

GUIDELINES FOR OWNER AUTHORIZATIONS

An owner authorization enables a recorded owner to authorize another person to sign AHA documents on the recorded owner's behalf. Recorded owners who wish to record an authorization must complete, sign and file the appropriate authorization form with the Arabian Horse Association.

The following guidelines apply to authorizations filed with the Arabian Horse Association:

1. Different ownership types (e.g. a minor or a corporate owner) require slightly different authorization forms. The appropriate form may be obtained from Registry Services.
2. The name of the person authorized to sign documents and certify information must be printed or typed on the form, and a sample of the person's signature must also be provided on the form.

Requiring a signature sample on an authorization form does not imply that the Arabian Horse Association will verify the signature for accuracy. The signature sample may be used, however, to verify an illegible signature on future documents.

3. A change or a rescission to an authorization will be accepted only from the recorded owner or, in the case of recorded ownerships which are entities, only from the person declaring to be the principal owner of the entity.
4. The effective date of an authorization is the date the authorization form is received by the Arabian Horse Association. An authorization will remain in effect until the Arabian Horse Association receives a written revocation of the authorization.
5. The Arabian Horse Association will not accept responsibility for any multiple signature requirements nor any sort of requirement that a seal or stamp of any kind be required in addition to a signature.
6. An authorization does not alter or limit the liability of the recorded owner under the Arabian Horse Association's rules and regulations.