

**CERTIFICATE OF COMMITMENT
AND KNOWLEDGE
FOR THE ACQUISITION OF A CAT**

Compliant with L214-8 V and D214-32.4 of the 'code rural et de la pêche maritime'



- Acquiring a cat is a long-term commitment, which must be thought through and accepted by all members of the household, who must all ensure that the animal does not suffer in silence.
 - Although a cat is not a social species, it requires your presence and availability as well as an enriched environment in order to satisfy its hunting and exploration instincts.
 - A cat must be provided for and loved in conditions compatible with the characteristics of its species and its breed.
 - For this, I undertake to follow the advice of the breeder relating to my cat's good physical and psychological development, contained in the information document which is given to me at the time of the transfer.
 - A cat must be fed daily and with sufficient food adapted to its size and its age. It must permanently have clean and fresh water; I will therefore provide an annual budget for its routine maintenance (food, accommodation, activities and veterinary care). This budget is in accordance with the decree of July 31, 2012 and as provided to me in the information document.
 - My cat will be regularly monitored in order to carry out booster vaccinations and referred to a veterinarian in the event of apparent illness or doubt as to a health problem or illness. I have the possibility of subscribing to a mutual health insurance for a portion of these costs.
 - A cat must be treated regularly to prevent internal and external parasites.
 - It is advisable to have my pet sterilized and for this, I will contact a veterinarian.
 - My cat is identified by chip (transponder) or by tattoo reference to the I-CAD company which manages the national register of domestic carnivores. I undertake to report any new event to I-CAD without delay: change of address, change of holder, declaration of loss to theft, or death of the animal.
 - In the event of absence, hospitalization or vacation, I must plan for my cat to be looked after and for that I could use a professional feline boarding place.
 - I am responsible for my animal and the damage it could cause. As soon as my cat is acquired, I will declare it to my civil liability insurer.
 - My cat should not be left straying. I know that this constitutes a criminal offense that can attract up to 1 year in prison and a €15,000 fine.
 - Abandoning an animal is illegal and punishable by 3 years in prison and a fine of €45,000.
 - In the event that I cannot keep my animal, I undertake to notify my breeder and to take all measures to find a responsible family for my animal and, if necessary, I will contact a shelter or an animal protection association.

I the undersigned

acting as (future purchaser of a kitten/cat)

Stamp of the shelter or animal protection association

undertake vis-à-vis my cat to respect the rules related to the detention of an animal of the feline species.

Handwritten note: "I certify on my honor that I have never been convicted of any acts of animal abuse. I expressly agree to respect the needs of my cat."

For translation purposes only;
please sign the French version

Certificate of Commitment signed/..../2022

Signature of the purchaser preceded by the words "Good for commitment"

Certificate established by the SNPCC for any breeder meeting the requirements for issue under the conditions provided for in 3° of I of article 214-6-1