Angelica Ragdolls

Kitten/Cat Contract

Agreement between Buyer and Seller

Seller: Angelica Ragdolls of TICA

A contract must be signed when purchasing an Angelica Ragdoll kitten or cat. This contract is designed to protect the buyer, the seller, and the welfare of the kitten or cat.

BUYER's Information Required:

Buyer:			
Address:		Apt#:	
City:	State:	Zip:	
Phone:	Cell:		
Email:			
Angelica Ragdolls Inforn	nation:		
This Kitten/Cat is purcha Rights)	sed as a: (Pet) (Show Prospe	ect) (Breeder –	different contract and also get Breeder
Kitten/Cat?			
Date of Birth:	Gender	:	
Color & Pattern:			
Reference name (if any):			
SBT# if already registered adult cat:			with TICA
Sire:	TICA or 0	CFA Reg #s:	
Dame:	TICA or (CFA Reg #s:	
Purchase Price:	Deposit: _		Received on:
With balance paid:	Received on:		
Delivery/pick up which is	s scheduled for:	at	AM/PM.
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Final payments must be made in cash or via PayPal unless they are mailed ahead of time. No checks will be accepted at delivery. Deposits are non-refundable.

SELLER OBLIGATIONS:

- 1. The Seller, Angelica Ragdolls, will have lovingly raised this Angelica kitten with hours of playing, snuggling, and petting in a free-roam home environment, free of cages, constraints, smoke, or any cruelty.
- 2. Kitten/cat will be groomed, well-adjusted, happy, and healthy at time of purchase.
- 3. Your Angelica kitten has nursed until it has been weaned and has been drinking filtered water changed daily.
- 4. Your Angelica kitten has been eating cooked chicken and Life's Abundance Instinctive Choice wet food at least twice daily but have a constant supply of dry "Life's Abundance cat food" out and available. Their cat and kitten foods have been thoroughly investigated by us and have not been subject to the pet recalls affecting so many other pet food brands. Whole meat and no chicken and turkey by-product meals are used. It is a very well-balanced food and the meat is human grade. Every bag you receive from Life's Abundance is less than 6 weeks old. No other brand in stores is that fresh. The probiotics in the food are truly still alive and it's guaranteed by them or your money back. We have tried premium store brands and none have come close to the wonderful results this brand has given. You can visit PetBizTeam.com for additional information about pet foods and recalls. NOTE: Never feed a strictly dry food diet as an all dry diet will cause PICA and other serious health problems. Wet food provides biologically available nutrients and crucial moisture to keep your Angelica adult or kitten sufficiently hydrated. A mostly moist food diet is best for optimal health.
- 5. Avoid products with corn which causes many of the allergy problems in cats.
- 6. The Seller has carefully selected the parentage of your Angelica kitten for optimum health, temperament, beauty, and personality. Your Angelica kitten will likely have Quadruple Grand Champion parentage or bloodlines.
- 7. The Seller will provide the Buyer with a copy of a three or five generation pedigree upon request, or if purchased as a breeder.
- 8. The Seller, Angelica Ragdolls, provides a 72-hour limited health warranty that the above kitten/cat is in good health and is free from upper respiratory infections, fleas, or mites.
- 9. The Seller will have completed all health care up until delivery at Seller's expense, including ageappropriate vaccinations against panleukopenia (feline distemper), calcivirus, and rhinotracheitis. A copy of the kitten's health record will be given to the buyer at the time of purchase. At that time, all healthcare will become the responsibility of the new owner.

- 10. The Seller also warranties that the kitten is free of the feline leukemia virus (FeLV), and the feline immunodeficiency virus (FIV) at the time of purchase.
- 11. If the Buyer chooses to inoculate for feline infectious peritonitis (FIP), FeLV or FIV, the warranty is invalidated. In addition, the Seller will not warranty the kitten against any adverse reactions to future vaccinations, or any future health problems other than genetic defects.
- 12. If the kitten described above dies within two years of the date of purchase due to a congenital or hereditary defect, the Seller will replace the cat with a cat or kitten of similar or better quality or a refund of all or part of the purchase price, at the discretion of the Seller. To determine if the cat's death has been caused by a congenital or hereditary defect, the Seller must receive proof of the defect in the form of a complete necropsy report and a complete medical history provided by the attending veterinarian, performed at the Buyer's expense. Only a hereditary or congenital defect that causes death will be cause for a replacement. Accidental deaths and other problems will not be covered. The Seller will make every attempt to replace the cat with a kitten/cat of similar or better color, marking, and quality.
- 13. If this kitten/cat is found to have been neglected by the Buyer, or in ill health for an unreasonable length of time, or if the Buyer does not abide by the terms of the contract, the Purchaser will surrender said kitten/cat to Seller unconditionally.
- 14. The Seller will give the Buyer the kitten's pedrigree and TICA (The International Cat Association) registration form(s) in a timely manner upon request.
- 15. The kitten/cat's litter will be registered with TICA. Any additional registrations will be at the option of the Buyer and their responsibility.

