

New York Residential Lease Agreement

THIS LEASE AGREEMENT (hereinafter referred to as the "Agreement") made and entered into this _____ day of _____, 20____, by and between _____ (hereinafter referred to as "Landlord") and _____ (hereinafter referred to as "Tenant").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Landlord is the fee owner of certain real property being, lying and situated in _____ County, New York, such real property having a street address of _____ (hereinafter referred to as the "Premises").

WHEREAS, Landlord is desirous of leasing the Premises to Tenant upon the terms and conditions as contained herein; and

WHEREAS, Tenant is desirous of leasing the Premises from Landlord on the terms and conditions as contained herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of _____ DOLLARS (\$ _____), the covenants and obligations contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

- 1. TERM.** Landlord leases to Tenant and Tenant leases from Landlord the above described Premises together with any and all appurtenances thereto, for a term of _____ (specify number of months or years), such term beginning on _____, and ending at 12 o'clock midnight on _____.
- 2. RENT.** The total rent for the term hereof is the sum of _____ DOLLARS (\$ _____) payable on the _____ day of each month of the term, in equal installments of _____ DOLLARS (\$ _____), first installment to be paid upon the due execution of this Agreement, the second installment to be paid on _____. All such payments shall be made to Landlord at Landlord's address as set forth in the preamble to this Agreement on or before the due date and without demand.
- 3. SECURITY DEPOSIT.** As a security deposit, Tenant shall deposit with Landlord the sum (not to exceed the equivalent of one month's rent) of _____ DOLLARS (\$ _____), receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Landlord. Under New York law, the type of dwelling determines how the Landlord must handle the