



# HORSE INSTALLMENT SALE AGREEMENT

**1. PARTIES.**

This Installment Sale Agreement ("Agreement") is being entered into this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ (Month, Year) ("Effective Date") by:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ("Seller")  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ and  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ("Buyer")  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_.

**2. Description of Horse Purchased.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Color/Markings: \_\_\_\_\_  
Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate/Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Location: \_\_\_\_\_ ("Horse")

**3. PURCHASE PRICE.**

Buyer shall pay Seller \$ \_\_\_\_\_ United States Dollars ("Purchase Price") for the Horse. The purchase price shall be payable as follows:

**3.1. Initial Payments.** Buyer shall pay Seller \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars after the execution of this Agreement.

**3.2. Additional Payment.** The remaining balance of the Purchase Price shall be payable in equal monthly installments of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ each. The first installment shall be due on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ (month and year) with a like payment on the same day of each successive month thereafter (hereafter "Due Date") until the Purchase Price and all other charges are paid in full. The unpaid Purchase Price shall bear simple interest at the rate of \_\_\_\_\_% per year. Buyer may prepay the remaining balance of the Purchase Price at any time.

**3.3. Transfer of Possession.** Seller shall deliver possession or tender delivery of the Horse to Buyer upon Seller's (check one):

- \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt of the Initial Payment from the Buyer or
- \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt of ( \_\_\_\_\_%) of the Purchase Price or
- \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt of the entire Purchase Price or
- \_\_\_\_\_ On this date: \_\_\_\_\_ (Specified Date).

**4. LATE PAYMENTS.**

If Seller does not receive Buyer's payment within (5) days after its Due Date or if, Buyer's payment is returned for insufficient funds, Buyer will owe Seller a late fee of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (or, the maximum amount permitted by law).

**5. SECURITY INTEREST.**

Buyer grants a security interest in Horse to Seller to secure payment of the Purchase Price. This Agreement shall serve as a Security Agreement and authorizes the Seller, if he/she/it deems it necessary, to file and record a Uniform Commercial Code (UCC-1) financing statement in the appropriate jurisdiction.

**6. SELLER'S REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES.**

As of the Effective Date and at Transfer of Possession, the Seller makes the following representations:

- 6.1 To the best of Seller's knowledge, the Horse is in good health and condition.
- 6.2 Seller has provided Buyer with copies of Horse's vaccination records and other veterinary records in possession of Seller.
- 6.3 **SELLER MAKES NO WARRANTIES WHETHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. THE PURCHASE OF THIS HORSE IS SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF AN "AS IS" SALE.**
- 6.4 Seller is the sole owner of Horse and has all authority to enter into this Agreement.
- 6.5 There is no lien or encumbrance on the Horse.
- 6.6 Upon Seller's receipt of the Purchase Price, in full, Seller shall provide Buyer with Horse's registration papers, if any, and all other documents necessary to transfer registration of the Horse from the Seller to Buyer.

**7. RISK OF LOSS.**

Upon the Transfer of Possession as set forth in paragraph 3.3 above, Buyer assumes all risk of loss of or injury to Horse.

**8. ASSUMPTION OF RISK, INDEMNITY AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY.**

- 8.1 **Risk of Injury or Death to Buyer. Buyer understands that engaging in equine activities is an inherently-dangerous activity, and that, by so doing, Buyer is exposed to dangers both known and unknown. Horses are large, unpredictable animals which may be dangerous no matter how much training they have, no matter what level of experience Buyer has, and no matter what the situation. Buyer agrees and understands that Seller, together with his/her/its agents shall be released and held harmless from any injury, whether personal or to property, arising out of or related to equine activities involving the Horse.**
- 8.2 **Indemnity. Buyer shall indemnify and hold Seller harmless from any and all claims, demands, damages, liability, judgment or actions arising from Buyer's or any other person's use or handling of the Horse including all costs, attorney's fees, expenses or liabilities incurred in the defense of any such claim or any action brought thereon. Buyer assumes all risk of damage to property or injury to persons as a result of Buyer's use of the Horse and Buyer waives all claims in respect thereof against Seller, even if damage or injury arises out of the act or omission of Seller.**

**9. BUYER'S REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES.**

The Buyer expressly represents and warrants the following:

- 9.1 At all times Buyer is indebted to Seller for the Purchase Price of the Horse. Buyer shall provide and pay for all reasonable equine care for the Horse, including but not limited to board, food and water, veterinary care, hoof care, grooming and exercise.
- 9.2 At all times Buyer is indebted to Seller for the Purchase Price of the Horse, Buyer shall

board the Horse at: \_\_\_\_\_(address).

