino foal.
8. The breeding season is force for this contract shall being February 1 and close July 1 of the year on this contract.
9. A breeder's certificate will be issued to Mare Owner after all expenses have been paid in full and upon notification of birth of foal.
10. There is **no** Paint Color Guarantee.
11. **Waive of Liability:** It is understood that the breeding farm, its owners, employees, and guests shall not be liable for any injury, escape, disability, or death of any horse on its premises. The above-named Mare Owner, whose horse(s) is (are) under the care of Breeder, will not be liable or responsible for any damage, injury or death to the breeding farm stallions, employees, veterinarians, or other animals in the care of Breeder, whether or not caused by his/her horse.
12. This contract is not valid unless completed in full. When Mare Owner signs and return the contract and booking fee to Breeder, Breeder will notify Mare Owner within ten (10) days of approval. Upon notification, it will become a binding contract on both parties, subject to the above terms and conditions.

Mare Owner Signature _____

Stallion Owner Signature _____

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