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Droopy Basset Hound Rescue of W. PA

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ADOPTION AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into this _____ day of _____, _____ relates to the following rescue Basset Hound and Adopting Person(s)

Name of Dog: _____ Sex: NM SF

Color / Markings: _____

Age / Date of Birth: _____

ADOPTING PERSON(S):

NAME: (Please Print) _____
(Husband & Wife, if married)

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

TELEPHONE Home: (_____) _____ E-Mail: _____

Basset Rescue has observed the following characteristics of this dog's temperament and physical condition:

This is not a warranty as to temperament, physical condition, or health. As of the date of this agreement, the Adopting Person(s) assumes responsibility for the rescue dog's actions and shall hold Droopy Basset Hound Rescue and its individual members free from all claims for personal injury, injury to others, and/or property damage associated with this adoption. The Adopting Person(s) have read and agree to all terms of adoption listed on the back of this form, which terms are a material part of this Agreement.

AGREED TO AND ACCEPTED BY:

Signatures of Adopting Person(s) (Date)

Signature of Droopy Basset Hound Rescue Agent (Date)

TERMS OF ADOPTION

1. ADOPTING PERSON(S) AGREES THAT THE RESCUE DOG WILL BE A HOUSE PET AND WILL RECEIVE ALL CARE AND ATTENTION NECESSARY TO ENSURE ITS HEALTH AND WELL BEING. Adopting person(s) will provide adequate food, fresh water, shelter, exercise, veterinary care, and yearly inoculations as recommended by attending veterinarian, and license said dog in accordance with state and local laws.
2. ADOPTING PERSON(S) WILL NOT PERMIT THE RESCUE DOG TO RUN FREE OR OFF LEASH OR OUT OF IMMEDIATE CONTROL. When outside, the dog will never be staked out or chained unattended.
3. ADOPTING PERSON(S) will provide indoor sleeping quarters for the rescue dog.
4. ADOPTING PERSON(S) will not transport the rescue dog in an open pick-up truck bed or boat (with out dog life jacket). Bassets do not Swim well!!! Do not allow Basset near water with out supervision.
5. ADOPTING PERSON(S) will submit a minimum donation of \$150.00 to Basset Rescue prior to or at the time of adopting the dog. There will be a 30 day trial period during which the adoption fee, less \$10 processing cost, will be refunded to the adoptive family should the placement not work out and the dog be safely returned to Basset Rescue. After 30 days there will be no refund.
6. ADOPTING PERSON(S) agrees to telephone Basset Rescue immediately if the rescue dog becomes lost or stolen.
7. ADOPTING PERSON(S) will notify Basset Rescue at least ONE WEEK prior to any change of address.
9. ADOPTING PERSON(S) WILL KEEP THE RESCUE BASSET HOUND FOR SO LONG AS IT SHALL LIVE AND WILL NOT TRANSFER THE OWNERSHIP TO ANY OTHER PERSON. The Rescue dog may not be transferred to any other person, firm, corporation or organization for any reason.
10. IF CUSTODY OF THE RESCUE DOG MUST BE RELINQUISHED, Adopting person(s) agrees to notify Droopy Basset Hound Rescue IMMEDIATELY to arrange for its re-adoption.
11. THE ADOPTING PERSON(S) TAKES THE RESCUE DOG AS IS, WITH ALL DEFECTS EITHER OBSERVABLE OR UNOBSERVABLE, AND ASSUMES FULL RISK FOR THE DOG FROM THE DATE OF SIGNING OF THIS AGREEMENT. Though care is given to physical condition and temperament evaluation of each Basset Hound that is accepted into Droopy Basset Hound Rescue, and every possible effort is made to provide a rescue dog which is compatible with the Adopting Person(s) home, no warranty, either expressed or implied, is made as to the physical condition or temperament of this dog.
12. ADOPTING PERSON(S) agrees that violation or failure to comply with any of the terms of this Agreement may, at the sole discretion of Droopy Basset Rescue be constructed as a forfeiture of the right to retain possession of the dog. In the event of such forfeiture, Adopting Person(s) shall surrender the dog within twenty-four (24) hours after receiving a demand from Droopy Basset Rescue. Adopting Person (s) specifically agrees that Droopy Basset Rescue may enforce this provision in the Circuit Courts of Pennsylvania.