

## **SHIPPED SEMEN BREEDING CONTRACT**

### **Black Canyon Bass**

**Our breeding season is May 1st-July 31st unless special arrangements have been made**

This JACK BREEDING CONTRACT for the breeding season of 2025, is made and entered into on \_\_\_\_\_ by and between Buck Canyon Mules, LLC herein after Buck Canyon- designated breeder, and \_\_\_\_\_ hereinafter designated mare owner. Mare/jennet owner agrees to breed the Mare/jennet Name: Dallas (multiple mare clients please list mares on last page of contract), to the Mammoth Jack, Black Canyon Bass, for the fee of \$650.00 for one mare (if contract is signed prior to December 31st, 2024) and \$800 for one mare (if signed after January 1st 2025). Please contact us directly for information on breeding jennets and multiple mare/ jennet discounts. Discounts will be contingent on whether multiple semen shipments are required.

The full breeding fee is payable upon execution of this contract. Fee must be received before semen is shipped. Shipping fees will be paid for by the mare owner. Fees are payable by check, Paypal (please use friends and family or 3.5% fee added), Venmo or Zelle. Checks must be cleared before semen is shipped. Additional straws will require all shipping costs as well as \$75 collection fee.

#### Breeding Arrangements:

1. The Breeding Jack is collected as necessary. It is the mare/jennet owner's and his/her veterinarian's responsibility to confirm our shipping days. As we are a very small breeder, please call as far in advance as possible so we can work with your veterinarian and ensure we are able to collect and ship on necessary dates.
2. To guarantee shipping, mare/jennet owner, or agent, must give at least a 72-hour notice of possible semen shipment required to Buck Canyon and confirm shipment is definitely required 24 hours prior to actual shipment.
3. Every effort will be made to accommodate your mare/jennet's breeding time-frame; however, it is the mare/jennet owner's responsibility to keep in touch with Buck Canyon so that your veterinarian and ours can get your mare/jennet in foal on a timely basis. Failure to adhere to these arrangements may result in missed heats and delayed shipments, at the mare/jennet owner's expense. A veterinarian knowledgeable in successful insemination techniques must oversee all inseminations, in order to maximize the potential of a timely pregnancy.
4. Semen that is picked up from Buck Canyon by mare/jennet owner or agent will have a packaging cost of \$75.
5. If a mare/jennet dies or is deemed unfit to breed during the breeding season, a substitute

mare/jennet, approved by the jack owner, may be bred without any additional breeding fee. Mare/jennet must be owned or leased by the same mare/jennet owner as this contract.

6. The mare/jennet owner agrees to have the mare checked by ultrasound no later than 18 days after insemination. If ultrasound is unavailable, mare/jennet owner agrees to have the mare/jennet checked for pregnancy by licensed veterinarian within 30 days of insemination. Mare/jennet owner agrees to provide Buck Canyon with the results of the pregnancy exam no later than 30 days after insemination. Breeder agrees to diligently try to settle mare/jennet; however, if mare/jennet fails to settle, for any reason, mare/jennet owner will hold breeder blameless. The breeder will give mare/jennet owner ample opportunity to settle mare, including a minimum of 3 breeding cycles. Subsequent collection and breedings will incur additional fees (\$75 Collection fee and all shipping fees)

7. This Contract contains a 'Live Foal Guarantee'. A live foal is described as a newborn foal that stands and nurses without assistance. If foal is born dead there are return privileges for the 2026 season only if Breeder is notified within 7 days and receives a veterinarian's statement confirming death. If after being pronounced "safe in foal", the mare/jennet should miscarry, abort or prove barren after leaving the breeder's premises, mare/jennet owner has the privilege to request a new shipment date for rebreeding during the current breeding season, or the following year, 2026. Subsequent collection will require an additional \$75 fee plus shipping and handling costs.

8. Buck Canyon reserves the right to require uterine cultures, cytology, or a breeding soundness exam at any point to resume shipping. If mare is deemed unsound for breeding or requires treatment prior to further shipments, jack owner reserves the right to discontinue efforts until treatment or a suitable replacement mare is agreed upon by both parties.

9. If the mare owner fails to rebreed the mare the following year, then any and all fees become forfeited, the right to rebreed is canceled and the stallion owner is released from all further obligation of this contract, unless otherwise agreed in writing and signed by both parties. Furthermore, if the mare/ jennet fails to settle or produce a live foal after two consecutive seasons, then any and all fees become forfeited, the right to rebreed is canceled and the jack owner is released from all further obligation of this contract, unless otherwise agreed in writing and signed by both parties.

