

## MINNEAPOLIS RESIDENTIAL LEASE AGREEMENT

THIS LEASE AGREEMENT hereinafter known as the "Lease" is entered into this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, by and between \_\_\_\_\_, ("Landlord") with mailing address at \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, ("Tenant(s)").

Landlord and tenant are each referred to herein as a "party" and, collectively, as the "parties".

"WHEREAS, the Landlord desires to lease the Property defined herein under the terms and conditions as set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, the Tenant(s) desires to lease the Property defined herein from the Landlord under the terms and conditions set forth herein"

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the covenants and obligations contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereby agree as follows:

**PROPERTY.** The Landlord owns property and improvements located at \_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter referred to as the "Property").

**LEASE TERM.** This Lease shall commence on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, and end on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter referred to as the "Term"), unless otherwise terminated in accordance with the provisions of the Lease. Upon the end of the Term, Tenant(s) shall vacate the Property and deliver the same to the Landlord unless:

- the Lease is formally extended by the Landlord and the Tenant(s) in a writing signed by both parties; or
- the Landlord willingly accepts Rent from the tenant for a period beyond the original Term. Where the landlord accepts Rent for a period beyond the original Term, without a formal extension agreed to in writing by both parties, a month-to-month tenancy will be created.

**RENT.** The Tenant(s) shall pay to the Landlord the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ per month (hereinafter referred to as "Rent") for the duration of the Term of the Lease. The Rent shall be payable on or before every \_\_\_\_ day of the month (hereinafter referred to as the "Due Date"). Weekends and holidays do not delay or excuse Tenant(s)'s obligation to pay Rent in a timely manner.

- A. **Late Rent.** If rent is not paid by the due date outlined in this lease, a late fee of 8% will be assessed to the balance due after a 3-day grace period. If payment is received before the grace period expires, there is no late fee owed.
- B. **Returned Checks.** In the event that a check intended as payment for Rent is dishonored for whatever reason, the same shall be considered as Late Rent with the late fee being payable on the same.
- C. **Application of Payments.** Whenever there are different sums owed by the Tenant(s) to the Landlord, any payment shall be applied first to those non-rent obligations, including but not limited to association/community dues, Late Fee, repairs chargeable to the Tenant(s), and other charges notwithstanding any notations or specifications made by the Tenant(s) on the application of any payment paid to the landlord.
- D. **Rent Increases.** There will be no rent increases during the Term of this Lease. Any increase in Rent shall only take effect after the expiration of the Term provided in this Lease. Any increase in Rent to take effect upon renewal or extension of the Term of this Lease must be preceded by a \_\_\_\_ day notice from the Landlord to the Tenant(s).

**SECURITY DEPOSIT.** The Tenant(s) shall handover to the landlord the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ as a Security Deposit upon the execution of this Lease (the "Security Deposit"). The receipt of such Security Deposit is hereby acknowledged by the Landlord who undertakes to hold the same in compliance with applicable laws, rules, and regulations.

A. **Deductions.** Upon the termination of the Lease, the Landlord may deduct the following from the Security Deposit:

- Unpaid rent
- Late fees
- Unpaid utilities
- Cost of repairs beyond ordinary wear and tear
- Cleaning fee in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_
- Early Termination Fee
- Brokerage fees
- Others: \_\_\_\_\_

B. **Return.** The Security Deposit or the balance thereof shall be returned by the Landlord to the Tenant(s) within \_\_\_\_ days of the termination of the Lease or in accordance with State law, whichever is sooner. In the event that the Landlord shall make any allowable deduction, the Landlord shall provide the tenant(s) with an itemized list of all deductions made. This itemized list shall specify the amounts and the respective expenses to which the Security Deposit or parts of it was applied.

C. **Tenant(s)'s Forwarding Address:** Upon vacating the Property, any and all notices, communication, and other deliveries may be made to the Tenant(s)'s forwarding address at:\_\_\_\_\_.

**USE OF PROPERTY.** The Property as defined herein shall be for the sole and exclusive use and occupation by the Tenant(s) and same's exclusive family namely:

1. \_\_\_\_\_;
2. \_\_\_\_\_;
3. \_\_\_\_\_;
4. \_\_\_\_\_;
5. \_\_\_\_\_;

Any Guest(s) of the Tenant(s) shall not be allowed to stay beyond \_\_\_\_ days without the consent of the Landlord. The Property shall be used solely and exclusively as a residence and single-family dwelling. The Property or any part of it shall not be used for any business, profession, vocation, or trade of any kind. The Tenant(s) shall comply with any and all applicable laws, statutes, and rules covering the Property.

