

FROZEN CANINE SEMEN RELEASE FORM - ICSB-OREGON™

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<THIS IS A 2 PAGE FORM, BOTH PAGES REQUIRE SIGNATURE PRIOR TO SHIPMENT>

This form must be completed by the semen owner and submitted to ICSB-OREGON before frozen semen can be released. This form **IS NOT A TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP**. Please try to submit this form to arrive at ICSB-OR at least 3 working days before requested shipping date. If notice is less than two days, a STAT fee will apply as follows: 1-day notice - +\$45; Same day notice - +\$75. Shipments requiring delivery to or from an airport will incur additional charges by ICSB. It may not be possible to ship frozen semen if notice is given to late. THIS FORM WILL EXPIRE 90 DAYS FROM THE DATE LISTED BY SIGNATURE OF OWNER BELOW. IF NO ACCURATE DATE IS LISTED BY THE SIGNATURE LINE BELOW, ICSB WILL FILL IN THE DATE. **FAX 503-676-8025**

Registered Name of Dog _____

Breed _____

Registry and Number _____

NUMBER OF VIALS TO RELEASE: (Circle) **ONE TWO THREE OTHER** _____

ICSB Recommends ONE vial per insemination. Using more than the recommended number of vials has been not been proven to increase conception rates.

Ship to: Name _____ Phone # _____

Veterinary Facility _____ FAX or e-mail: _____

Address _____
_____ Zip/Country Code _____

For use by: Bitch Owner _____ Phone # _____

Address _____
_____ Zip/Country Code _____

Registered name of bitch to be bred _____ Reg. # _____

The semen shipment should be shipped to arrive on or before _____ (Date).

IF A DATE IS UNKNOWN AT THE TIME OF SUBMITTING THIS FORM PLEASE ENTER "WILL CALL" FOR THE DATE OF SHIPMENT.

This shipment will be insured to cover the shipping tank replacement in the event of damage/loss during shipping. Additional insurance to cover the value of the semen may be purchased at the carrier's rate (usually UPS, FedEx, or Air Cargo), however, **many carriers will not insure perishable goods**, so insurance may not cover loss of the items shipped, if this occurs. If you wish to insure the contents, please indicate the amount, knowing the carrier may not honor the claim \$ _____. **Please Note: ICSB and its affiliates make no guarantees, expressed or implied, that conception will occur, or that the frozen sperm cells are viable or will remain viable at the time of, or after, the cells are frozen. In the event of loss or damage of frozen semen due to natural causes due to weather, fire, storage/shipping tank failure, or shipping accident/damage, ICSB will not be held liable for the loss or the replacement value of the frozen semen.**

Signature of semen owner _____ Date _____

Printed name of semen owner _____ Phone _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Shipping costs are usually paid by the bitch owner. **The semen owner is ultimately responsible for all costs. Any chargebacks by the credit card holder listed above will be reimbursed to ICSB by the semen owner. The semen owner is responsible for informing the card holder listed above of the fees involved in shipping and preparing frozen semen from their account at ICSB. Frozen semen shipments are not completed until the shipping tank is returned undamaged to ICSB. Additional charges may be applied up to 6 months after shipment occurs.**

Please complete and return this form to ICSB-OR, P.O. Box 651, Sandy, Oregon 97055. Please use only -- FAX: 503-676-8025 OR E-mail: ik9sb@aol.com to send this form to ICSB. Postal service is not recommended and may delay the shipment.

BELOW FOR OFFICE USE ONLY Ship Prep _____ : Tank Rental _____ : Date Shipped _____

Stat Fees _____ : Shipping Charges out: _____ back: _____ Tank # _____ :

ICSB policy is to provide use of the shipping tank for domestic shipments for 7 days at a charge of \$75 (some veterinary clinics will be higher). On the eighth day, a daily rental of \$15.00 applies until the shipping tank is returned, or until the replacement cost is reached. Use of Semen Release Forms older than this current version (9/2011) is not advised, and may result in additional fees. Prices subject to change without notice. RF1/11

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PROCEDURES FOR UTILIZING YOUR STUD DOGS FROZEN SEMEN

When you wish to utilize the frozen semen you have stored at ICSB, the following steps should be followed in order to assure that shipping and artificial insemination are carried out efficiently.

