

## **DETERMINING CONTROL OF COVERING RIGHTS OR THE RIGHT TO USE DOSES OF SEMEN WHEN YOU SELL OR LEASE A STALLION.**

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR STALLIONS OF THESE BREEDS:-

PRE FUSION HORSES, SPANISH SPOTTED SADDLE HORSES, SPANISH-NORMAN HORSES, & ALBION AZTECA HORSES

This section has two opposite functions, firstly (i) to enable a Seller to retain X number of coverings or doses of semen from a stallion that is being sold, and secondly (ii) to allow a stallion to be leased for a couple of breeding seasons. In both cases the Spanish Studbook Covering Certificates or BAPSH Studbook Covering Certificates will have to be issued by the person to who is actually registered as the stallion's current Owner.

i) In the first situation the buyer of the horse completes a contract with the seller that is lodged with the BAPSH Ltd Registry Office at the date of the sale and Transfer of Ownership. The contract states that the buyer of the horse is required to recognize and accept the fact that the seller currently has X number of vials of semen from said horse, which he/she may use as seen fit.

The buyer is obliged to facilitate and agree, in conjunction with the BAPSH Ltd Registry Service, to issue an **agreed number** of Breeding (Covering) Certificates for said Stallion, for use by the seller as of the date indicated on the registration of the Transfer of Ownership.

If the same horse changes ownership (is transferred or sold) again, the new seller is obliged, by the original agreed commitment, to inform the next new owner about the previous owner's possession of X number of vials of semen.

Please use this ANCCE-LGPRE example contract below as the basis for your own Stallion Semen/Covering Certificate Contract and amend it as appropriate to meet your requirements. A copy of the agreement **MUST** be sent to the BAPSH Ltd Registry office **AT THE DATE OF SALE & TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP.**

### **[ANCCE SEMEN SALES CONTRACT 2016-01-31](#)**

ii) There does not appear to be any ANCCE-LGPRE system for specifically leasing a stallion for one or more breeding seasons, but it is possible to adapt the Semen Sales Contract to form an agreement between the registered owner of a stallion and the breeder leasing the stallion which clearly states the time-frame of the lease period, the number of mares that may be covered during the breeding season (lease period), or the number of doses of semen that may be collected from the stallion in the same period. The registered owner of the stallion will thus be obligated via the agreement to issue X number of Covering Certificates for the agreed breeding season on behalf of the lessee.

**NOTE:** The registered owner of the Stallion has **no obligation** to issue any extra Covering Certificates to the lessee which are **more than the number agreed with the lessee.**

A copy of the Stallion Loan agreement **MUST** be sent to the BAPSH Ltd Registry office **BEFORE the start of the breeding season.**