

# APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE JIMMY RYCE BLOODHOUND NETWORK

If your agency is interested in being considered for a free AKC bloodhound, or you want to join the Jimmy Ryce Center Bloodhound Network with your present bloodhound, please fill in and mail, or Email, this form to:

#### The Jimmy Ryce Center for Victims of Predatory Abduction 908 Coquina Lane Vero Beach, Florida 32963 Email: jimmyryce@gmail.com Web: JimmyRyce.org

## **BLOODHOUND COMMITMENT**

Does your agency already have an AKC bloodhound?

If you answered yes, are you willing for you and your bloodhound to join the Jimmy Ryce Bloodhound Network?

If not, and the Jimmy Ryce Center gives the agency an AKC bloodhound, will your department agree to call in the dog immediately, whether or not you are on or off duty when a child goes missing?

#### **COMMITMENT TO TRAIN BLOODHOUND TO SCENT DISCRIMINATE & TRAIL**

Will your agency assign an officer, as the dog's handler, to train the bloodhound to scent, discriminate and trail?

Will the handler be allowed to attend a school taught by a certified instructor until the bloodhound can successfully trail a particular human scent for at least a mile on a 1.2-hours-old trail?

Will your agency agree to keep your dog's trailing skills to standard by having him/her follow a laid trail at least once a week by a certified trainer?

(The JRC Interprets current through participation in certain continuing training credits required to keep themselves current through participation in certain field courses in scent discrimination and trailing training.)

#### ACCESSIBILITY

Which nearby cities, and counties, would you be bring your bloodhound to help find a missing child?

What contact number do you want posted at the JimmyRyce.org web site for departments to call to ask for your help in finding a missing kid?

Is this a number where you can be reached 24/7? \_\_\_\_\_

Are there any other ways you can be reached?

#### COMMITMENT TO KEEP RECORDS NECESSARY TO ESTABLISH YOUR BLOODHOUND'S RELIABILITY IN COURT AND TO OTHER DEPARTMENTS

Are you willing to keep records describing practice and actual case trailing? \_\_\_\_\_ Are you willing to keep qualification awards and courses taken?

## **AVAILABILITY TO SERVE AS A TRAINER**

Do you have any experience in trailing with, scent-discriminating dogs? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please describe the extent of your training: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever trained other bloodhound handlers and their bloodhound trails?

If yes, where and date: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be willing to serve as a certified trainer for your region?

If yes, would you need to be paid more than your travel expenses for training a group of handlers/bloodhound teams at a meet in your state?

# ACCEPTABILITY FOR PARTICIPATION IN BLOODHOUND SEARCH FOR A MISSING CHILD

What is your contact information?		
Name & rank:		
Direct phone #:		
Business #:		
Cell #:		
Fax #:		
Email:		
Mailing address:		
Your department's name:		
Your sheriff's or chief's name:		
Your sheriff's or chief's telep	hone number:	
Your sheriff's or chief's Email	il:	
If you already have a bloodhound, I	please print your dog's name:	
Sex:	Color:	
Breeder's name:		
Was your dog from the Jimm	ny Ryce Center:	
Date the JRC gave the dog to	to the department:	
DOB of dog:		
Today's Date:		
Signature (Chief/Sheriff):		
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