- 1. Check your account with ICSB.** Your account should show a zero balance in order for frozen semen to be released for shipment. If you have any questions about your account, please call.
- 2. Notify ICSB early in the bitch's estrous cycle.** For example, on the first or second day that you notice a red vaginal discharge from the bitch, send ICSB a completed "FROZEN CANINE SEMEN RELEASE" form.
- 3. Allow 3 to 4 days for shipment** of the frozen semen. Usually, ICSB can ship sooner than this; however, allow a safe margin of time for the shipment to be handled. It is very difficult, or may be impossible, to ship with just one days' notice before a bitch needs to be bred, or on a holiday or weekend. **For shipments requested with less than 2 days' notice, or ASAP, an additional handling, "STAT" fee is charged.** (Normally a 24-hour period of time is required to charge the shipping tank prior to retrieval of the frozen semen and transfer to the shipping tank.
- 4. When you request ICSB to ship your dog's frozen semen,** please be sure you complete the **FROZEN CANINE SEMEN RELEASE** form, listing the name, address, and telephone number of the shipment destination. **Specify how many vials of semen to release for shipment. (One vial = One insemination).** In most cases, 1 or 2 vials are shipped. We accept **Visa, MasterCard, or American Express** for the shipping charges, and usually the bitch owner will pay for the preparation and shipping of the frozen semen. In some instances cash, cashiers check or a money order may be required for pick up of frozen semen. **Please note that ICSB cannot release frozen semen without the completed FROZEN CANINE SEMEN RELEASE form. A COMPLETED FROZEN CANINE SEMEN RELEASE FORM IS NOT A TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP!**
- 5. ICSB will arrange for the shipping of your dog's frozen semen.** If ICSB does not have a trained inseminator close to the bitch to be bred, then we will provide detailed written instructions and telephone assistance. We have many litters resulting from artificial insemination by untrained inseminators. The retrieval and thawing of the frozen semen involves just a few steps and is not difficult.
- 6. Shipping charges, tank rental and return are ultimately the responsibility of the semen owner. It is often very expensive to ship frozen canine semen, if cost is a concern please call for a shipping estimate. We are happy to provide an approximate quote for shipping.** At this time, we ship the frozen semen one of three ways: UPS, FED EX, or AIR CARGO. For domestic shipping, there is a tank rental charge of \$75 (some Veterinary clinics will be higher) for the first 7 days; beginning the day the tank leaves our facility. On the 8th day, a daily tank rental fee of \$15 is charged until the tank is returned, or until the replacement cost of the tank is reached. **IT IS A VERY GOOD IDEA** for the semen owner to emphasize the rental fee to the recipient, and that it is necessary for the bitch owner or veterinarian at the bitch's location to return the shipping container as quickly as possible to avoid additional rental charges.
- 7. In the event of loss or damage of frozen semen due to weather, fire, storage/shipping tank failure, or shipping accident/damage, ICSB will not be held liable for the loss or the replacement value of the frozen semen. Prices subject to change without notice**
- 8. Sperm cells will eventually cease living, but no one knows or can predict when this will occur, and it can vary from dog to dog. ICSB-OR shall not be held liable for, and cannot guarantee conception from, frozen canine semen. Nor can ICSB-OR guarantee that the frozen sperm cells will be viable at the time of thawing for insemination. ICSB is not responsible for differences in thaw rate and quality of sample as determined by inseminator.**
- 9. ICSB cannot be held liable for any damages to the semen once the semen is released from ICSB.**

LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

In any event, ICSB's liability, as well as that of any of its principals, employees or agents, if determined, shall not exceed the total compensation received by ICSB under this agreement. This limitation of liability applies for any and all claims, losses, expenses, injuries or damages, arising out of or in any way related to the performance of this agreement by reason of any act or omission, including breach of contract, negligence, errors, omissions, strict liability, breach of warranty or any reason whatsoever, not amounting to a willful, wanton or intentional wrong. This limitation of liability includes, but is not limited to claims for lost profits, loss of use, and costs of replacement special damages and/or indirect or consequential damages whatsoever, caused by ICSB, its principals, employees or agents.

In the event that any dispute arises between the parties to this agreement, you agree that the dispute shall be governed by laws of the State of Oregon, USA, without regard to any conflict of law provisions and you agree to the exclusive personal jurisdiction and venue in the state and federal courts located in City of Portland, Oregon, USA.

In the event of any lawsuit or claim being made to enforce the terms of this agreement, the prevailing party in such lawsuit or claim shall be entitled to an award of their reasonable attorney fees and costs.

By my signature below, I authorize International Animal Semen Bank, LLC, dba International Canine Semen Bank (ICSB) – Oregon to perform services for me. I agree to all statements made in the document preceding this signature and any statements made in the following document. I understand ICSB does not guarantee fertility or successful fertilization. I also understand ICSB is not responsible for services rendered by non-ICSB individuals. My payment for ICSB services is due at the time of the service. Other charges may be applied to my credit card at a later date, if additional services are necessary. ICSB may or may not notify me of these additional charges prior to charging my credit card. Any charges may be made without my permission. In the event I initiate a chargeback, I understand I will be charged additional office fees. If ICSB has to prove in any way that I authorized the use of my credit card, I will incur additional fees from ICSB for personnel time required to prepare a response to my chargeback. I also agree that any person I allow to access my frozen semen at ICSB, or any person that pays fees billed to my account at ICSB will be guaranteed by me. Any person I ask ICSB to bill on my behalf will be informed by myself of fees or charges made by ICSB to their credit card. If the person reverses any charge at ICSB I will be held liable for reimbursement to ICSB immediately. It is my responsibility to ensure ICSB is paid for all services performed by or charged through ICSB to my account at ICSB.

Sign and Date Below:

Signed: _____ Dated: ____/____/____

I authorize ICSB to charge any amount to my credit card provided herein. I agree that I will pay for this purchase in accordance with the issuing bank cardholder agreement. ICSB has offered to provide an estimate of these charges to me. ICSB has informed me that any charges will be billed to this card without informing me of amounts unless I ask directly for an estimate prior to my credit card being charged. I agree to any fees ICSB charges to my credit card.

Cardholder Name Print: _____

Credit Card Number: _____ - _____ - _____ - _____

Expiration Date: _____ / _____ (CCV#): _____ (Zipcode): _____