

# Somali Cat Club

## Breeder's Declaration Form 2023



Many of our enquiries are received from people who know little about the Somali breed and they trust the Somali Cat Club to help them find a suitable kitten, therefore any breeders listed on the website are seen by potential buyers as being endorsed by the club. For this reason, before any breeder details or kittens can be placed on the club website, the breeder must read and agree to abide by the club rules by signing this declaration. (You must also be a fully paid up member of the Club.)

This declaration will be held by the Club for the relevant year (or until such time as the breeder no longer wishes to be listed). Please note, by completing the declaration, you are giving your consent for your details (as given below) to be available on the Somali Cat Club website unless you inform us otherwise. Those members who do not complete the declaration or do not maintain their annual membership subscription will be removed from the website.

### BREEDER'S DECLARATION

I/we wish to be able to place kittens on the Somali Cat Club website and to be listed on the breeder page. I/we agree to abide by the following rules and accept that the Somali Cat Club reserves the right to refuse the inclusion of any of my/our details or kittens bred on the club website if I/we have been found to be in breach of any of the following rules:

1. I/we agree to abide by the GCCF Code of Ethics:  
<https://www.gccfcats.org/Health-Welfare/Code-of-Ethics>
2. All kittens will have completed their primary vaccination course at least 7 days prior to leaving.
3. No kitten will leave the breeder's premises under the age of thirteen weeks.
4. No kitten will knowingly be sold on the Active Register for breeding if it has a fault that precludes it from being shown (e.g. white locket or congenital deformity etc.).
5. The experience of prospective owners will be taken into careful consideration before a male kitten is sold as a potential stud (three years' breeding experience advised).
6. No queen is to have more than two litters in any 12 month period.
7. It is the responsibility of the breeder to make every effort to assist in finding a suitable home for any cat they have bred and sold, should that cat need rehoming at any time. Purchasers should be made aware to contact the breeder should rehoming be necessary for whatever reason.
8. All purchasers will be provided with the relevant paperwork and a signed pedigree as required by the GCCF Rules.
9. All purchasers will be provided with a membership form for the Somali Cat Club.

GCCF prefix (if applicable):
Name:
Address(not for publish):
Phone number:
Email address:
Signed:
Date:

Please email your completed declaration to: [sandra.melia@sky.com](mailto:sandra.melia@sky.com)

**Or send to: Sandra Melia, 19 Cleggswood Avenue, Hollingworth Lake, Littleborough, Lancs OL15 0DF**