



Frozen Semen Contract

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- 1. I hereby agree to breed my mare/reg #: _____ to Catty Hawk hereinafter referred to as Stallion (Registration # 4754306) for the 20__ breeding season. I agree to pay Cowan Ranch, Inc. \$ _____ made payable to Cowan Ranch, Inc. for the stud fee. No semen is shipped until contract, mare papers, and paid stud fee is received by Cowan Ranch, Inc.**
- 2. Stud Fee does entitle mare owner to Live Foal Guarantee. I am entitled to ONE “live foal” conceived (per frozen semen contract) from this breeding that will stand and nurse after foaling without assistance and lives for (24) hours. If my mare is found not in foal, or delivers a stillborn, I am allowed a Rebreed Contract if Cowan Ranch is notified with in (30) days of the discovering the mare is open or foal is stillborn. With the notification there must be a statement from a licensed veterinarian. A Re-breed contract will apply to the following breeding season only, and the Stud Fee will be nonrefundable. Live Foal Guarantee will be null and void if Mare Owner does not give ample opportunity to settle mare. Stallion Owner will also be released from Live Foal Guarantee if mare is sold without notifying the Stallion Owner and providing new contact information. With Re-breed agreement the Mare Owner is required to pay all other veterinary related fees and board.**
- 3. If Mare owner needs to change which mare they are going to breed a new contract must be signed with replacement mare’s name and registration #. Mare owner may not assign this breeding contract or substitute any other mare under this agreement without the prior written consent of the stallion owner. Any attempted assignment without prior consent of stallion owner will, at the option of stallion owner, terminate this agreement and release stallion owner from all obligations hereunder.**
- 4. The stallion manager agrees to furnish 2 breeding doses (8 straws per dose) for the above listed stallion per frozen semen contract. The doses will be SHIPPED SEPARATELY (8 straws per shipment) from Gene Movers to mare owners designated receiving facility. IF further shipments are necessary past the 2 agreed upon stallion owner furnished doses, the mare owner will be required to pay Cowan Ranch \$400.00 per additional dose (8 straws per dose). The mare owner is responsible for any and all costs/fees associated with shipping the frozen semen.**
- 5. Mare owner agrees that only the mare designated on this contract will be inseminated with the shipped semen. Any attempt to breed more than one mare with a shipment will void this contract.**
- 6. BREEDING OF THE MARE BY FROZEN SEMEN. The Mare Owner is responsible for all facets of breeding the Mare and agrees to comply with all related breed association requirements concerning the use and handling of frozen semen. The Mare Owner agrees that an individual who is qualified and experienced in the use and handling of frozen semen will perform the insemination. The Mare Owner agrees to use the semen provided by this Agreement for the Mare named in this Agreement and no other. THE STALLION MANAGER MAKES NO WARRANTY OR GUARANTY, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, WITH RESPECT TO FROZEN SEMEN, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, THE WARRANTY OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. THE STALLION MANAGER MAKES NO GUARANTEE OF DELIVERY WITHIN A CERTAIN TIME PERIOD AND MAKES NO GUARANTEE THAT THE FROZEN SEMEN WILL SAFELY REACH THE INSEMINATION POINT WITHOUT LOSING INTERGRITY, QUALITY, OR CHARACTERISTICS.**
- 7. EMBRYO TRANSFER. I understand that if an embryo transfer is preformed and multiple embryos are recovered during the embryo harvesting I will be accountable for an additional stud fee of \$ 2500, USD within (60) days of confirming pregnancy in order to receive a certificate for the additional foal(s). If a conception form a multiple embryo harvest does not produce a Live**

8. It is further agreed that if the mare dies before producing a live foal or becomes unfit to breed before being pronounced safe in foal, a substitute mare will be allowed for the current breeding season or the following season only. No Stud Fee will be refunded. If multiple embryos are recovered and produce multiple pregnancies from embryo transfer, any subsequent foals born from breeding besides the ONE live foal guaranteed from this frozen semen contract, the mare owner will be responsible for paying the \$2500 stud fee for all extra foals born. **No breeders Certificates will be granted until stud fee is paid to Cowan Ranch.**
9. A "Breeder's Certificate" will be issued for the foal conceived by the mating when stallion fees and all other expenses have been paid in full. The Mare Owner will receive a Breeder's Certificate when the Stallion Manager has been notified that a live foal has been produced.
10. This contract shall be binding upon the parties hereto, upon execution hereof, and the same may not be altered or amended, except by written mutual consent of the parties hereto.
11. **The stallion breeding fee is USD \$2,500.00. All fees must be paid, contract signed by both parties, and a copy of mares papers to Cowan Ranch Inc. before receiving semen. Payment in US Dollars by check, cashiers check or bank wire. A Credit Card may be used, but will be charged an additional 3% of total fee. Contact Cowan Ranch Inc. for Bank name and payment instructions. Additional stud fee required for any multiple pregnancies from ET, and will need to be paid before any subsequent Breeders Certs will be issued for multiples.**

STUD FEES: TOTAL DUE:

MARE OWNER (PLEASE PRINT):

SIGNATURE OF MARE OWNER:

CITY/ STATE/ ZIP:

PHONE #:

EMAIL:

STALLION OWNER (PLEASE PRINT):

SIGNATURE OF STALLION OWNER/ AGENT:

DATE CONTRACT SIGNED:



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