

The following are Terms and Conditions for breeding Mare to Stallion via shipped cooled semen:

1. The mare owner shall contact KQH Ranch **in advance** to shipping with intentions to breed said mare thru the use of shipped semen. Please remember that a **signed breeding contract, signed shipped semen Instruction sheet, all deposits and fees for collection and shipment, and all breeding fees and expenses must be submitted and paid to KQH Ranch prior to making a request for any shipment. All checks must have cleared the bank, and all PayPal payments must have also cleared. KQH Ranch will be notified when mare has been given Lutalyse to bring her into heat so an estimated date can be penciled in the following week for semen. It is the mare owner's responsibility to communicate with the stallion owner in advance when semen is anticipated & how the vet follow-up appointments on follicle development are coming along after each appointment so stallion owner can plan for anticipated upcoming shipment and have help lined up for collection. Communication is important!**
2. All shipping charges will be the Mare Owner's responsibility. The shipping charge for a standard overnight delivery is approximately \$100- \$235 depending on your location & how far away you are. **Late Calls for semen shipment will be subject to an additional \$75.00 - \$100 late fee (depending on how late it is)** that must be paid before semen is shipped. **All estimated Shipping charges must be paid in full before semen will be shipped to the Mare.** Keep in mind Friday shipments are Saturday Fed Ex/UPS deliveries and FedEx/UPS charges approximately \$25 more for those shipments because they are Saturday deliveries. You will pay the exact charge from FedEx or UPS and we will provide you with a receipt from them. We do not mark up any shipping charges. **Shipment fees remaining will be due to KQH Ranch within 7 days. Late fees will be accessed on fees not paid at 18%.**
3. Shipment will take place when KQH Ranch receives confirmation from Mare Owner or mare owner's vet that the mare has been checked and is ready to breed. Semen to be ordered by **phone by 3PM**, the **day PRIOR to collection day**. Make sure you specify the mare's name and your name. Also - **verify the stallion you are requesting semen from**. The semen may be used **ONLY** for the designated mare. **KQH Ranch cannot guarantee semen shipment availability for late calls, but will do its best to provide service. Any late calls that can result in a shipment may be subject to a \$75.00- \$125 late charge, which must be paid prior to shipping.**
4. Shipping is done on **Monday's, Wednesday's and Friday's**. Our first goal is to help our customers succeed in a successful pregnancy.
5. When you receive your shipment you will find a shipped semen transport sheet detailing the collection numbers and information inside the box. **This box must be returned within a few days back to our farm with the ice pack(s) & transport sheet, along with the difference in shipping fees. The box should be wrapped or put inside another box & can be sent thru regular mail at the post office. All instructions are on the bottom of the transport sheet, including the fees charged for not sending back the shipper box and contents, or in a timely fashion.**
6. Mare owner agrees to have the mare pregnancy checked by a licensed veterinarian as soon as possible, and will notify KQH Ranch when the mare is checked safely in foal.
7. A Transported Semen Breeders Certificate will be issued for the foal conceived by this mating when stallion fee and all other expenses have been paid in full and mare has produced a live foal by this mating.

I have received and agree to these Terms and Conditions for shipping cooled semen:

Mare Owner \_\_\_\_\_ Stallion Contracted to: \_\_\_\_\_

Mare Owner Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Address for Delivery of Shipped Semen**

Name of Facility \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Please sign a copy & return to us & also give a copy to your vet.**