**CONDITION.** The Tenant(s) stipulates that The Property has been examined and that the Property is in good repair and is tenantable.

**ASSIGNMENT.** Under this Lease:

- Subletting Not Allowed.** The Tenant(s) acknowledges that this Lease is not transferable and that the Tenant(s) may not assign the Lease, any part of the Lease, or any of the rights or obligations herein. The tenant(s) shall not sublet, sublease, or otherwise grant any other party any license or right in relation to the Property or this Lease. Any license, assignment sublease, or agreement in violation of this clause shall be null and void with no legal force whatsoever.
- Subletting Allowed.** Tenant(s) shall have the right to sublet and grant a license to other individuals to use the Property or any part thereof  with /  without the prior written consent of the Landlord. In the event that the Tenant(s) shall sublet the Property, notice of the Subtenant(s) name and address shall be given to the Landlord within \_\_\_\_ days. In the event the SubTenant(s) violates any portion of this Lease, all liability shall be held against the Tenant(s).

**RIGHT OF ENTRY.** The Landlord shall have the right to enter the Property during normal working hours by providing at least \_\_\_\_ hours notice in order for inspection, make necessary repairs, alterations, or improvements, to supply services as agreed or for any reasonable purpose. The Landlord may exhibit the Property to prospective purchasers, mortgagees, or lessees upon reasonable notice.

**ALTERATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS.** No alterations to or improvements on the Property shall be made by the Tenant(s) without prior express consent of the Landlord to the same in writing.

A. **Unauthorized Alterations or Improvements.** In the event that the Tenant(s) shall undertake alterations or improvements relating to the Property in violation of this section, the same shall be considered a material breach of this Lease putting the Tenant(s) in default. The Landlord may, upon the Landlord's discretion, require the Tenant(s) to undo the alterations or improvements and restore the Property to its condition prior to any unauthorized alteration or improvement at the sole expense of the Tenant(s).

B. **Ownership of Alterations and Improvements.** In all cases of alterations, improvements, changes, accessories, and the like that cannot be removed from the Property without destroying or otherwise deteriorating the Property or any surface thereof shall, upon creation, become the Landlord's property without need for any further transfer, delivery, or assignment thereof.

**NON-DELIVERY OF POSSESSION.** The Landlord shall deliver to the Tenant(s) possession of the Property on or before the commencement of the Term of this Lease. Delay in the delivery of possession of the Property for any cause other than the fault or negligence of the Landlord shall cause the abatement of the Rent until the date until such time the possession is delivered. In any event, the possession of the Property must be delivered no later than \_\_\_\_ days after the commencement of the Term of this Lease and the Tenant(s) agrees to accept the same until such date despite the delay. Failure of the landlord to deliver possession of the Property within this period shall automatically terminate the Lease. Upon such Termination, the Landlord shall return to the Tenant(s) the Security Deposit, any advance rent, and other sums not otherwise consumed on account of the Tenant(s) never having occupied the Property, such as, but not limited to, cleaning fees if already collected. Thereafter the Parties shall have no further obligation to each other.

**HAZARDOUS MATERIALS.** The Tenant(s) shall not keep on the Property any item of a dangerous, flammable, or explosive nature that might unreasonably increase the danger of fire or explosion on the Property or that might be considered hazardous or extra hazardous by any responsible insurance company.

**UTILITIES.** The Landlord shall provide the following utilities and services to the Tenant(s): \_\_\_\_\_ . Any other utilities or services not mentioned will be the responsibility of the Tenant(s).

**MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND RULES.** The maintenance of the Property, minor repairs, and servicing shall be the responsibility and sole expense of the Tenant(s), including but not limited to HVAC/air-conditioning units and plumbing fixtures (e.g.

showers, bath tubs, toilets, or sinks). For the entirety of the term of this Lease, the Tenant(s) shall keep the property clean and in good repair. The Tenant(s) shall:

- A. Comply with any and all rules or regulations covering the Property, including but not limited to local ordinances, health or safety codes, those set forth in the Master Lease, and Condominium or Homeowners associations, where applicable.
- B. Dispose of any and all waste properly.
- C. Not obstruct any structure intended for ingress, egress, passage, or otherwise providing some type of access to, from, or through the property.
- D. Keep all windows, balconies, railings, and other fixtures or structures visible from outside of the property free from laundry at all times.
- E. Obtain consent of the Landlord prior to replacing or installing new deadbolts, locks, hooks, doorknobs, and the like.
- F. Refrain from all activities that will cause unreasonably loud noises or otherwise unduly disturb neighbors and/or other residents.

