



AMERICAN MINIATURE HORSE ASSOCIATION

Cooled Transported Semen Permit Application 2009 Calendar Year (January 1 through December 31)

FEES:

Permit: \$100
 **\$500 Penalty Fee per incident for transporting semen without a permit on file with AMHA.

Credit Card: _____ Visa _____ MasterCard
 _____ Amex _____ Discover

Card Number: _____ / _____ / _____ / _____
 Expiration Date: _____
 Name on Credit Card: _____
 Signature: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date Received: _____
 Work Order No.: _____
 Permit No.: _____
 Dates Reports Mailed: _____

Instructions: Complete this application in full. Any blanks will delay processing.

Stallion's Registered Name _____

Registration Number _____

Address where collection to be conducted _____

Veterinarian/Technician/Facility to Perform Collection _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

(____) _____
Telephone

"I hereby acknowledge that I have read and agree to be bound by the rules and regulations as described in the 2008 American Miniature Horse Association Rule Book. I also understand that non-compliance with these rules may subject me to monetary penalty and or disciplinary action and any resultant foal may be ineligible for registration. I also understand that the use of proper technology for shipping, and using transported semen is the responsibility of the owners of the stallion and mare involved. The AMHA, their directors, officers and employees assume no responsibility for the success or failure of the breeding process. Breeding contracts are contracts between the stallion and mare owners only. Further, if any mare does not conceive within the calendar year during which she is inseminated with transported, cooled semen, a new permit must be applied for and the fee paid before semen may be transported in the subsequent year.

Stallion Owner/Agent—Printed Name _____

AMHA Membership Number _____

Stallion Owner/Agent Signature _____

Date _____ Daytime Telephone Number _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Number of Collection/Insemination Reports Needed: _____

Mail to: _____

Return this form to the American Miniature Horse Association

(817)783-5600

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- A. **On Premise Artificial Insemination:** A foal shall be considered eligible for registration which is conceived by artificial insemination involving the use of semen that is used immediately following collection (time lapse not to exceed 24 hours) and at the place or premises of collection.
- B. **Cooled Semen Transportation:** A foal shall be considered eligible for registration which is conceived using cooled semen (not frozen) transported from the location of collection, if other association rules and the following conditions are met:
1. Before semen may be transported from the location of collection, the stallion owner, lessee of record or authorized agent (all hereafter shall be referred to as stallion owner) at the time of permit application, shall apply and pay the yearly fee for the transported semen permit (see fee schedule at end of rule book.) This permit is effective for the calendar year (January 1– December 31) during which the semen must be collected and used. The permit fee is non-refundable or transferable. In addition to hand or pasture breeding mares, a stallion will be limited to twenty (20) mares exposed to transported cooled semen and on premise artificial insemination or any combination of the two procedures during one calendar year.
 - a. This permit will:
 1. Be issued to the stallion owner upon receipt of the above fee and the DNA genetic testing of the stallion on record with AMHA.
 2. Identify the stallion from which the collection is taken.
 2. Once a permit has been issued, a collection-insemination report must be completed and sent with each inseminate by the stallion owner.
- This report requires a portion to be completed and mailed to the AMHA by the mare owner. This report will certify the identity of the collected stallion and date as well as the inseminated mare and date. The collection and insemination shall be overseen/conducted by veterinarians/ technicians as attested by their signatures certifying that the appropriate stallion and mare have been correctly identified from the horses' original registration certificates.
3. The mare must be inseminated within 72 hours of collection.
 4. The mare owner shall contact the stallion owner to arrange for transportation of semen. Any fees charged by the stallion owner in connection with providing the transported cooled semen are between the mare owner and the stallion owner.
 5. Should the mare for which a collection insemination certificate was issued not conceive within the calendar year, the stallion owner must apply for a new permit and fee paid before insemination with transported cooled semen is attempted in the subsequent year.
 6. Prior to the completion of the registration application for a foal conceived through the use of transported cooled semen, the applicant shall have the DNA genetic testing of the dam and the foal on record with the AMHA, and the foal's parentage must be verified.
 7. There will be a \$500 penalty fee per incident for transporting semen without a permit.
- C. The stallion service report shall include all mares exposed to transported cooled semen whether or not a mare conceives. Said services report will distinguish between artificial and natural (hand or pasture breeding) services and transported cooled semen.

Annual Transported Semen Fee per Stallion

ANNUAL FEE PER STALLION	\$100.00
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**A \$500 PENALTY FEE PER INCIDENT WILL BE ASSESSED
IF SEMEN IS TRANSPORTED BEFORE A PERMIT IS PURCHASED.**

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NOTICE TO MARE OWNERS:

All foals resulting from transported semen must be parentage qualified before the registration can be completed.