



RULES FOR REQUIRED PROCEDURE OF ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION AND FROZEN SEMEN

These rules apply to semen collection intended for off-site use only, as well as for semen collected to be preserved for use at a future date, either by freezing or some other method. Artificial insemination on-site will follow usual procedures as apply to live cover breeding.

- 1 Regular conditions for registry are met.
- 2 Any stallion from whom semen is collected for shipping or preservation must be DNA tested. The test results are required to be on file in the Association office prior to the collection of semen.
3. A Certificate of Insemination form should be completed and forward to the Office of the Secretary of the Clydesdale Breeders of the U.S.A. **within 120 days of the completion of the insemination - There will be a \$10 filing fee if received after the 120 days.**
Certificate of Insemination forms are a triplicate form and are available from the office of the Association. Procedure to complete Certificate of Insemination include:
 - A. Stallion owner obtains a triplicate AI Form from Association Office
 - B. Stallion owner fills in the top portion of the AI form with stallion information, where semen is shipped and a signature of stallion owner.
 - C. The Stallion owner fills out the name and registration of the mare to be inseminated.
 - D. The triplicate AI form must accompany the semen shipment.
 - E. Mare owner is responsible to sign the AI form as a guarantee and must also have AI form signed by person inseminating the mare and date.
 - F. Once the AI form is completed with all signatures, the mare owner sends the yellow copy back to stallion owner, sends the white copy to the Clydesdale Breeders Office, and the mare owner keeps the pink copy for their records.
4. The Association may, at any time and at the expense of the owner, require that the dam and the foal be DNA tested and the documents forwarded to the Association.
5. All rules concerning Artificial Insemination off-site apply to the use of preserved semen.
6. A preserved semen inventory must be recorded on a Stallion Report form and sent to the Association on January 1st of each year. The Stallion Report Form can be obtained through the Clydesdale Office or printed off the website at www.clydesusa.com
7. The Association must be notified when preserved semen changes possession. The new owner of the semen - is responsible for execution of the breeding certificate.
8. An AI form must be completed for each shipment of semen.
9. A Stallion Report must also be filled out with all mares that semen has been shipped to and sent to the Clydesdale Office.

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