**PETS.** Under this Lease:

**Pets Allowed.** The Tenant(s) shall be allowed to have \_\_\_\_ pet(s) on the Property consisting of  Dogs  Cats  Fish  Other \_\_\_\_\_ not weighing more than \_\_\_\_  pounds. The Landlord shall administer a fee of \$\_\_\_\_\_ per pet on the Property. The Landlord shall be held harmless in the event that any of the Tenant(s)'s pets cause harm, injury, death, or sickness to another individual or animal. Tenant(s) is responsible and liable for any damage or required cleaning to the Property caused by any authorized or unauthorized animal and for all costs the Landlord may incur in removing or causing any animal to be removed.

**Pets Not Allowed.** There shall be no animals permitted on the Property or in any common areas UNLESS said pet is legally allowed under the law in regard to assistance with a disability. Pets shall include, but not be limited to, any mammal, reptile, bird, fish, rodents, or insects on the Property.

**QUIET ENJOYMENT.** The Landlord warrants that the Tenant(s) shall have quiet and peaceful enjoyment of the Property and hold the same free from molestation or interference from the Landlord or any other person or entity whose claim to the Property comes from the Landlord, subject to the terms and conditions of this Lease and compliance by the Tenant(s) with the same.

**INDEMNIFICATION.** The Landlord shall not be liable for any damage or injury to the Tenant(s), or any other person, or to any property, occurring on the Premises, or any part thereof, or in common areas thereof, and the Tenant(s) agrees to hold the Landlord harmless from any claims or damages unless caused solely by the

Landlord's negligence. It is recommended that renter's insurance be purchased at the Tenant(s)'s expense.

**DEFAULT.** In the event that the Landlord breaches any of the terms and conditions of this Lease or any applicable laws, rules, or codes, the Tenant(s) may avail of any of the remedies available under the law. In the event that the Tenant(s) breaches or fails to comply with any of the terms and conditions of this Lease or any applicable laws, rules, or codes, the Landlord shall afford the Tenant(s) \_\_\_\_ days to remedy or rectify the same. This period shall commence on the day the Tenant(s) receives Notice of such breach or non-compliance with the request to rectify the same. If the Tenant(s) fails to comply or rectify the breach or if the breach cannot reasonably be rectified or remedied, the Tenant(s) shall be in default. Upon the Tenant(s)'s default, the Landlord may terminate the Lease by sending the notice of default and consequent termination of the lease to the Tenant(s) and thereafter recover possession of the Property.

**ABANDONMENT.** In the event that the Tenant(s) abandons the Property, the Landlord may declare the Lease terminated, recover possession of the Property, enter the premises, remove the Tenant(s)'s belongings, and lease the same to another without incurring any liability to the Tenant(s) for doing the same. In the event of the abandonment of the Property, the Landlord may recover from the Tenant(s) unpaid rent until the Property is leased to another person or otherwise occupied by the Landlord or another under the Landlord's right.

**ATTORNEYS' FEES.** In the event that the Landlord should require the services of an attorney, file a suit, or resort to other procedures in order to compel the Tenant(s)'s compliance with the Tenant(s)'s obligations, the terms of this Lease, or other applicable laws, rules, or codes, the Tenant(s) agrees to reimburse all expenses incurred by the Landlord in doing the same.

**COMPLIANCE WITH LAW.** The Tenant(s) undertakes to comply with any and all Federal or state laws, municipal or county ordinances, rules, regulations, codes, and all other issuances from authorized government authorities respecting the Property and the Tenant(s)'s occupation and use thereof.

**SEVERABILITY.** Should any provision of this Lease be found, for whatever reason, invalid or unenforceable, such nullity or unenforceability shall be limited to those provisions. All other provisions herein not affected by such nullity or dependent on such invalid or unenforceable provisions shall remain valid and binding and shall be enforceable to the full extent allowed by law.

**BINDING EFFECT.** The terms, obligations, conditions, and covenants of this Lease shall be binding on the Tenant(s), the Landlord, their heirs, legal representatives, and successors in interest and shall inure to the benefit of the same.

