



**Release of liability Owner**

Hired Horse handlers after referred to as 'Runners' and

Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Herein after referred to as 'Owner' of registered Friesian Horse(s), named:

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being handled by the runners and presented in the ring for the KFPS Friesian breed inspection/keuring. Runners shall perform all services in accordance with generally accepted professional standards. Runners cannot and do not guarantee the effect of the handling or that any particular results will be achieved, since this depends a great deal on the individual physical and mental ability of each horse.

1. Hold Harmless: During the time that the horse(s) is/are in custody of The Runners, Runners shall not be liable for any sickness, disease, death or injury which may be suffered by the horse(s) or any other cause of action whatsoever, arising out of or being connected in any way with to the handling of said horse(s), Owner agrees to hold harmless, indemnify and defend runners against, any and all claims, demands, causes of action, damages, judgments, orders, costs or expenses, which may in any way arise from or be in any way connected with Owners use of Runners service.

2. Inherent Risks and Assumption of Risk. The Owner acknowledges there are inherent risks associated with equine activities such as described below, and hereby expressly assumes all risks associated with participating in such activities. The inherent risks include, but are not limited to the propensity of equines to behave in ways such as, running, bucking, biting, kicking, shying, stumbling, rearing, falling or stepping on, that may result in an injury, harm or death to persons on or around them; the unpredictability of equine's reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movement and unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals; certain hazards such as surface and subsurface conditions; collisions with other animals; the limited availability of emergency medical care; and the potential of a participant to act in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to the participant or others, such as failing to maintain control over the animal or not acting within such participant's ability. Therefore Owner acknowledges that horses, by their very nature are unpredictable and subject to animal whim. Owner assumes ALL inherent Risks and Assumption of Risk in connection therewith, and expressly waives any claims for any injury or loss to said animal arising there from or from how the horses are handled /presented.

Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_