



ADOPTION HOME STUDY AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, Made and entered into by and between A CHOSEN CHILD, INC., a Florida licensed child-placing agency (hereinafter referred to as "A CHOSEN CHILD") and _____, adopting parent(s) (hereinafter referred to as "Prospective Adoptive Parents").

WHEREAS, A CHOSEN CHILD, INC. is licensed by the Department of Children and Families in the State of Florida as a child-placing agency; and

WHEREAS, A CHOSEN CHILD has qualified individuals and licensed professionals in its Social Services department to conduct home studies in connection with adoption of a child for both domestic and international programs; and

WHEREAS, the Prospective Adoptive Parents have requested A CHOSEN CHILD's assistance in conducting the social home study portion in connection with their adoption plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants contained herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. Prospective Adoptive Parents do hereby request A CHOSEN CHILD to conduct the social home study portion of their adoption plan, and A CHOSEN CHILD hereby agrees to perform said service under the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement.
2. Prospective Adoptive Parents understand that a search will be conducted through the Florida Department of Children and Families Abuse Registry, as well as through the Florida Department of Law Enforcement to obtain the required clearances.
3. Prospective Adoptive Parents understand that their home study criminal and background checks are valid for one year pursuant to Florida law.
4. Prospective Adoptive Parents agree to complete the Adoptive Family General Information form and all other required home study documents in an open and honest fashion in order to provide accurate background information upon which the home study will be based. A CHOSEN CHILD will terminate the home study process if it is discovered that inaccurate information was purposely disclosed to A CHOSEN CHILD.



5. A CHOSEN CHILD will provide home study and post-placement services appropriate to the State of Florida and/or your foreign country of choice.

6. Prospective Adoptive Parents understand that the State of Florida requires monthly post-placement supervision through the Final Judgment of Adoption. Prospective Adoptive Parents agree that any required post-placement home visits and reports will be provided by A CHOSEN CHILD.

7. Prospective Adoptive Parents agree to pay to A CHOSEN CHILD the fees and costs for the social home study services and post-placement services when required as set forth in A CHOSEN CHILD's Domestic Program Fees and Costs Payment Schedule attached as Exhibit "A".

8. **Prospective Adoptive Parents acknowledge and understand that the required Home Study fees and costs must be paid in full with submission of this Home Study Agreement and are non-refundable after commencement of the home study process.**

9. Prospective Adoptive Parents acknowledge that they have read and understand the terms of the foregoing Agreement with A CHOSEN CHILD and request home study services for a _____ Domestic Adoption _____ International Adoption (*Place initials in blank for service requested.*)

10. The laws of Florida shall govern all matters effecting the interpretation of this Agreement and rights of the parties hereto.

11. The Prospective Adoptive Parents and A CHOSEN CHILD acknowledge, recognize, and accept that this Agreement contains the entire understanding with respect to the matters contained herein and that it supersedes all prior agreements and understandings.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereunto have set their respective hands and seals on the date set forth below their signatures.

ADOPTION ENTITY:

A CHOSEN CHILD, INC.
37 N. Orange Ave. Ste. 1150-A
Orlando, Florida 32801

PROSPECTIVE ADOPTIVE PARENTS:

Prospective Adoptive Parent 1



Date: _____

By: _____
Christine Arendas, Executive Director

Prospective Adoptive Parent 2

Date: _____

Date: _____