**MODIFICATION.** The parties hereby agree that this document contains the entire agreement between the parties and this Lease shall not be modified, changed, altered, or amended in any way except through a written amendment signed by all of the parties hereto.

**EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER.** In the case of an emergency, the Landlord or a property manager can be reached at \_\_\_\_\_ to report a problem.

**NOTICE.** All notices in relation to this Lease shall be delivered to the following addresses:

To the Tenant(s) at the address:

\_\_\_\_\_;

and

To the Landlord at the address:

\_\_\_\_\_.

**PARKING.** The Landlord:

Shall provide \_\_\_ parking space(s) to the Tenant(s) for a fee of \$\_\_\_ to be paid  at the execution of this Lease  on a monthly basis in addition to the rent. The parking space(s) are described as: \_\_\_\_\_.

Shall not provide parking.

**EARLY TERMINATION.** The Tenant(s):

Shall have the right to terminate this Lease at any time by providing at least \_\_\_ days' written notice to the Landlord along with an early termination fee of \$\_\_\_\_\_. During the notice period for termination, the Tenant(s) will remain responsible for the payment of rent.

Shall not have the right to terminate this Lease before the end of the Term.

**SMOKING POLICY.** Smoking on the Property is:

Permitted in the following areas: \_\_\_\_\_.

Prohibited on the Property.

**DISPUTES.** If a dispute arises during or after the term of this Lease between the Landlord and Tenant(s), they shall agree to hold negotiations amongst themselves, in "good faith", before any litigation.

**RETALIATION.** The Landlord is prohibited from making any type of retaliatory acts against the Tenant(s), including but not limited to restricting access to the Property,

decreasing or canceling services or utilities, failure to repair appliances or fixtures, or any other type of activity that could be considered unjustified.

**EQUAL HOUSING.** If the Tenant(s) possesses any impairment, mental or physical, the Landlord agrees to provide reasonable modifications to the Property in order to accommodate such impairments, except in the case of modifications that would be too difficult or too expensive for the Landlord to provide. The Tenant(s) are encouraged to disclose to the Landlord any impairment(s) that may be aided by reasonable modifications to allow the parties to identify the most beneficial modifications to the Property.

**PROPERTY DEEMED UNINHABITABLE.** If the Property is deemed uninhabitable due to damage beyond reasonable repair, the Tenant(s) may terminate this Lease by written notice to the Landlord. If said damage was due to the negligence of the Tenant(s), the Tenant(s) shall be liable to the Landlord for all repairs and for the loss of income due to restoring the property back to a livable condition in addition to any other losses that can be proved by the Landlord.

**LEAD-BASED PAINT DISCLOSURE.** If the Property or any part of it was constructed prior to 1978, the Landlord shall provide a disclosure of information on lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards, the receipt of the same in the form entitled "LEAD-BASED PAINT DISCLOSURE" hereby acknowledged by the Tenant(s).

**ENTIRE AGREEMENT.** This Lease and, if any, attached documents are the complete agreement between the Landlord and Tenant concerning the Property. There are no oral agreements, understandings, promises, or representations between the Landlord and Tenant(s) affecting this Lease. All prior negotiations and understandings, if any, between the parties hereto with respect to the Property shall be of no force or effect and shall not be used to interpret this Lease. No modification or alteration to the terms or conditions of this Lease shall be binding unless expressly agreed to by the Landlord and the Tenant in a written instrument signed by both parties.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** the Landlord and Tenant(s) have executed this Lease in multiple originals as of the undersigned date(s).

Landlord's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_



Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Agent's Signature (if used) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

## **LEASE DISCLOSURES AND ADDENDUMS IN MINNEAPOLIS**

The following disclosures and addendums are either required for some or all residential lease agreements in Minneapolis.

### **REQUIRED:**

1. **Inspection and Condemnation Disclosure** - for units pending a health/safety inspection
2. **Financial Distress Disclosure** - for units under foreclosure
3. **Shared Utilities Agreement** - for multi-tenant units with single utility meters
4. **Covenant Not to Allow Illegal Activity** - for all rental units in Minneapolis
5. **Arsenic Disclosure** - for units located in the South Minneapolis Neighborhood Soil Contamination Site
6. **Lead-Based Paint Disclosure** - for all rental units built before 1978

The following disclosures and addendums are recommended for residential lease agreements in Minneapolis.

