

REHOME CONTRACT – Couches For Afghans

Adopter’s Name: _____
Physical Address: _____
Email Address: _____
Phone Number: _____

Adoptive Dog’s Name: _____
Breed: _____
Sex: _____ Age: _____
Color/Markings: _____
Date of last Vet check up: _____
DHLP _____ Rabies _____
Heartworm med _____
Next vaccinations needed _____
Next Heartworm med needed _____
Microchip ID _____

Adopting Agent’s Name: _____
Physical Address: _____
Email Address: _____
Phone Number: _____

I, _____, attest to the facts stated in my submitted Adoption Application. I agree to adopt the dog described above, now known as _____.

The following terms and conditions constitute a legal contract for the adoption of the dog referred to above (hereinafter referred to as “dog” regardless of age or sex) between _____ (hereinafter referred to as adopting agent) and _____ (hereinafter referred to as adopter). These terms and conditions are entered into and agreed upon by both adopting agent and the adopter and they acknowledge the legal worth of this contract.

To the best of adopting agent’s knowledge, this dog has no defects that would make it unsuitable as a family pet nor has the dog bitten or injured anyone. Adopter agrees to all of the following terms of this contract and understands that non-compliance with the terms of this agreement gives adopting agent or their representatives the right to reclaim this dog without refund of adoption fee and constitutes a breach of contract

Please initial if in agreement:

- ____ 1. To contribute an adoption donation in the amount of \$ _____.
- ____ 2. To ensure this dog will be allowed to lie on a couch.
- ____ 3. To provide shelter, fresh water, proper food and adequate companionship at all times.
- ____ 4. To provide annual veterinary examination, heartworm preventative, yearly stool samples, yearly vaccinations, rabies according to my state’s regulations, monthly flea prevention medication and dental care as determined by adopter’s veterinarian.
- ____ 5. To immediately license, and place identification on the dog with tags and collar and to comply with all local, state, and federal ordinances, laws, statutes, and regulations concerning animal ownership or guardianship, including but not limited to licensing requirements.
- ____ 6. To follow positive training methods.
- ____ 7. To ensure the dog is contained properly with leash control and/or fence. To only let the dog off leash in a controlled environment. This dog will NOT be tethered.
- ____ 8. To notify adopting agent immediately if this dog is lost, or stolen and to make every effort to locate the dog.
- ____ 9. If for any reason adopter is unable to keep this dog (this includes incarceration of adopter), adopter will notify the adopting agent/breeder to work with in finding an appropriate home for this dog without refund of adoption fee. Appropriate homes to be determined by the adopting agent. Transfer of ownership of this dog is strictly prohibited without prior written authorization of adopting agent. This dog will NOT be sold for research nor used in any capacity of dog fighting or dog breeding. In the event that we are contacted by animal control in regards to the dog, or incarceration of adopter - we reserve the right to take possession of the dog.
- ____ 10. To notify the adopting agent if adopter moves and give the new email address, physical address and phone number.
- ____ 11. The above dog will NOT be euthanized in a non-emergency situation without notifying adopting agent by registered letter and giving 14 days to respond.
- ____ 12. To notify adopting agent within five days of this date with an update of the above dog’s progress and again after adopter has owned the dog for one month, three months, and one year.
- ____ 13. To limit the number of animals acquired after this animal to a manageable number (county, city, state ordinances)
- ____ 14. The adopter agrees to allow an adopting agent representative to periodically check on this dog to be assured of compliance with items #1 through #13

ENFORCEMENT OF CONTRACT This Contract is binding and enforceable by Civil Law. Any breach of this contract in part or whole requires that the adopter voluntarily relinquish said dog and any papers that pertain to said dog to the adopting agent’s designated representative within five days of notification at the adopter’s expense without entitlement of any refund or damages of any kind.

ANY and ALL suits for the breach of or enforcement of this contract concerning dog and/or adopting agent must be filed in Jefferson County, Colorado. Noncompliance with this contract constitute a breach of contract on the part of the adopter and CFA will initiate a small claims court for the **maximum dollar amount permitted in lieu of the return of the dog**. Adopter will assume all court costs associated with any lawsuits arising from breach of contract.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNIFICATION Adopter promises and agrees to be solely responsible for this animal and to indemnify and hold harmless adopting agent from any and all claims of liability for the conduct of this dog on or after the date of this adoption and agreement of contract.

The undersigned adopter has been advised of these facts and agrees to all conditions of this contract.

Signature (Adopter)

Date

Signature (Adopting Agent)

Date