

**RS Quarter Horses
Shipped Semen Contract**

This stallion service contract entered into this _____ day of _____, _____ is by and between Ryan W. Schultz, hereinafter known as "Stallion Owner" and _____ hereinafter known as "Mare Owner", do hereby agree to breed the stallion _____ Reg. No. _____ to the mare _____ Reg. No. _____ via shipped semen for the current breeding year.

1. Stallion fee is hereby agreed to be \$_____, including a non-refundable booking fee of \$_____.

2. Mare is hereby certified to be breeding sound and free from condition which would prevent conception. Stallion owner strongly recommends a uterine culture be performed on mares that are currently barren, open, and not maiden.

Mare is currently: Maiden ____ Open ____ In foal ____

3. Stallion fee must be paid in full prior to ordering first shipment. It is further agreed that the following charges will apply:

a). Stallion collection/handling/shipping fee of \$225 to be paid prior to ordering semen.

b). Equitainer shipping container deposit of \$300, to be paid prior to ordering semen.

c). Mare owner is responsible for return shipping charges (2nd day air) on shipping container.

d). Equitainer must be returned to Stallion Owner within 72 hours of last insemination. Otherwise a late return charge will apply at a rate of \$25.00 per day.

ALL FEES AND COSTS MUST BE PAID BEFORE SEMEN WILL BE SHIPPED.

4. It is agreed that only the mare designated on this contract will be inseminated with the shipped semen and that she will carry her own foal, unless prior arrangements are made. A Registration Application/ Breeder's Certificate will be issued following the birth of the foal, providing all bills are paid.

5. It is agreed that the burden of conception is placed on the Mare Owner, veterinarian, technician or insemination station. It is also understood that the mare must be bred immediately, on the same day semen is received, and proper methods of handling must be used.

6. It is agreed that Mare Owner will have mare examined by an early ultrasound scan between 16-18 days of the last day inseminated and notify Stallion Owner of her pregnancy status. It is suggested that she have a pregnancy check by manual palpation at 30-45 days.

7. If conception does not occur after 2 heat cycles during the current breeding year, Stallion Owner requires submission of a negative uterine culture and/or progesterone assay on mare.

8. This contract contains a live foal guarantee. A live foal is defined as a newborn foal that stands and nurses, unassisted. Stallion Owner will provide a return privilege for the following year only, provided that a licensed veterinarian submits a statement of occurrence within 5 days.

9. Stallion owner is not responsible for lost, delayed, or damaged semen, and makes no representative or warranties of any kind with respect to semen, except that it is from booked stallion.

10. Any dispute arising out of this contract shall be arbitrated under the laws and jurisdiction of The County of Adams, The State of Pennsylvania.

Mare Owner _____ Date _____

Stallion Owner _____ Date _____