### **RECOMMENDED:**

1. **Pest Control Addendum** - for all rental units in Minneapolis
2. **Mold Addendum** - for all rental units in Minneapolis

**DISCLOSURE OF INSPECTION & CONDEMNATION**

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into between \_\_\_\_\_  
("Landlord") and \_\_\_\_\_ ("Tenant(s)").

Tenant(s) is renting from Landlord the Property located at:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**TENANT'S ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:** (initial) \_\_\_\_\_ Tenant has received copies of all  
outstanding health and safety inspection orders.

**LANDLORD/TENANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.** By signing below, the following parties  
acknowledge and agree to the information above. Failure to sign and return this  
addendum will result in the termination of this agreement.

Landlord's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Agent's Signature (if used) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**FINANCIAL DISTRESS DISCLOSURE**

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into between \_\_\_\_\_  
("Landlord") and \_\_\_\_\_ ("Tenant(s)").

Tenant(s) is renting from Landlord the Property located at:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**LANDLORD'S DISCLOSURE.** This property has a pending deed cancellation or disclosure set to execute on \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_. Note that until further notice, this lease agreement will terminate on the aforementioned date.

**LANDLORD/TENANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.** By signing below, the following parties acknowledge and agree to the information above. Failure to sign and return this addendum will result in the termination of this agreement.

Landlord's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Agent's Signature (if used) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## SHARED UTILITIES AGREEMENT

This AGREEMENT is made and entered into between \_\_\_\_\_  
("Landlord)" and \_\_\_\_\_("Tenant(s)").

Tenant(s) is renting from Landlord the Property located at:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### LANDLORD'S DISCLOSURE

This rental unit shares the following utilities with another unit or common area:

- Electricity
- Water
- Gas
- Sewage
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

This lease uses the following method for calculating utility charges between  
Tenant(s):

- Home Square Footage
- Number of Tenants
- Even Split Between Tenants
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

The Tenant agrees to pay the monthly utility charge to the Landlord, plus a  
\$\_\_\_\_\_ service charge as part of each month's rental payment.

**LANDLORD/TENANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.** By signing below, the following parties  
acknowledge and agree to the information above. Failure to sign and return this  
addendum will result in the termination of this agreement.

Landlord's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Agent's Signature (if used) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**COVENANT OF LANDLORD AND TENANT NOT TO ALLOW UNLAWFUL  
ACTIVITIES DISCLOSURE**

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into between \_\_\_\_\_  
("Landlord") and \_\_\_\_\_ ("Tenant(s)").

Tenant(s) is renting from Landlord the Property located at:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**LANDLORD'S DISCLOSURE.** Landlord and Tenant promise that neither will unlawfully allow within the premises, common areas, or curtilage of the premises (property boundaries): controlled substances, prostitution or prostitution-related activity; stolen property or property obtained by robbery; or an act of domestic violence, as defined by MN Statute Section 504B.206 (1)(e), against a tenant, licensee, or any authorized occupant. They further promise that the aforementioned areas will not be used by themselves or anyone acting under their control to manufacture, sell, give away, barter, deliver, exchange, distribute, purchase, or possess a controlled substance in violation of any criminal provision of Chapter 152.

**LANDLORD/TENANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.** By signing below, the following parties acknowledge and agree to the information above. Failure to sign and return this addendum will result in the termination of this agreement.

Landlord's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Agent's Signature (if used) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION ON ARSENIC**

THIS AGREEMENT made and entered into between \_\_\_\_\_ ("Landlord") and \_\_\_\_\_ ("Tenant(s)").

Tenant(s) is renting from Landlord the Property located at:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**ARSENIC WARNING STATEMENT:**

*Landlords for properties located in the South Minneapolis Neighborhood Soil Contamination Site are required to provide this notice to each new tenant before or at a time the lease is signed or a rental agreement commenced. This disclosure must be updated as new information on testing or remediation of this property is received from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA). The South Minneapolis Neighborhood Soil Contamination Site is an area designated by the United States Environmental Protection Agency. Minneapolis Ordinance 244.275.*

**LANDLORD'S DISCLOSURE:**

**(a) Arsenic testing conducted by the US EPA (check (I) or (II) below):**

\_\_\_\_\_ (I) The US EPA has tested soils at the property listed above for arsenic.

\_\_\_\_\_ (II) The US EPA has not tested the soils at the property listed above for arsenic.

