Adoption Contract

Hooker Ranch Equine Refuge
5661 N FM 2869
Winnsboro, TX 75494
903.335.5390

DESCRIPTION OF EQUINE(S)

Name:

Microchip:

Color:

Breed:

Age:

Sex:

Origination:

ADOPTER INFORMATION

Name:

Address:

Number:

Email:

By THIS AGREEMENT made on
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By and between hereinafter referred to as the "Adopter" and Lisa Smith, hereinafter referred to as "Hooker Ranch Equine Refuge". Adopter agrees to donate the adoption fee of **$**.

1. Adopter understands that the equine identified in this contract has an unknown history prior to being purchased by Hooker Ranch Equine Refuge.

2. Any individual or organization in possession of the equine as of the date of the agreement and any time thereafter is bound to not sell the equine at auction for slaughter or allow the equine to be sold, transferred, released, or otherwise placed into possession of any person or organization that will cause or allow the equine to be sold at auction for slaughter. Adopter understands and agrees that the equine identified in this contract may not be sold, given away, lent, leased, or removed from adopter's personal supervision and control, or removed from the address described heron, except for emergencies, shows, trail rides and other temporary situations without written approval of the President or Vice-President of HRER. Should the equine not be at the location as stated heron upon inspections by the Organization representative, Adopter will immediately relinquish any rights or interest Adopter may have in the equine.

3. Equine may be relinquished, returned or picked up (by the organization) at any time if the adopter needs to return the animal.

4. Adopter agrees to meet the Organization's standards of care for said equine, maintaining good nutritional health, vet care, vaccinations, worming, dental care, and farrier care.

5. Adopter may not breed the adopted equine under any circumstances.

6. Should the Adopter decide that the equine is no longer wanted for any reason, adopter understands that the Organization has the first right of refusal of said equine and may attempt to place it with another foster or adopter. Adopter also agrees not to take equine to auction for resale. Doing such will be a breach of this agreement.
All adoption fees are non-refundable.

7. Adopter further agrees that adopter will accept all responsibility for any action or lien resulting from any action, directly or indirectly involving said equine while it's in Adopter's possession and under Adopter's care and control. Therefore, Adopter agrees and understands that neither the Organization nor its agents will be liable for any damages or injury caused to Adopter or any third person by the equine once Adopter receives delivery of the equine, including but not limited to damages or injuries caused by the fact that the equine does not behave or perform in the manner Adopter expected. Further, if any third person makes a claim against the Organization or any of its agents as a result of any conduct of the equine after the Adopter has taken possession of the equine, Adopter agrees to indemnify and hold the Organization and its agents harmless from any such claims, including costs and attorney's fees resulting from such claim.

8. Adopter represents that they have read and agree with all statements and agree to be bound by all conditions contained herein and signed by Adopter.

Signature of Adopter(s)

X_____

Date: //20

This contract is hereby accepted on behalf of Hooker Ranch Equine Refuge

Signature of agent (NAME)

X_____

Date: //20