WELSH PONY & COB SOCIETY OF AMERICA, INC. 720 Green St., Stephens City, VA 22655

STALLION ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION PERMIT APPLICATION

I hereby acknowledge that I have read and agree to be bound and abide by all Welsh Pony and Cob Society of America guidelines for artificial insemination. I understand that noncompliance with these guidelines will be reviewed by the Board of Directors and any resultant foals may not be eligible for registration. It is also acknowledged that all artificial insemination breedings are my responsibility, regardless of who performs the work. It is also acknowledged that the Welsh Pony & Cob Society of America is held harmless and free of liability in all cases of artificial insemination, any representation, agreements or guarantees between any and all parties involved.

I have enclosed the \$100 (non-refundable) application fee and hereby request an Artificial Insemination Permit. I understand that the annual Stallion Service Report must indicate any mares artificially inseminated and that an additional permit is required for frozen semen. I hereby certify that as the stallion owner or lessee I am an active member of the Welsh Pony and Cob Society of America. I agree to the guidelines of the Welsh Pony and Cob Society of America and I understand I will lose the right of registering any foal inseminated artificially should the authorized permit be removed for any infraction of the regulations governing the use of Artificial Insemination.

Signature of Recorded Owner(s) or Lessee(s)	Date
Name of DNA Typing Laboratory	Date of DNA Typing
Stallion Name	Registration Number
Sire's Name & Number	Dam's Name & Number
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Office Use Only	
Permit Number Issued:	Date:

PROGRAM TO ALLOW ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION

- 1. Permits for the use of A.I. will and must be issued for stallions participating in the program prior to any breeding via A.I. taking place.
- 2. Stallion permits are a one-time fee of \$100.00 to the stallion owner. *DNA typing of the stallion must accompany the application for a permit to use A.I. When ownership of a stallion changes, a \$10.00 permit transfer fee is charged.
- 3. Purebred mares and foals must be *DNA typed prior to the application for registration being processed by the WPCSA. Registration of the foal will only be made if the foal's DNA type is in harmony with that of the listed sire and dam. In addition, standard registration procedures will be followed.
- 4. Stallion owners must file the standard Stallion Service Report with the WPCSA and designate which mares were bred via A.I.
- 5. Stallion and mare owners must be a member of the WPCSA in order to participate in this program. +
- 6. Permits and the rules published by the WPCSA must have a liability clause stating that all agreements, guarantees and representations are strictly between the stallion owner and the mare owner. The WPCSA does not endorse nor guarantee the use nor participation in any particular A.I. program.
- 7. The approval of Artificial Insemination will allow the use of A.I. on and off the farm.
- 8. If AI and natural service are used within 42 days of each other, the resulting foal will be considered an AI foal unless proved otherwise by ultrasound.
- 9. Foreign stallions must be registered with the Welsh Pony & Cob Society of America in order to participate in the AI program.

Frozen Semen:

- 1. The use of frozen semen will be allowed under the following rules:
- 2. All requirements for AI permits must be completed before an additional permit for frozen semen use can be issued at a one-time fee of \$15.00. When ownership of frozen semen changes, a \$5.00 permit transfer fee is charged.
- 3. Owners of frozen semen must be members of the WPCSA.
- 4. All other rules and regulations pertaining to AI are applicable to the use of frozen semen.
- 5. * DNA typing for Welsh Ponies and Welsh Cobs can only be done through the Welsh Pony and Cob Society of America, Inc. A DNA typing kit can be obtained for \$40.00, which includes the DNA typing fee, by contacting the WPCSA, P.O. Box 2977, Winchester, VA 22604. DNA typing will be done via the University of California at Davis, Serology Laboratory, School of Veterinary Medicine or any other source approved by the Welsh Pony and Cob Society of America.
- 6. + For Half-Welsh registrations in the A.I. program, the owner of the non-Welsh parent is not required to be a member of the WPCSA or have the non-Welsh parent DNA typed in order to register the Half-Welsh foal. However, the Welsh parent and the Half-Welsh foal must be DNA typed in order to register the Half-Welsh foal through the A.I. program.

These rules are approved by the Welsh Pony and Cob Society of America Board of Directors and will be amended by the Board as needed.