**BINDING TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

I hereby agree to the following adoption terms and conditions for the cat/kitten which is to be placed into my home:

1. I agree to keep this cat/kitten **indoors** and to provide it with food, fresh water, shelter, and kind treatment at all times.

2. I agree to take this cat/kitten to a veterinarian for yearly exams and immunizations per my veterinarian’s advice. I will also seek immediate veterinary attention for this cat/kitten should it become ill or injured.

3. I agree to protect this cat/kitten from abuse/neglect and to not allow it to be used for experimental purposes.

4. I agree that, if for any reason whatsoever, the adoption of this cat/kitten proves unsatisfactory or if I am no longer able to provide adequate care for the cat/kitten, I will contact Kitty Queen Cat Rescue to make arrangements to return the cat/kitten to their care. I will not place the cat/kitten with any other person or shelter/rescue group. I understand that if I return the cat for any reason that my adoption fee is **NON-REFUNDABLE.** I agree that if at any time I feel I am unable to be bound by any and all terms of this contract, I will immediately notify Kitty Queen Cat Rescue to reclaim custody of the cat/kitten.

5. I agree to allow a representative from Kitty Queen Cat Rescue to call or visit my home in order to ensure that the cat/kitten is receiving the proper care. Kitty Queen Cat Rescue also has my permission to contact my veterinarian anytime in the future to ensure that proper veterinary care is being given to the cat/kitten as per this agreement.

\*\*\* 6. I understand that the temperament, health, or training of this cat/kitten cannot be guaranteed in any way. All cats/kittens are given a vet check, spayed/neutered, and provided with age-appropriate vaccines, as well as observed for temperament behaviors before they are put up for adoption. Every cat reacts to their new environment in a different way. Some may hide for a few days to a few weeks. Some may transition well. Every situation is different and I will do my due diligence to commit to at least 30 days of proper introduction techniques and do everything I can to ensure the best chance at integration for my new cat. If I have troubles or develop concerns, I will first reach out to Kitty Queen Cat Rescue for guidance and advice. If after 30 days, progress has not been made, I will contact Kitty Queen Cat Rescue for return of the cat/kitten and understand that my adoption fee is NON-REFUNDABLE.

7. I understand that, by signing below, I hereby release Kitty Queen Cat Rescue harmless for any and all animal bites, scratches, and/or any other injuries or death that may occur to me, members of my family, or any other people/animals by the cat/kitten. I agree to hold Kitty Queen Cat Rescue harmless for any and all damages or destruction done by the animal to my property or to any other property with which the cat/kitten named comes into contact with.

8. I understand that this contract is a legal adoption agreement, that all the conditions must therefore be followed, and that this cat/kitten cannot be sold or given to anyone else without the express written consent of Kitty Queen Cat Rescue

9. I agree to NOT at any time, for any reason, **DECLAW** the cat(s) included in this contract or any cat adopted from Kitty Queen Cat Rescue

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CONSENT**

I hereby agree to all of the above terms and conditions. I have read, or have had read to me, the above agreement which was explained to me by a Kitty Queen Cat Rescue Representative; and I agree to be legally bound by the terms and conditions stated. I certify that I am eighteen (18) years of age or older, of sound mind and conscience, and a resident of Pennsylvania. I certify that all of the information given to Kitty Queen Cat Rescue in this application is true and correct. I understand that my request to adopt any animal may be denied for any circumstance or situation that could be deemed not to be in the best interest of the animal, or is determined to be in violation of state or local ordinances. I authorize investigation of all statements in this application. I also authorize my veterinarian to release any information that would be helpful in determining my suitability as an adopter to a representative of Kitty Queen Cat Rescue Kitty Queen Cat Rescue reserves that right to take back adopted cat/kitten if this signed contract is not being followed.

Adopter name (print and sign):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Adopter Phone Number:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Adopter Email Address:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name of cat being adopted:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Microchip Number (if applicable):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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