



Feline Adoption Contract

Pet Name: _____ **Color/Breed:** _____ **S/N Status:** _____

Adopter Name(s): _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____ **Driver's License #/State:** _____

Terms and Conditions of Adoption

The adopter agrees to the following:

1. Adoption Donation

The adopter will pay an adoption donation per cat. This fee is a non-refundable donation intended to help defray the costs of caring for this and other rescue animals.

2. Indoor Companion

The adopted cat will be kept indoors, in a private residence, and treated as a companion animal. The adopter agrees never to declaw the cat and to provide it with adequate food and water each day.

3. Veterinary Care

The adopter will ensure that the cat's vaccinations for rabies, FVRCP, and other necessary shots are up-to-date. Veterinary care must be provided if the cat becomes ill, injured, or diseased.

4. Prohibited Uses

The adopter will not allow the cat to be used for any experimental purposes or sold/given to any organization that might use the animal for such purposes. The cat will not be used in activities such as dog fighting, as a guard animal, or for any other utilitarian purpose.

5. Treatment of the Animal

The adopter agrees never to strike, harm, or mistreat the cat.

6. Return of the Cat

If the adopter is unable to keep or properly care for the cat, the adopter must immediately contact The Cat Advocates (info@thecatadvocates.org or call 980-281-0119) to arrange for the cat's return. If the change in circumstances is not related to proper care, the adopter agrees to continue caring for the cat until it can be placed in a foster or permanent home.

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7. Legal History

The adopter confirms that they have not been subject to legal action for animal cruelty or neglect and have not had any animals confiscated by an animal control organization for violations of animal control regulations.

8. No Guarantees of Temperament

The adopter understands and agrees that The Cat Advocates make no guarantees regarding the cat's temperament and is not responsible for any future damage or injury caused by the cat.

9. Health Disclaimer

The adopter understands that The Cat Advocates cannot guarantee the animal is free from all illness despite efforts to minimize disease exposure. The adopter acknowledges that the cat may have been exposed to diseases and that symptoms may not appear for several weeks.

10. Veterinary Exam

The adopter agrees to have the cat examined by a veterinarian within two months of the adoption date. The adopter understands that they are responsible for the cost of care or treatment should they choose to have the cat treated.

11. Spaying/Neutering

If the cat has not yet been spayed or neutered, the adopter agrees to bring the cat to The Cat Advocate's assigned veterinary clinic on the designated appointment date.

12. Breach of Contract

The adopter understands that failure to comply with any terms of this contract will constitute a breach of contract. In such a case, The Cat Advocates reserves the right to reclaim the adopted cat.

I, the adopter, have read and fully understand the terms of this contract. By signing below, I agree to comply with all the provisions stated above.

Adopter's Signature: _____

Signed Date: _____

The Cat Advocates Representative: _____

Signed Date: _____

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