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 **Elmwood Labradors Stud Service Contract**

Stud dog information:

Registered name: Weatherby Clear and Calm of Hidden Springs

Registration #: AKC SS22588201

Call name: Weatherby

STUD FEE

( ) $500 paid as a service fee, with balance to be paid upon litter whelping

( ) First pick puppy to be determined by stud dog owner or designee

The fee for this service is $1,800 with the amount of $500 to be paid at time of breeding as a service fee, with the balance of $1,300 due upon the resulting litter. Litter registration papers will not be signed unless stud fee and any associated veterinary or other agreed upon expenses are paid in full. For fresh chilled, the additional cost of shipping and collection is the responsibility of the dam owner. Furthermore, if the dam owner desires two collections for one breeding, the cost of the additional collection, shipping and travel expense of $100 is the responsibility of the dam owner.

Other considerations: If puppy pick is agreed upon in lieu of payment, stud dog owner or designee will choose after examination of said puppy at 7 weeks of age, before any puppies from said litter have left the dam owner’s residence.

Definition “litter”: A litter, for the purposes of this contract, is defined as a minimum of 2 puppies born alive. If breeding does not take, a repeat breeding will be given to the same dam on her next season. If the dam fails to conceive on the return service, this contract is terminated. If other arrangements have not been made with the stud dog owner and the dam is not bred on her next season or is bred to another stud dog on her next season, the deposit is forfeited, and the contract is null and void. If litter results in only one puppy, and the dam owner does not wish to repeat the breeding, the deposit paid prior to breeding, plus expenses, will be considered payment for a one puppy litter and the contract is fulfilled.

STUD DOG OWNER AGREES TO:

1) Provide a four-generation pedigree of the above-named stud dog

2) Provide copies of any OFA or other clearances or testing results that have been performed

3) Sign litter registration promptly upon payment in full of stud service

DAM OWNER AGREES TO:

1) Provide documentation of AKC papers, acceptable OFA or PennHip, normal elbow clearance, cardiologist clearance and current eye clearance, genetic testing, and a current (less than one month) negative Brucellosis prior to any natural breeding of said dam. Furthermore, the dam owner will ensure the dam is in good health, free of parasites or infections, and in season.

2) Pay the agreed stud service fee prior to breeding or semen shipping

3) Pay the balance of the stud fee upon birth of litter resulting from this breeding

4) Provide a four-generation pedigree of the dam to be bred

5) Shall be liable for any loss of stud dog’s future services due to dam owner’s concealment of health problems

6) Warrants that this dam has not been exposed to any stud dog prior to this mating and that she will be protected from such exposure after breeding

7) Notify stud dog owner in writing, if the dam fails to produce a litter, as defined above. If notice is given to stud dog no later than 70 days after breeding, a return stud service by the same dog, will be provided upon request at the dam’s next heat. Failure of such notification within 70 days will result in no return service and forfeiture of service fee. Return service requires payment of stud fee in full prior to second breeding. Further, if semen was drawn and arrived in good shape and dam owner elects to use, the service fee will serve as the fee for the breeding plus the collection, handling and shipping of semen and this contract will be null and void.

8) Agrees that all puppies going into homes other than their own or other responsible or reputable breeders, will be sold on a limited registration with spay/neuter contracts highly recommended; furthermore, dam owner agrees to not knowingly sell or transfer puppies resulting from this breeding to any person or firm connected with the business of resale or wholesale of dogs, such as puppy mills, brokers, or pet shops. Moreover, the dam owner will not sell puppies to designer breeders nor those breeding non AKC recognized colors, such as silver, white or charcoal.

9) Pay any additional or veterinary charges prior to the registration application signing. Authorization for incurring additional charges will be obtained, as reasonable, from the dam owner before such charges are incurred.

10) Accept responsibility for all testing done to the dam prior to and during breeding to assure the proper timing of said breeding. If stud dog performs naturally and for some reason the dam owner asks for artificial insemination or the dam cannot be bred naturally, dam owner is responsible for cost of said process. If dam owner is not willing to pay for progesterone testing, smears or AI's, this should be stated ahead of time and included in the contract. If this is the case, and if no puppies result, the deposit is forfeited, and no repeat breeding is offered.

11) Agrees to provide stud dog owner with a list of names and addresses of owners of puppies resulting from this breeding along with the AKC names and numbers of each puppy. Puppies are sold at the discretion of the dam owner. Stud dog owner would appreciate being informed of puppies that are returned for any reason. An effort will be made on the stud dog owner’s part to help dam owner find a new home for said puppy. Stud dog owner wishes dam owner to understand that he/she takes the breeding of said stud dog very seriously and will be very interested in the puppies resulting from this litter for their entire lifetime.

FROZEN SEMEN: If dam owner elects to have frozen semen shipped to the dam, the entire cost is the responsibility of the dam owner. This fee is in addition to the full stud fee. There is no litter guarantee with frozen semen. Litter papers will not be signed until the remainder of the stud fee and the entire cost of the frozen semen expenses are paid in full.

By this contract it is specifically agreed that the stud dog owner is not obligated to sign the application for litter registration until, and unless, the stud fee and any other related financial arrangements have been paid in full, or, in the case of a puppy-back agreement (in lieu of stud fee), the stud dog owner has taken possession of the puppy as previously agreed. I understand the above written contract and agree to abide by all sections both typed and written.

Dam owner signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Stud owner Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Bred on following dates: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Semen ship dates: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_