NON PRO DECLARATION

Applicant Name (please print): _____ Occupation: _____

This form must be completed prior to entering applicant's first NRCHA Non Pro class. In the case of a youth, the legal custodian must complete the declaration. Before submitting your application, please carefully read and answer the following statements, as well as read and sign the Non Pro Code of Conduct and Ethics.

NOTE: If the following statements are not answered or it is not signed, your declaration will not be accepted and will be returned to you for completion. Non Pro status is extended on a temporary basis and is subject to revocation pending approval by the Non Pro Committee. Non Pro status will be null and void if it is determined that you do not qualify under NRCHA Non Pro conditions, as defined in the NRCHA Rulebook.

1) Have you earned more than $750 in earnings down the fence? (for eligibility) o Yes o No

2) Within the past 5 years, have you given lessons for remuneration? o Yes o No

3) Within the past 5 years, have you shown, trained, or assisted in the training of a horse not owned by you or an immediate family member for remuneration? o Yes o No

4) Within the past 5 years, have you accepted payment of entry fees and/or expenses for horse(s) that you have ridden that was not owned by you or an immediate family member? o Yes o No

5) Do you reside on, work for, are publicly identified with or derive monetary remuneration, directly or indirectly, from a horse training facility or equine science program? o Yes o No

If you answered "yes" to any of the above, please explain below with specific dates as to when you started and/or stopped any of the above. Please use a separate sheet of paper if necessary.

A. Relationship to operation of a horse training facility: _____

B. Explanation of any statements answered "yes" above: _____

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NON PRO CODE OF CONDUCT & ETHICS

I, the undersigned, agree to act with the utmost of integrity while participating in the sport of Cow Horse and NRCHA events. I understand that an NRCHA Non Pro Card is a privilege and not a right, and that I may be required to submit my card for review of applicability at any time. Furthermore, I understand that so long as I hold a Non Pro card, it is my responsibility to be aware of and abide by the most current Non Pro Conditions set forth in the NRCHA Rulebook. By signing this agreement, I specifically agree to:

- *Understand and be bound by all rules of the NRCHA as set forth in the annual NRCHA Rulebook.*
- *Abide by the show conditions set forth at all NRCHA approved shows.*
- *Act with honesty and transparency when purchasing horses as well as competing at NRCHA events.*
- *Ensure the welfare of the horses I show and treat those horses humanely, and with dignity and compassion.*
- *Refrain from violating the Non Pro Conditions as set forth in the annual NRCHA Rulebook.*
- *Represent the NRCHA by refraining from any action that discredits the sport, or the association.*
- *Accept the decisions set forth by the NRCHA Board of Directors.*

By signing below, I ACCEPT the rules and regulations relating to Non Pro membership in the NRCHA, and affirm the truth of all statements above. I also affirm that I have read and agree to abide by the Non Pro Code of Conduct and Ethics.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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