

STAR D RANCH

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Shipped Semen Contract for 2006 season

This Stallion Breeding contract is made and entered into on this day, by & between Douglas Davis of Star D Ranch, hereinafter designated Breeder, & _____

hereinafter designated Mare Owner. Mare owner agrees to breed (mare's name & # next line)

_____ to the stallion

_____ for the fee \$_____ subject to the following conditions.

1. The Stallion fee includes a non-refundable booking fee of **\$200**, payable with this contract, the balance of which must be received with all other expenses including semen shipping fees at least 14 days before semen is shipped. A copy both sides of the mares papers must accompany this contract. Breeding Season is February 1 through July 31.

A. Normal Semen shipping fee in the continental United States is **\$200**. This includes lab and handling fees, temporary use of container, UPS overnight delivery. Because of the problems in shipping by air no counter-to-counter shipments will be attempted. Shipping fee includes enough semen to inseminate one mare in one cycle. (Before first shipment is made all shipping and half the breed fee must be received by the ranch at least 14 days prior to shipping. All following shipments if needed shall be paid when billed.)

2. Shipments may be denied if the following instructions are not followed. Mare owner **must**:

A. Contact Stallion Manager to see if the stallion is available and is not over booked at that time. Contact us a week before you think she will come in. On ranch mares will be bred first.

B. Notify stallion manager when mare is supposed to come into heat.

C. Notify stallion manager 48 hours before anticipated time of shipment.

D. Confirm order for semen before 10 P.M. CST the evening prior to day of shipment.

E. Inseminate only the one mare that is designated in this contract.

F. Return shipping container to ranch Fed Ex or UPS. (A penalty of \$50 will be assessed for containers not being received back at the ranch by the 7th day after leaving ranch.)

G. Have mare ultra sounded to check for pregnancy between day 14 and 18 after last insemination to avoid missing a heat cycle. **Written notice of pregnancy status must be received by Star D Ranch no later than 50 days after last insemination or live foal guarantee will be void.**

3. This contract contains a live foal guarantee. (Foal stands to nurse.) Upon the death of a foal before it stands to nurse a veterinarian's statement relating to the event must be received at Star D Ranch within 14 days of the event to prevent void of live foal guarantee. With privileges of re-breeding or substitution, at breeders option, of mares to take place no later than the following breeding season. (February 1, thru July 31) If the mare does not conceive in four shipments mare must be brought to Star D Ranch or a substitute made. If breeder determines that mare is not able to be bred he has the option to cancel this contract. If mare is exposed to another stallion at any time before a live foal is produced from this mating this contract is void and no refunds will be made.

