

DEAN'S TURTLE FARM

Reptile Adoption Agreement

Maryland Captive Reptile & Amphibian Permit #59177

ANIMAL INFORMATION

Animal Name: _____

Animal Species (Common Name): _____

Scientific Name: _____

ADOPTER INFORMATION

Adopter Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Maryland Captive Reptile & Amphibian Permit Number (if applicable): _____

EXPERIENCE & CARE

Do you have prior reptile experience? If yes, please explain:

Have you researched reptile veterinarians in your area? Yes No

Do you plan on breeding this animal? Yes No

ADOPTION TERMS & CONDITIONS

Assumption of Risk & Liability Transfer

By adopting this animal, the adopter assumes full responsibility and all risks associated with its care, handling, and ownership. Dean's Turtle Farm is released from any liability for injury, illness, damage, or loss that may occur after adoption. The animal is adopted **as-is**, with no guarantees regarding health, temperament, sex, or future behavior.

No Release Clause

The adopter agrees that the animal will **never be released into the wild** or abandoned under any circumstances. If the adopter can no longer care for the animal, they agree to contact Dean's Turtle Farm or surrender the animal to a legally compliant rescue.

Legal Compliance

The adopter agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws regarding possession, permitting, housing, and care of the adopted animal. Dean's Turtle Farm is not responsible for legal consequences resulting from noncompliance after adoption.

Veterinary & Medical Responsibility

All veterinary care and medical expenses incurred after adoption are the sole responsibility of the adopter. Dean's Turtle Farm makes no guarantees regarding future medical needs.

Indemnification

The adopter agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Dean's Turtle Farm from any claims, damages, or expenses arising from ownership or care of the animal after adoption.

This agreement is entered into on this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Adopter Signature: _____ Date: _____

Representative, Dean's Turtle Farm: _____ Date: _____