

Regulations governing use of canine frozen semen and certifications of the stud dog owner, of owner of dam inseminated, and attending veterinarian.

Each person (i.e., any individual, partnership, firm, corporation, association or organization) engaged in the

collection, freezing and storage, shipping, and insemination of bitches with frozen semen shall follow such practices and procedures and maintain such records as will preclude any possibility of error in the identification of any individual dog or doubt as to the parentage of any dog or litter.

I. NOTIFICATION OF *FIELD DOG STUD BOOK* BY THE COLLECTOR

The *Field Dog Stud Book* shall be immediately notified by the collector of the collection and freezing of canine semen. Such notification shall identify: donor stud dog by breed, registered name and number; the number of breeding units collected; date stored; address of storage facility; name and address of owner of donor stud dog. These special forms are available at americanfield.com.

II. RECORDS TO BE KEPT BY THE COLLECTOR

- A. Identification of stud dog: Breed, *FDSB* registered name and number of stud dog, sex, color, principal markings of donor stud dog. Color photographs of donor-dog (full front and full side views). Date of birth. *FDSB* registered name and number of sire and dam. Name and address of owner of donor-dog.
- B. Collection of semen: Date on which stud dog was received. Owner's authorization of semen collection. Date semen collected, frozen and stored. Number of breeding units stored. Form of semen storage (pellets, ampules, vials, straws, etc.) Container in which each breeding unit is stored shall be indelibly imprinted to show: *FDSB* registration number and breed of donor stud dog; date semen collected.
- C. Disposition of semen: Identification of shipped semen. Number of breeding units shipped. Name and address of person to whom semen shipped. Date(s) semen shipped. Authorization of semen for shipment by owner.

III. RECORDS TO BE KEPT BY OWNERS OF DONOR STUD DOGS

Owners of dogs from which semen has been collected, frozen and stored, shall maintain the following records: *FDSB* registered name and number of donor-dog. Date dog was shipped to collector. Name and address of collector. Number of breeding units collected, frozen and in storage. Location of the semen storage.

IV. RECORDS TO BE KEPT BY OWNERS OF SEMEN OF DONOR STUD DOGS WHEN BREEDING HAS BEEN ARRANGED

Identification of semen (breed, *FDSB* registered name and number of donor-dog, date semen collected). Number of breeding units authorized for shipment and insemination. Date of shipment and to whom semen was shipped. *FDSB* registered name and number of bitch to be inseminated. Name and address of owner of bitch.

V. RECORDS TO BE KEPT BY BREEDERS

Owners (or lessees) of bitches inseminated shall maintain the following: Name and address of veterinarian who handled insemination. *FDSB* registered name and number of bitch inseminated. Date(s) of insemination. Identification of semen (breed, *FDSB* registered name and number of donor-dog, date semen was collected).

VI. TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP OF FROZEN SEMEN

Records required of owners of dogs from which semen has been collected and stored, and records required of collector (if semen is held in storage), must also note transfer of ownership of semen. Such records are to include: Authorization of transfer. Number of breeding units transferred. Name and address of new owner. Date of transfer. The *FDSB* shall be immediately notified of such transfer of ownership of frozen semen.

VII. LOCATION OF STORED SEMEN

in the event semen is stored at a facility other than the facility at which it was collected, frozen and initially stored—or in the event all or part of the collected frozen semen is transferred to a new owner (see VI.) the owner or new owner shall immediately notify *Field Dog Stud Book*. Such notification shall include: Identification of semen (Breed, *FDSB* registered name and number of donor-dog, date semen collected). Number of breeding units relocated. Date transferred to new storage facility. Name and address of storage facility.

The *Field Dog Stud Book* may require such additional certification from the owner of the stored frozen semen, owner (or lessee) of the bitch, and the veterinarian who inseminated the bitch as shall be necessary to support application for enrollment of a litter or registration of dogs produced by the use of frozen canine semen.

The *Field Dog Stud Book* may refuse to enroll any litter or accept for registration any dog resulting from the use of frozen semen for the sole reason that the enrollment and registration applications are not supported by the records required by these regulations.

It is required that all litters produced from frozen canine semen be enrolled in the *Field Dog Stud Book* before individual dogs from these litters are accepted for registration.

SECTION A - To be completed by Owner or Co-Owner of Semen:

I CERTIFY that I am the: Owner Co-Owner of Frozen Semen of the

Male: _____, _____
(Breed) (Field Dog Stud Book Registered Name & Number of Stud)

and that I authorized use of shipment by _____ of Frozen
(Name of Shipper of Semen)
Semen

collected from this stud dog to _____
(Name & Address)

for the purpose of inseminating the Bitch _____
(Field Dog Stud Book Registered Name & Number)

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Address: _____

SECTION B - To be completed by Owner or Co-Owner, or if leased, Lessee, of Dam:

I CERTIFY that I am the: Owner Co-Owner or Lessee of the

Female: _____, _____
(Breed) (Field Dog Stud Book Registered Name & Number of Stud)

and that on _____, I delivered the bitch to _____
(Date) (Veterinarian)

_____ (Address)

and authorized him / her to inseminate this bitch with semen collected previously from the stud:

_____ (Breed) _____ (Field Dog Stud Book Registered Name & Number of Stud)

I CERTIFY further that no other stud serviced this bitch artificially or otherwise prior or subsequent to this artificial breeding during the bitch's season.

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Address: _____

SECTION C - To be completed by Veterinarian:

I CERTIFY that on _____, I received Frozen Semen of the above named Stud from
(Date)

_____ (Name & Address)

I inseminated the bitch named above with said semen on the following date(s) _____

I affirm that the container, breeding unit no.* _____ was sealed when presented to me and that none of the semen was used to inseminate any other bitch.

Insemination was performed at the following address:

_____ (Address)

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

License No.: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

*Breeding unit identification must include breed, FDSB registration number of stud and date semen collected.

This form, completed with required signatures, to be submitted with Field Dog Stud Book Litter Enrollment Application Form.