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ADOPTION AGREEMENT – FULL AKC REGISTRATION

Puppy Information:
Date of Birth:
Sire:
Dam:
AKC Litter Number:
Puppy Name:
Price:
Microchip Number:

Adopter Information:

Name:
Address:
Phone Number:
Email:

This puppy is guaranteed to be healthy at the time of sale. The Breeder does not assume any liability for any injury to the puppy after the Adopter takes possession of the puppy.

The Adopter agrees to have this puppy examined by a veterinarian within 72 hours of taking possession to assure the Adopter that the puppy is healthy. If the puppy is found to be other than healthy (excluding worms, coccidia, giardia or any other parasites common in puppies) at said veterinary visit, the puppy shall be returned to the Breeder immediately and the purchase price will be refunded. Written confirmation of health concern from the veterinarian is required.

This puppy is purebred and is registerable with Full Registration through the American Kennel Club. Full Registration allows breeding and registering offspring as well as being eligible to show in the breed ring. The Adopter will be given the application for AKC registration at the time that possession is taken. Temperament, breedability and conformation of the puppy are NOT guaranteed.

The Adopter agrees to maintain the puppy's health in good condition, feed a high quality food, maintain good weight control and provide yearly health examinations, vaccinations/titers, heartworm tests and any other usual procedures necessary to assure good health.

The puppy has had appropriate vaccinations for its age and a record of vaccinations, dewormings, and microchip information is supplied to the Adopter.

The Adopter agrees that this puppy will not be sold or ownership transferred without the Breeder's knowledge and consent. The Adopter will not sell the puppy to a pet shop, agent, or broker.

The Adopter agrees that if at any time proper care cannot be given to the puppy, the Adopter must contact the Breeder. The Breeder will have the option either to take the puppy back or to assist the Adopter in placing the puppy in a suitable home.

Every reasonable precaution has been taken to prevent this puppy from acquiring hereditary diseases.

Should this puppy develop Hip Dysplasia (Mild, Moderate or Severe), Elbow Dysplasia, Sub-aortic Stenosis, or Cataracts deemed hereditary by 24 months of age, the Breeder will take the puppy back and replace it with a puppy of equal value as soon as available. Costs to return and receive replacement puppy are at the Adopter's expense.

Hip and/or Elbow Radiographs must be submitted to and examined by the Orthopedic Foundation for Animals and results must be supplied to the Breeder. Sub-aortic Stenosis must be confirmed by Echocardiography and Doppler performed by a Board-Certified Veterinary Cardiologist and documents must be supplied to the Breeder. Eye exams must be performed by a Board-Certified Veterinary Ophthalmologist and documents must be supplied to the Breeder.

Environmental factors, like high caloric diet during the rapid growth phase, may exacerbate changes in dysplastic hips or elbows. Therefore the Breeder refuses to take responsibility for dysplasia in an overweight puppy and thus Adopter will not qualify for a replacement puppy. Veterinarian records must be made available to prove good weight control.

No replacement will be given if the puppy has not been examined by 24 months of age.

This document represents the entire agreement between the Breeder and the Adopter. No other promises or guarantees are made. The conditions of this agreement may only be changed in writing by mutual consent of both parties.

The Adopter has read and understands the Adoption Agreement with Full Registration in its entirety and agrees that all parts and portions thereof constitute a binding agreement. Further, signatures below acknowledge agreement and receipt of this agreement by both parties.

ADOPTER: _____   **DATE:** _____

BREEDER: _____   **DATE:** _____