

## A. ANIMAL POST- MORTEM EXAMINATION CONSENT FORM

(Note: This 4-page form may take you up to 5 minutes to complete and is to be submitted together with the "Application for Veterinary Diagnostic & Research Laboratory Services" Form)

Designated & Legal Owner's Particulars	Referring Veterinarian's Particulars (If applicable)
Name:	Name:
Address:	Name and Address of Clinic:
Contact number:	
Fax:	Contact number:
IC/Passport no.	Fax:

Animal's Details	
Animal's name:	Breed:
Microchip No.:	Colour:
*NParks/AVS License no.:	Sex:
Species:	Age:

\* - National Parks Board/Animal & Veterinary Service (NParks/AVS)

### Statement of Ownership and Consent:

I hereby declare and attest that I am the legal and designated owner of the above-mentioned animal. I hereby consent to the following:

1. Submission of above-mentioned animal carcass to the Veterinary Diagnostic Research (VDRL) for the purpose of a post-mortem examination.
2. I understand and agree that the **post-mortem examination is a comprehensive and invasive examination** and **not a cosmetic process**.
3. I accept full financial responsibility for the transport of the animal carcass to CAVS and all applicable testing charges related to the post- mortem examination.
4. I understand and agree that all samples obtained from the post-mortem examination of above-mentioned animal are deemed the sole property of the National Parks Board ("NParks").
5. I understand and agree that without the signed post-mortem examination consent form, the post-mortem examination **will not** proceed.

6. I understand and agree that due to the possibility of additional laboratory tests coupled with case complexity, the post-mortem examination results may take **up to five weeks** for completion.
7. I understand and agree that if the above-mentioned animal carcass is submitted for post-mortem examination through my referring veterinarian, the post-mortem examination report will be issued to the referring veterinarian and that all communication regarding the post-mortem examination and report will be between CAVS and the referring veterinarian **only**.
8. I understand and agree that NParks does **not** offer a toxicology testing service. I understand and agree that should toxicology be required, I will make separate arrangements (including the payment for toxicology testing and the transport of samples from CAVS to an appropriate or suitable toxicology laboratory) for additional testing.
9. I understand and agree that all articles and accessories that are submitted together with the above-mentioned animal carcass for post-mortem examination, would be deemed the property of NParks, and will be decontaminated and disposed of by NParks unless otherwise specifically and clearly indicated in writing at the time of submission for post-mortem examination. The return of such item(s) will only be approved on a case-by-case basis.
10. I understand and agree that the return of the remains of the above-mentioned animal is subject to the discretion of NParks. I understand and agree that I or my authorized representative will be required to sign NParks's Part B - "Release of Animal Carcass" on page 3 and 4 of this form, in order to receive the remains of the above-mentioned animal. I understand and agree that in the event that I do not collect the above-mentioned animal's remains **within 2 weeks** of notification that the animal's remains are ready for collection, the above-mentioned animal's remains will be disposed of accordingly by NParks.
11. I understand and agree to abide by the above-mentioned terms and conditions. I agree that I shall indemnify and hold NParks harmless against any claim whatsoever and howsoever arising in connection with the post-mortem examination.

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Date & Time

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Owner's Signature

## B. RELEASE OF ANIMAL CARCASS REMAINS

(Note: This form is to be filled up at the time of receipt of animal carcass remains. Please refer to the details of animal on page 1 of this form.)

<b>Particulars of Designated and Legal Owner or Owner-Authorized Representative Receiving the Remains of Animal Stated in Part A</b>
Name:
Company (for Pet Transport Agents):
Address:
Contact number:
Fax:
IC/Passport No:

### **Statement of Agreement by Recipient of Animal Carcass Remains from NParks Premises (Case Ref. No.: \_\_\_\_\_ )**

1. I understand and agree that the abovementioned animal carcass remains will only be released to the owner or the owner - authorized representative.
2. I understand and agree that the packaging containing the animal carcass remains shall **not** be opened and/or tampered with.
3. I understand and agree that, for cremation purposes, the abovementioned animal carcass remains will be transported by the owner or an owner - authorized representative directly to an establishment with an animal cremator that has been approved by the National Environment Agency (NEA).
4. I understand and agree that, for burial purposes, the burial of the abovementioned animal carcass remains will be conducted in accordance with any and all regulations stipulated by NEA (Environmental Public Health Act, Chapter 95, Section 113, Environmental Public Health (Public Cleansing) Regulations, Clause 19).
5. I understand, agree and accept that I have full responsibility for the abovementioned animal carcass remains and shall indemnify and hold NParks harmless against any claim whatsoever and howsoever arise, once I have received the abovementioned animal carcass remains from NParks.

6. I understand and agree that any breach or neglect of this undertaking may be an offence, and may render me liable to actions by NParks pursuant to the Animals & Birds Act, Section 29; subsection 1.

Signature of recipient named above: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of collection: \_\_\_\_\_ Time of collection: \_\_\_\_\_

**Witnessed by NParks Officer:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_