

GUARDIAN CONTRACT

THIS AGREEMENT IS BETWEEN THE "BREEDER", JESSICA MERTENS, AND _____ THE "GUARDIAN" & PERTAINS TO THE FOLLOWING PUPPY:

PUPPY NAME:

DOB:

REG #:

MICROCHIP #::

GUARDIAN WILL GET PUPPY FREE OF CHARGE BUT PUP WILL BE OWNED BY BREEDER UNTIL THE AGREEMENTS IN THIS CONTRACT ARE FULFILLED.

GUARDIAN

MUST FOLLOW BREEDERS DIETARY GUIDELINES, PROVIDE ADEQUATE DAILY EXERCISE, PAY FOR ROUTINE VETERINARY CARE (INCLUDING VACCINATIONS, DEWORMING, ETC) & MUST PROVIDE BREEDER WITH VISIT SUMMARY FROM VET

MUST CONSULT WITH BREEDER AT FIRST SIGN OF ANY ILLNESS - MUST NOT ALLOW ANY VETERINARY PROCEDURES TO BE PERFORMED ON DOG WITHOUT THE WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM BREEDER

PROVIDE BASIC OBEDIENCE TRAINING FOR DOG (SIT, STAY, COME, WALKING ON LEASH, POTTY TRAINING, ETC)

MUST INFORM BREEDER WHEN YOU NOTICE THE FIRST SIGN OF FEMALE BEING IN HEAT & MUST SURRENDER FOR 1-2 WEEKS FOR BREEDING TO TAKE PLACE

AGREES TO TRANSPORT FEMALE TO BREEDER A WEEK PRIOR TO DUE DATE AND WILL REMAIN WITH BREEDER UNTIL THE PUPPIES ARE WEANED (USUALLY AROUND 7-8 WEEKS OLD)

MUST INFORM BREEDER OF ANY VACATIONS AND PLANNED ABSENCES - IF THIS OCCURS CLOSE TO WHEN A FEMALE WILL COME INTO HEAT OR WHELP, THEN THE BREEDER SHALL BE THE CARETAKER WHILE THE GUARDIAN FAMILY IS AWAY.

MAY NOT USE OR ALLOW THE USE OF THE DOG FOR BREEDING PURPOSES EXCEPT THOSE ARRANGED FOR BY THE BREEDER - DO NOT ALLOW DOG NEAR ANY INTACT MALES UNSUPERVISED

IF FEMALE IS FOUND TO BE UNABLE TO BE USED FOR BREEDING, DOG MUST BE SPAYED AT GUARDIANS EXPENSE, AND OWNERSHIP WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO GUARDIAN

WILL KEEP DOG CONTAINED IN A FENCE OR ON A LEASH WHEN OUTSIDE AT ALL TIMES

WILL KEEP DOG WELL GROOMED (NO MATS, NO HAIR IN THE EYES, ETC)

MUST ENSURE THAT ALL PERSONS RESIDING WITH THE GUARDIAN AND DOG UNDERSTAND & ABIDE BY THE CONTRACT

DURING THE TERM OF THIS AGREEMENT, GUARDIAN MAY PERMANENTLY RETURN SAID DOG TO BREEDER AT ANY TIME, AT WHICH TIME THIS AGREEMENT SHALL TERMINATE

BREEDER

WILL HAVE OWNERSHIP OF SAID DOG UNTIL THE AGREEMENTS IN THIS CONTRACT ARE FULFILLED

WILL PROVIDE GUARDIAN WITH DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING THE CARE OF DOG & ALL THAT IS EXPECTED. WILL ALSO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON RECOGNIZING WHEN FEMALE IS IN HEAT & HOW TO CARE FOR HER WHEN SHE'S PREGNANT

WILL VISIT GUARDIAN HOME 1-2 TIMES A YEAR AT PREARRANGED TIME - 1 UNANNOUNCED VISIT MAY ALSO OCCUR EACH YEAR - GUARDIANS ADDRESS IS

WILL GIVE 2 DAY NOTICE, AT MINIMUM, WHEN THE TRANSPORTATION OF DOG TO BREEDER IS NECESSARY

IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL EXPENSES RELATED TO TESTING/BREEDING

WILL HAVE RIGHTS TO 4-5 LITTERS - BREEDER WILL DECIDE WHEN BREEDINGS WILL TAKE PLACE & WILL DEPEND ON THE HEALTH OF THE FEMALE & HOW WELL SHE TOLERATES PREGNANCY, LABOR, AND MOTHERHOOD, ETC.

WILL TAKE POSSESSION OF DOG AT THE APPROPRIATE TIME FOR BREEDING & WHELPING

MAY REMOVE THE DOG FROM POSSESSION OF GUARDIAN AT ANY TIME FOR NON-COMPLIANCE OF THIS AGREEMENT, AT WHICH TIME THIS AGREEMENT WILL TERMINATE

IN THE UNFORSEEN EVENT THE DOG DIES WHILE WHELPING OR WHILE IN BREEDERS CARE, BREEDER SHALL GIVE GUARDIAN, AT NO COST, A PUPPY FROM THE LITTER THAT CAUSED THE DEATH OF THE FEMALE (IF THERE ARE ANY LIVE BIRTHS) AND GUARDIAN WILL GET FIRST PICK

ONCE THIS CONTRACT IS FULFILLED, DOG WILL BE SPAYED AT BREEDERS EXPENSE & OWNERSHIP WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE GUARDIAN FAMILY

IF PRIOR TO TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP FROM BREEDER TO GUARDIAN, THE FOLLOWING OCCURANCES HAPPEN, THE GUARDIAN AGREES TO PAY THE BREEDER A SUM OF \$15,000

GUARDIAN, INDEPENDENTLY OR WITHOUT THE EXPRESSED WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE BREEDER HAS THE DOG SPAYED

GUARDIAN INTENTIONALLY CAUSES INJURY TO THE DOG

DEATH OCCURS DUE TO NEGLIGENCE OF THE GUARDIAN

GUARDIAN ABSCONDS WITH THE DOG, FAILS TO ADVISE BREEDER OF ANY CHANGES OF ADDRESS, OR CEASES TO COMMUNICATE WITH BREEDER

NOTIFICATIONS & COMMUNICATIONS AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE MADE VIA:

EMAIL BREEDERS

GUARDIAN

PHONE BREEDERS

GUARDIAN

THE PARTIES ACCEPT AND AGREE TO BE BOUND BY THE ATTACHED TERMS AND CONDITIONS GOVERNING THE PLACEMENT OF PUPPY INTO GUARDIAN HOME

GUARDIAN PRINTED NAME

GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

DATE

BREEDERS PRINTED NAME

BREEDERS SIGNATURE

DATE