BUYER OBLIGATIONS:

- In order to validate this warranty, the Buyer must take the kitten to a veterinarian within 72 hours, at the Buyer's expense. The Buyer must notify the Seller of any claim under the warranty immediately. Any necessary treatment or other expenses are the responsibility of the Buyer. All health-related decisions and expenses are the responsibility of the owning party.
- 2. If the veterinarian finds any physical problems that make the veterinarian think the kitten is a poor health risk, the veterinarian should write and sign a note on his/her letterhead stationery, explaining his/her findings within the first 72 hours.
- 3. Buyer agrees to feed their Angelica Ragdoll kitten Life's Abundance cat food and supplements during the 2 year guarantee. Buyer agrees to sign up with Life's Abundance using the Order Cat Food link on the kittens page of our website to purchase cat food so that we can track that our kittens are getting this cat food. We want to be sure that your precious kitten eats the most wholesome cat food during this time to help prevent illness. We have placed a link on our website where you can order a week before you pick your kitten up.
- 4. If the above conditions are made, the kitten may be returned to the Seller within seven days for a refund, minus the deposit, or exchanged for a new kitten, if available. The Buyer will be responsible for any shipping and handling costs. The Seller will make every attempt to replace the kitten with a kitten of the same gender, color, and markings, of similar or better quality.

- 5. The Buyer agrees to provide the cat with a clean, pleasant environment, conducive to good health and with adequate space for exercise. At least one litter box will be provided for each cat in the household and will be cleaned daily. The cat will be kept un-caged for the main duration of its life. Your beloved Angelica kitten enjoys using Fresh Step, Scoop Away scoop-able litter or Integrity.
- 6. Fresh water will be provided daily.
- 7. The Buyer will provide the cat with proper veterinarian care, vaccines, and companionship. Any significant health conditions during the cat's lifetime will be reported to the Seller.
- 8. The buyer will take into consideration the Ragdoll cat's unique need for companionship and not leave the cat alone for long periods of time without companionship and care.
- 9. The Buyer will not let the cat roam outdoors. Letting the kitten/cat roam outdoors puts this Angelica kitten in jeopardy of attack, or of coming in contact with sick animals, and is a violation of this contract, thereby voiding the warranty.
- 10. The Buyer will not declaw the kitten/cat. Declawing is a serious surgery/amputation that removes the top knuckle of the paws of the kitten/cat called a tendonectomy procedure and is in violation of this contract and voids the warranty.
- 11. All kittens/cats are spayed/neutered prior to leaving our home. If this is a Breeder, you will have the Breeder Contract and the Breeder Rights Addendum.
- 12. A scratching post and regular claw trimming will be provided for this kitten/cat.
- 13. The Buyer will not, under any circumstances, give, sell, or lease the kitten/cat to any animal shelter, research facility or lab, kitten mill, laboratory, pet store, and other commercial enterprise. Because we love our Angelica kittens, if we find out any of our cats have ended up in shelters, we will sue in civil court for the full cost to the Buyer of the pet, plus all legal fees, any distress to cat or Angelica Ragdolls, and any additional costs to rehabilitate the kitten/cat.
- 14. In the event that the Buyer can no longer keep the kitten/cat, the Seller will be contacted with first rights to the kitten/cat or assist in the placement of the animal.
- 15. If the Buyer can no longer care for the kitten or wishes to give up the kitten for any reason, the Buyer must first notify the Seller. If the Seller decides to buy back the cat, the price will be negotiated at the time, but will not exceed half of the cats original purchase price.
- 16. Ragdolls are extremely sensitive cats and often experience a period of adjustment that is aggravated by changes in environment and/or the addition or introduction of other felines. In these situations, owners need to be sensitive to signs of stress and make sure weight is maintained. New kitten/cats often show physical signs of stress within the first two weeks in a new home including but not limited to: sneezing, runny nose, watery eyes, diarrhea, constipation, or hair loss. If any of these symptoms persist for longer than 72 hours after undivided attention has been given. Please seek licensed veterinarian care for peace of mind. Kitten/cats often hide in their new homes for the first 72 hours. Please keep water, food, and a litter box nearby until your Angelica kitten acclimates.
- 17. Buyer agrees to isolate any other cats from this new kitten/cat for a minimum of two weeks, and until the veterinarian report finding has shown a clean bill of health for all indoor animals residing in the same home. Cat viruses are highly infectious, so families already containing cats

need to have EVERY cat checked at the vet before the new kitten/cat is integrated, or no replacement kitten, or returns will be considered. No exceptions.

