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BREEDING CONTRACT FOR RATCHETTS IMPRESED (IMP USA) (on farm) BETWEEN EquiNetics (J & L Hall) AND

Mare Owner's Name _____

Address: _____ Post Code: _____

Phone No Home: _____ Business Hrs _____ Mobile _____

Email: _____

Mares Name: _____ Reg No's: _____

Breed _____ Mares Condition: _____ (Maiden / Foal at Foot / Empty / In Foal)

Stallions details - Ratchetts Impresed (Imp USA) (The stallion)

Registration # 8311 (Paint Horse Assn of Australia) 277,555 (American Paint Horse Association), Chestnut Overo
The stallion is owned by Jeffrey & Lee Ann Hall of EquiNetics.

The **mare owner** and the **stallion owner** mutually agree to abide by the following terms and conditions:

- 1. SERVICE FEE** The Mare Owner agrees to breed the above listed mare to the stallion during the designated breeding season ending December 31st for the specified stallion service fee of \$1000-.. Service fee payable and due on a 21 day positive pregnancy test by veterinarian or prior to mare leaving Hallmark Farm, which ever is the earlier. A non-refundable (deducted from service fee) booking fee of \$250- is required with this contract.
- 2. VETERINARIAN** During the term of this contract, the Stallion Owner will provide all services in accordance with accepted industry standards, including but not limited to hiring a veterinarian at the mare owner's expense to care for mare owner's horse/s if required. Veterinary fees must be paid to the veterinarian by the mare owner, The Veterinarian that attends Hallmark Farm is Gympie Veterinary Hospital.
- 3. LIVE FOAL GUARANTEE** A Live Foal Guarantee (LFG), offered by the stallion owner in the stud fee, shall be provided if the mare is not in foal, produces a foal that is stillborn or is unable to stand and nurse. The mare owner will receive a return service in the year following or by negotiation with the stallion owner. The mare owner is responsible for all veterinary and handling fees for any return breeding. If necessary an alternative mare may be substituted in that year by agreement with the Stallion Owner. In the event of death of the specified mare tested in foal a return service may be given to the mare owner at the time to an alternative mare. In the event of sale of the mare tested in foal notification must be given to the stallion owner upon sale of the mare within 21 days to enable Live Foal Guarantee to carry over to the new mare owner
- 4. OVERO LETHAL WHITE FOAL** - It is EquiNetics policy to not breed overo mares to overo stallions to inhibit the possibility of producing a lethal white foal. EquiNetics recommends that OLWS negative tested mares only be used for breeding to OLW positive stallions. In the event of a Lethal White Foal being produced a rebreed will be offered with a \$250- rebreeding fee payable to the stallion owner plus all other regular breeding expenses.
- 5. THE MARE.** The mare must be quiet and have been halter broken, able to be caught easily, tie up and be able to have her legs and feet handled. The mare must be free from infectious or contagious diseases and in good physical and sound breeding condition. A veterinary swab will be conducted prior to breeding the mare, or the mare may arrive at Hallmark Farm with a veterinarians certificate to verify her condition. This is done to protect all mares and the stallion from the spread of contagious disease.
- 6. DOCUMENTATION.** A breeder's / service certificate for Paint Horse Association of Australia (PHAA) will be issued after a 42 day positive pregnancy test or before July the following year after all costs and charges have been paid and when all appropriate documentation as been completed. If the resulting foal would be eligible for registration with the American Paint

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Horse Association (APHA) the appropriate breeding return will be lodged with APHA by the stallion owner. Please ensure a copy of the mares registration certificate/s are supplied to Hallmark Farm to ensure all details are correct.

- 7. DEATH OF STALLION** Should the stallion die, become unfit for service or be sold, the Stallion Owners liability is discharged fully in respect of a live foal guarantee. If another stallion owned by the stallion owner is available at Hallmark Farm the stallion owner may negotiate for a substitute breeding if both mare owner and stallion owner agree, allowing for any +/- in service fee applicable to the substitute stallion .
- 8. RISK** Responsibility for insurance and risk of loss passes to the mare owner with this contract. The mare owner assumes the unavoidable risks inherent in all horse related activities, including but not limited to accident, theft, illness, death, loss, damage and injury to the mare owner's horse(s), owner and family members. The owner agrees to look solely to his/her insurance, if any, for compensation for any such loss and further agrees to indemnify and hold harmless, the stallion owner, their families and employees.
- 9. BOARD AND AGISTMENT** EquiNetics aims to care for the mare to your requirements. Refer to Breeding Centre fees list for board costs. Special needs will be catered for by arrangement.
- 10. BREEDING PRACTICES** – Mares will be bred either by live cover or by on farm artificial insemination, whichever the stallion owner / agent deems the most appropriate method for the mare, taking into consideration safety, health and well-being of the mare, the stallion and any handlers. There is no additional semen collection fee for on farm artificial insemination.
- 11. INVOICING AND PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS** All fees, including but not limited to, serve fee and board, must be paid in full prior to release of mare from Hallmark Farm. EquiNetics will issue invoices for any amounts due and payable at least once monthly to the Mare Owners address as shown on this contract.

I/We have read the above breeding contract and fully understand the terms and conditions as written.

Signature of Mare Owner _____ Date ____/____/____

Signature of Stallion Owner _____ Date ____/____/____

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Please do not hesitate to call or email for any questions that you may have..
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**BE SURE TO LET US KNOW WHEN YOUR MARE FOALS AND WE WOULD LOVE PHOTOS TOO.
 REQUIRMENTS PRIOR TO ACCEPANCE:**

- a) Original Signed Contract
- b) Payment of \$250- deposit
- c) COPY OF MARE'S REGISTRATION PAPER/S, BOTH SIDES.
- d) Completed Mare information sheet

Payment can be made by cheque, cash, direct credit or credit card. A credit card fee of 3% applies.

Bank details for direct credit are – BSB 062-676 A/c 1023 9476 – CBA Orana Mall Dubbo – J & L Hall t/as Equinetics