**9.3** Until the Purchase Price is paid in full, Buyer shall not remove Horse from the location specified in paragraph 9.2 above for any reason except with the prior written consent of Seller.

**10. DEFAULTS; REMEDIES.**

**10.1. Defaults.** The occurrence of any of the following events constitutes a default and breach of this Agreement by the Buyer: 1) The failure by Buyer to make any installment payment or any other payment required to be made by Buyer hereunder, as and when due, where the failure continues for a period of five (5) days; 2) the failure by Buyer to observe or perform any of the covenants, conditions or provisions of this Agreement which Buyer is required to observe or perform.

**10.2. Remedies upon Default.** If Buyer is in default or materially breaches this Agreement, Seller shall have the right at any time thereafter, without notice or demand and without limiting Seller in the exercise of any right or remedy which Seller may have by reason of the default or breach to: 1) declare the remaining unpaid Purchase Price immediately due and payable upon written notice to the Buyer; 2) Terminate Buyer's right to possession of the Horse by self-help repossession or any other lawful means, in which case this Agreement shall terminate and Buyer shall immediately and voluntarily surrender possession of the Horse to Seller. If Seller takes possession of Horse, Buyer will have \_\_\_\_\_ (days) days from the date that Seller takes possession of Horse to deliver the remaining amount of the Purchase Price to Seller, plus any expenses incurred by Seller in recovering possession of Horse. If Buyer does not deliver the remaining unpaid Purchase Price plus Seller's expenses to Seller within the \_\_\_\_\_ (day) period, Seller may retain all monies paid by Buyer pursuant to this Agreement and Buyer shall forfeit any right, title, interest or claim to the Horse; 3) Pursue any other remedy now or hereafter available to Seller under the laws or judicial decisions of the state whose laws govern this Agreement. Additionally, Seller shall be entitled to recover from Buyer all damages incurred by Seller by reason of Buyer's default including, but not limited to the cost of recovering possession of the Horse and reasonable attorney's fees and court costs. Any unpaid installments or other sums shall bear interest from the date due at the rate of \_\_\_\_\_ percent ( %) or the maximum rate permissible under state law.

**10.3. Default by Seller.** Seller shall not be in default unless Seller fails to perform obligations required of it within a reasonable time, but in no event later than thirty (30) days after notice by Buyer to Seller, specifying in what manner Seller has failed to perform such obligations.

**11. Notices.**

All demands, notices, consents, or other communications required or permitted to be given or sent by either party to the other, shall be deemed to have been duly given (1) if delivered, by personal delivery, when delivered, (2) if mailed, three business days after being deposited in the United States mail, certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, and postage prepaid, to the address below ( 3) if sent by courier, the business day after being sent by a nationally reputable overnight courier service.

Seller: \_\_\_\_\_

Buyer: \_\_\_\_\_

**12. ASSIGNMENT OR TRANSFER.**

No party may assign or transfer this Agreement without the prior written consent of the other parties.

**13. ATTORNEYS' FEES.**

In the event that suit or arbitration is brought under or in connection with this Agreement or to enforce the Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover from the losing party reasonable attorneys' fees, costs and expenses incidental to any such proceedings, including reasonable attorneys' fees incurred in collecting any judgment awarded as a result of liability established pursuant to this Agreement

**14. GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE.**

This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas. Any legal action commenced to enforce or interpret this Agreement shall be brought in state or federal courts with the appropriate jurisdiction, located in Collin County, Texas. The parties hereto consent to both venue and jurisdiction.

**15. ENTIRE AGREEMENT.**

This Agreement contains the entire agreement among the parties. Any modifications or additions must be in writing and signed by all parties to the Agreement. No oral modifications will be considered part of the Agreement unless reduced to writing and signed by all parties.

**16. COUNTERPARTS.**

The Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original. All of which together shall be deemed as one and the same instrument.

SELLER

BUYER:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date

Date