**(b) Records and reports given to the tenant (check (I) or (II) below):**

\_\_\_\_\_ (I) Landlord has provided the tenant with all available testing, removal and remediation records and reports received from the US EPA pertaining to arsenic in the property. List documents below, if more space is needed make copies of this form with signatures.

Doc #

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date: Report Name

Doc #

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date: Report Name

Doc #

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date: Report Name

\_\_\_\_\_ (II) Landlord has no reports or records from the US EPA pertaining to arsenic in the property

**CERTIFICATION OF ACCURACY**

The following parties certify that the tenant has received copies of all information listed above and a copy of this disclosure. The parties have reviewed the information above and certify, to the best of their knowledge, that the information is true and accurate.

Landlord's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Agent's Signature (if used) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



**DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION ON LEAD-BASED PAINT AND/OR  
LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARDS LEAD WARNING STATEMENT**

Housing built before 1978 may contain lead-based paint. Lead from paint, paint chips, and dust can pose health hazards if not managed properly. Lead exposure is especially harmful to young children and pregnant women. Before renting pre-1978 housing, the landlord must disclose the presence of known lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the dwelling. Tenants must also receive a federally approved pamphlet on lead poisoning prevention.

Hereinafter, these individuals are known collectively as the "Parties."

**Landlord's Disclosure**

a) Presence of lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards (check (i) or (ii) below):

i) \_\_\_\_\_ Known lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards are present in the housing (explain).

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ii) \_\_\_\_\_ Landlord has no knowledge of lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the housing.

b) Records and reports available to the landlord (check (i) or (ii) below):

i) \_\_\_\_\_ Landlord has provided the tenant(s) with all available records and reports pertaining to lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the housing (list documents below).

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ii) \_\_\_\_\_ Landlord has no reports or records pertaining to lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the housing.

**Tenant(s)'s Acknowledgment (initial)**

c) \_\_\_\_\_ Tenant(s) has received copies of all information listed above.

d) \_\_\_\_\_ Tenant(s) has received the pamphlet *Protect Your Family from Lead in Your Home*.

**Agent's Acknowledgment (initial)**

e) \_\_\_\_\_ Agent has informed the tenant(s) of the landlord's obligations under 42 U.S.C. 4852d and is aware of his/her responsibility to ensure compliance.

**LANDLORD/TENANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.** By signing below, the following parties acknowledge and agree to the information above. Failure to sign and return this addendum will result in the termination of this agreement.

Landlord's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Agent's Signature (if used) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## PEST CONTROL ADDENDUM

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into between \_\_\_\_\_  
("Landlord") and \_\_\_\_\_ ("Tenant(s)").

This addendum is incorporated into the original Lease Agreement signed on:

\_\_\_\_\_.

Tenant(s) is renting from Landlord the Property located at:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Hereinafter, these individuals are known collectively as the "Parties."

**LANDLORD AFFIRMATION.** The Landlord affirms and acknowledges that the Premises have been inspected prior to the start of this Lease Agreement and, upon the conclusion of the inspection, the Landlord is not aware of any pest infestation.

**TENANT AFFIRMATION.** The Tenant affirms that all furnishings and personal belongings will be inspected prior to being moved into the Premises and are free of any pests. The Tenant agrees to abide by all requirements of this Addendum for the duration of the tenancy.

**INSPECTION.** The Tenant agrees to continually monitor for the presence of pests. The Tenant specifically agrees to check their personal belongings before reentering the Premises in the following situations: (a) Tenant stayed at a hotel or another home; (b) Tenant used public transportation; or (c) Tenant visited a public venue.

**TENANT'S DUTY TO REPORT.** It is the Tenant's responsibility to immediately inform the Landlord of any apparent pest infestation.

**LANDLORD ACCESS.** The Tenant will provide the Landlord access to the Premises within twenty-four (24) hours of their notification to the Landlord of a potential pest infestation. In accordance with this Addendum and the Lease Agreement, the Tenant shall also allow access to any professional pest management company hired by the Landlord to remedy a pest infestation.

**COOPERATION.** The Tenant agrees to fully cooperate with the Landlord regarding all pest control efforts. The Tenant agrees that if their premises, or a neighbor's premises, becomes infested with pests, they shall comply with all requirements by the Landlord and/or the pest management company hired to eradicate the pest infestation. Tenant acknowledges that cooperation may include evacuating the

Premises during and after treatment for a certain timeframe and following all post-treatment requirements to prevent any re-infestations.

