

Shipped Semen Stallion Service Contract

**Open Box Rafter Ranch
Faith, South Dakota
(605)538-4450**

This certifies _____, herein referred to as the Mare Owner, has engaged one breeding to _____ Registration # _____

for the breeding season of _____

for the following mare:

Mare name: _____ Breed _____ Reg.# _____

for the fee of \$_____ for a live foal, subject to the following conditions:

1. The stallion fee includes a non-refundable booking fee of \$_____ that is payable to the Breeder with this contract. The balance of \$_____ is due before any semen will be shipped.
2. A photocopy of the registration papers (both sides) of the Mare shall be sent to the Breeder with this contract. Mare Owner represents that the mare is healthy and sound.
3. It is highly recommended that Mare Owner send mare to a vet clinic or breeding farm for her heat cycle. They will coordinate optimum shipping times with our veterinarian.
4. Details and fees for shipment shall be arranged by the Mare Owner with the Breeder's veterinarian. Veterinary Clinic in this instance is Northern Hills Veterinary Clinic, Sturgis, South Dakota, Dr. L.M. Jones, attending veterinarian. The clinic can be reached at (605)347-3606. All fees for shipping and collection shall be paid directly to Veterinary Clinic. Please contact clinic for specifics.

For cooled semen, there may be an additional mileage charge of \$100. payable to the Breeder for transportation of stallion to Clinic; contact Breeder for specifics. This does not apply to frozen semen.

5. Breeder and/or Veterinarian must be notified of a request for a shipment of Semen at least 24 hours in advance of the requested collection date. Semen will be shipped on collection days only on an "as available" basis.
6. The breeding season for cooled semen shall begin _____ and close _____ of the year _____.
7. Live foal guarantee: Live foal means the foal shall stand and nurse. It is understood if foal is born dead, a return breeding will be offered for the following year only, providing Breeder is notified within ten days that the mare has slipped or produced a non-viable foal, and receives a veterinarian's statement confirming death. Mare Owner verifies that such abortion or death did not

result from any act or omission of the Owner. Rhino vaccinations must be administered as indicated by the individual drug manufacturer as the mare progresses through her pregnancy; failure to do so will void the live foal guarantee.

8. Third year rebreeds are subject to an additional booking fee plus any increases in the breeding fee. No live foal guarantee on third year rebreeds.

9. It is further agreed that should the above named stallion die, or become unfit for service, or, if the above named Mare dies, during the breeding season, then the Mare Owner may substitute another mare or breed the above named mare to another stallion on the ranch that is agreed to by both the Mare Owner and Breeder.

10. A breeder's certificate will be issued to Mare Owner after all expenses have been paid in full and upon notification of birth of foal.

11. This contract is entered into in the State of South Dakota, and is non-assignable and non-transferable. This contract represents the entire agreement between the parties. When Mare Owner and Breeder sign this contract, it will then be binding on both parties, subject to the above terms and conditions.

Date

Breeder's (or authorized agent's) Signature

Mare Owner's (or authorized agent's) Signature

Mare Owner's Address

City/State/Zip

Home Phone/ Work Phone

Cell Phone