

# WORK FOR HIRE COPYRIGHT AGREEMENT

Parties: \_\_\_\_\_

## 1. Parties

This Work for Hire Copyright Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into by and between the Client and the Creator. The Client hereby engages the Creator to produce certain works described herein under the terms set forth below.

## 2. Definitions

"Work" means all works of authorship, including but not limited to writings, designs, artwork, photographs, videos, software, and other creative materials, created by the Creator pursuant to this Agreement.

## 3. Work for Hire

The Client and Creator agree that the Work shall be considered a "work made for hire" under United States copyright law. To the extent the Work is not deemed a work made for hire, the Creator hereby assigns, transfers, and conveys to the Client all right, title, and interest in and to the Work, including all copyrights and other intellectual property rights.

## 4. Creator Obligations

The Creator shall deliver the Work according to the specifications, standards, and deadlines agreed upon by the parties. The Creator represents that the Work is original, does not infringe any third party rights, and is free of liens or encumbrances.

## 5. Compensation

The Client shall pay the Creator the agreed-upon compensation as full consideration for the Work. Payment terms, method, and schedule shall be set forth in a separate written statement or invoice.

## 6. Delivery and Acceptance

The Creator shall deliver the completed Work to the Client by the agreed deadline. The Client shall have a reasonable period to review and accept the Work or request reasonable revisions.

## 7. Warranties and Representations

The Creator represents and warrants that the Work is original, does not violate any rights of others, and that the Creator has full right to enter into this Agreement and assign rights to the Client.

## 8. Confidentiality

Each party agrees to keep confidential any proprietary or confidential information received from the other party during the term of this Agreement and not to disclose it without prior written consent, except as required by law.

## 9. Indemnification

Creator shall indemnify and hold harmless the Client from any claims, damages, liabilities, or expenses arising from any breach of this Agreement or infringement claims related to the Work.

#### **10. Term and Termination**

This Agreement shall remain in effect until the Work is completed and all obligations are fulfilled unless terminated earlier by mutual written consent or material breach by either party.

#### **11. Governing Law and Venue**

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of \_\_\_\_\_. Any disputes arising hereunder shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state or federal courts located in \_\_\_\_\_ County, \_\_\_\_\_.

#### **12. Entire Agreement**

This Agreement constitutes the entire understanding between the parties with respect to the subject matter herein and supersedes all prior agreements or understandings, whether written or oral. Any amendments must be in writing and signed by both parties.

#### **13. Severability**

If any provision of this Agreement is found invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall continue in full force and effect.

#### **14. Notices**

All notices required or permitted under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed delivered when delivered by hand, certified mail return receipt requested, nationally recognized overnight courier, or electronic mail with confirmation, to the parties' addresses.

#### **15. Signatures**

The parties have executed this Agreement as of the date first written above by their duly authorized representatives.

**CLIENT SIGNATURE**

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

**CREATOR SIGNATURE**

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

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