**PROHIBITIONS.** In order to minimize the potential for pest infestation, the Tenant agrees to avoid common practices that frequently lead to said infestation. These prohibitions specifically include, but are not limited to, purchasing or acquiring second hand furniture for use at the Premises.

**RENTER'S INSURANCE.** The Tenant acknowledges that the Landlord shall not be liable for the loss or damage of any of the Tenant's personal belongings. The Tenant is instructed to secure insurance to cover any potential loss due to a pest infestation.

**VIOLATIONS.** Any violation of this Addendum is a violation of the aforementioned Lease Agreement and is subject to the actions set forth in the Lease Agreement for violations and damages.

**INDEMNIFICATION.** The Tenant agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Landlord from any loss, damage, liability, attorneys' fees, and costs that are the direct or indirect result of a pest infestation caused by the Tenant or any guests occupying or using the Premises.

**GOVERNING LAW.** This Addendum shall be governed by the law set forth in the Lease Agreement.

**LANDLORD/TENANT ACKNOWLEDGMENT.** By signing below, the following parties acknowledge and agree to the information above. Failure to sign and return this addendum will result in the termination of this agreement.

Landlord's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Agent's Signature (if used) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## MOLD ADDENDUM

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into between \_\_\_\_\_  
("Landlord") and \_\_\_\_\_ ("Tenant(s)").

Tenant(s) is renting from the Landlord the Property located at:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Hereinafter, these individuals are known collectively as the "Parties."

**LANDLORD AGREEMENT.** The Landlord has inspected the unit prior to the lease and knows of no damp or wet building materials and knows of no mold or mildew contamination. Tenant(s) is hereby notified that mold, however, can grow if the premises are not properly maintained or ventilated. If moisture is allowed to accumulate in the Property, it can cause mildew and mold to grow. It is important that the Tenant(s) regularly allows air to circulate in the Property. It is also important that the Tenant(s) keeps the interior of the unit clean and that they promptly notify the Landlord of any leaks, moisture problems, and/or mold growth.

**TENANT AGREEMENT.** Tenant(s) agrees to maintain the Property in a manner that prevents the occurrence of an infestation of mold or mildew in the premises. Tenant(s) agrees to uphold this responsibility in part by complying with the following list of responsibilities:

- 1) Tenant(s) agrees to keep the unit free of dirt and debris that can harbor mold.
- 2) Tenant(s) agrees to immediately report to the Landlord any water intrusion, such as plumbing leaks, drips, or "sweating" pipes.
- 3) Tenant(s) agrees to notify the owner of overflows from bathroom, kitchen, or unit laundry facilities, especially in cases where the overflow may have permeated walls or cabinets.
- 4) Tenant(s) agrees to report to the Landlord any significant mold growth on surfaces inside the premises.
- 5) Tenant(s) agrees to allow the Landlord to enter the unit to inspect and make necessary repairs.
- 6) Tenant(s) agrees to use bathroom fans while showering or bathing and to report to the Landlord any non-working fan.

- 7) Tenant(s) agrees to use exhaust fans whenever cooking, dishwashing, or cleaning.
- 8) Tenant(s) agrees to use all reasonable care to close all windows and other openings in the premises to prevent outdoor water from penetrating into the interior unit.
- 9) Tenant(s) agrees to clean and dry any visible moisture on windows, walls, and other surfaces, including personal Property, as soon as reasonably possible (note: mold can grow on damp surfaces within 24 to 48 hours).
- 10) Tenant(s) agrees to notify the Landlord of any problems with the air conditioning or heating systems that are discovered by the Tenant(s)
- 11) Tenant(s) agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Landlord from any actions, claims, losses, damages, and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees that the Landlord may sustain or incur as a result of the negligence of the Tenant(s) or any guest or other person living in, occupying, or using the premises.

The Landlord hereby certifies that, to the best of their knowledge, the Property:

- Has been found to be contaminated above safe levels and is in the process of decontamination.
- Has been found to be contaminated, but falls within safe levels after tests were conducted.
- Has no suspicion of contamination.

**LANDLORD/TENANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.** By signing below, the following parties acknowledge and agree to the information above. Failure to sign and return this addendum will result in the termination of this agreement.

Landlord's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Agent's Signature (if used) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_