- 18. The new kitten/cat should be kept in a small area with limited and supervised exploration of the home for the first week. Unlike humans, cats find small spaces comforting when faced with new situations. We have found that keeping the kitten/cat in the bedroom with you, or in the bathroom next to your bedroom, has offered the most comfort in the first weeks. Keep the kitten's carrier, food, water, and litter in this smaller space until acclimation has occurred.
- 19. Buyer agrees to send the Seller, via email, an electronic picture and email with status update at one year from time of purchase.

LONG-TERM HEALTH CARE AND/OR LEGAL PROCEEDINGS:

- 1. The Seller will not be held liable for any veterinary or health care costs occurring while the cat is in possession of the Buyer, except as provided for by the above limited warranty.
- 2. The Seller's maximum liability to the Buyer for any and all losses, claims, damages, or liability of any kind shall be limited to the amount paid by the Buyer to the Seller under this agreement. Any expenses for health care requested of the Seller by the Buyer will be paid at the discretion of the Seller. If Buyer fails to comply with any aspect of this agreement, the Buyer forfeits any rights the Buyer may otherwise have.
- 3. If legal proceedings become necessary, the Buyer agrees that all legal and/or court procedures take place in the country in which the Seller resides.

This contract establishes the overall terms and conditions applicable for the purchase of a Ragdoll kitten/cat from Angelica Ragdolls. All terms and conditions remain in effect for the life of the pet, and any agreed upon changes only affect the modified portion of this agreement, and all other terms and agreements remain intact and in effect. Any changes require an addendum with both the Buyer and Sellers signature and date.

By signing below, the parties of the Buyer and the Seller indicate that they have read, agreed to adhere to the condition stated herein, and are in full agreement with all of the above provisions and conditions of the above contract.

BUYER'S SIGNATURE	DATE	

SELLER'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

Note: Ragdolls are precious, living, breathing creatures, and as such, Angelica Ragdolls reserves the right to refuse to sell to anyone at any time in this process.

VACCINE SCHEDULE

Vaccines are administered at approximately 8 weeks, 12 weeks, and if your kitten is still here, at 16 weeks. We use Fel-O-Guard FVRCP.

Here is what kitty will need the rest of his/her life:

Every 3 years – FVRCP

Annually – Rabies – Recombinant vaccine (canary pox) – not before 16 weeks, preferably after 8 months, and always give alone! However, since Ragdolls are indoor cats, we do not believe they need the rabies vaccine, and we believe it is dangerous. Currently, our county does not require it, and until a law is passed making it mandatory, we do not administer it to our breeders. If your household is also home to other pets who have access to the outdoors, talk to your veterinarian to help decide whether or not the rabies vaccine is appropriate for your Angelica kitten/cat.

NOTHING ELSE IS NEEDED FOR INDOOR CATS!

Ragdolls are sensitive cats, and should not be vaccinated for FeLV, FIV, and a host of unnecessary vaccines that indoor cats would not need. Please be your pet's advocate at the vet. Also, rabies should NEVER be administered with any other vaccine. We are surprised by the number of vets who still do this.

You should begin interviewing and looking for a vet you might like, and schedule the first appointment before you have even received your kitten. You will need to have your kitten see a vet within 72 hours of delivery. For local deliveries, we recommend that we meet at a veterinarian of your choice on the day of pick-up, to assure your kitten is picture perfect on his or her first day in your life.

Pyrantel and Fenbendazole are dewormers that we use at about three months and alternate between the two at regular intervals, about 6 months apart. We use a different dewormer each time we administer them to prevent the parasites from becoming desensitized to a single type. We specifically deworm our kittens one week before they go to their new homes as vets like to know that new kittens have been dewormed.

OUR MISSION

We will always strive to provide our clients with the best products for their beloved Angelica Ragdoll kitten. We are currently testing different types of toys for safety, longevity, and fun. Also we are always looking for holistic cat and kitten products for maintenance of their health, or remedies that boost the immune system while successfully healing their bodies. This we are doing under the care of our veterinarian who also understands that drugs cover the disease rather than identify the cause. The fewer medications our precious felines poor livers and immune systems have to deal with, the healthier they are, the longer they will live. And when the years of being a senior citizen comes around, QUALITY of life is our mission for them to be in their sunset years. We wish them to be, as much as possible, free of all the debilitating diseases that our precious cats would have to look forward to if we blindly fed and medicated them. Here again, we cannot stress it enough; we love our precious Ragdolls and all felines around the world, we are their advocates. Let us do all we can through research and providing the healthiest alternatives to foods and medications!

The Staff at Angelica Ragdolls

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