10. A 'Breeder's Certificate' will be issued for the foal conceived by this mating when jack fee, and all other expenses have been paid in full and, when mare/jennet has produced a live foal that stands and nurses by this mating. Both parties agree that Buck Canyon, the breeder, their agents or employees are not liable for death, sickness and/or accident including consequential damages caused to the mare/jennet and/or foal unless such death, sickness and/or accident was by the willful and wanton gross negligence of the breeder; and the mare/jennet owner is not liable for death, sickness and/or accident including consequential damages caused to the stallion. It is further agreed that should the jack die, be sold by the owner, or become unfit for service, prior to settling the mare/jennet, that the breeding fee less shipping will be refunded, if it has been paid in full, thereby canceling this entire contract; or, if mare dies or becomes unfit to breed, the breeder has the option to accept another mare/jennet as a replacement. This

contract is non-assignable and non transferable.

11. The mare/jennet owner is responsible for all personal property taxes and full insurance on mare and foal (if desired).

This contract is entered in the State of Colorado and will be interpreted and enforced under the laws of that state. If any clause in this contract is against state laws, then that clause shall be null and void.

Should either party breach this contract, the breaching party shall pay for the others court costs and attorney's fees related to such breach. This Contract represents the entire agreement between the parties. No other agreements or promises, verbal or implied are included unless specifically stated in this written Contract. Additional conditions should be individually initialed by each party. If none, check box. [ ].

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**Shipment Information and Additional Charges for Cooled Transported Semen** It is the mare owner's responsibility to order a shipment at least 72 hrs in advance.

1. Semen will be sent via UPS or Fed-EX (next day arrival – expect charges around \$250-\$300) within the lower 48 states per shipment depending on our shipping rates and the address we are shipping to.
2. If UPS or Fed-Ex delivery is not available within a 24 hr period, additional notice will be required. Mare/jennet owner should check with Fed Ex for weekend, holiday delivery or customer pickup.
3. Buck Canyon shall not be responsible for the COSTS arising from shipments lost, damaged, or delayed in transit, or condition of cooled shipped semen upon delivery. We have no control of the shipment after it leaves our custody.
4. Semen shipped in a Cooled Shipper ensures you receive the best possible quality.

Semen Shipment Contact person/ business (if different from Owner ie:Repro Vet):

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Contact person phone# \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person email: \_\_\_\_\_

Semen Shipping Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Shipping fees must be paid before shipment. An estimate will be provided prior to shipment.

When Mare/jennet owner and breeder sign this Contract, it will then be binding on both parties, subject to the above terms and conditions.

Sheri Hanson

Buck Canyon Mules, LLC

1901 Black Canyon Rd, Crawford, CO 81415

970-921-5373 home, 8326288189 cell

Breeders (or authorized agent's) Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Mare/Jennet Owner

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Owner address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers \_\_\_\_\_

Owner (or authorized agent's) Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Mare 1

Copies of registration papers if mare/jennet is registered and photos are appreciated.

Description of Mare/Jennet (List additional Mare/Jennets on the back):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Year Foaled/ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Color: \_\_\_\_\_

Breeding History (maiden mare, how many previous foal, unknown) \_\_\_\_\_

Breed/Registration # \_\_\_\_\_

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Year Foaled/ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Color: \_\_\_\_\_

Breeding History (maiden mare, how many previous foal, unknown) \_\_\_\_\_

Breed/Registration # \_\_\_\_\_

Mare 3

Copies of registration papers if mare/jennet is registered and photos are appreciated.

Description of Mare/Jennet (List additional Mare/Jennets on the back): Name:

\_\_\_\_\_

Year Foaled/ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Color: \_\_\_\_\_

Breeding History (maiden mare, how many previous foal, unknown) \_\_\_\_\_

Breed/Registration # \_\_\_\_\_

Mare 4

Copies of registration papers if mare/jennet is registered and photos are appreciated.

Description of Mare/Jennet (List additional Mare/Jennets on the back): Name:

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Year Foaled/ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Color: \_\_\_\_\_

Breeding History (maiden mare, how many previous foal, unknown) \_\_\_\_\_

Breed/Registration # \_\_\_\_\_

Return signed contract and appropriate fees to: Sheri Hanson

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