



The International Bengal Cat Society

Official Request For Mediation (check which applies)

Dispute Resolution **Ethics Violation**

The following information **MUST** be provided TIBCS in order to consider your request. Following submission, an initial review will be conducted to determine whether TIBCS can accept the case for a hearing.

Following acceptance of a dispute request, a \$10.00 non breeder filing fee or a \$25 breeder filing fee must be received before the case enters into the hearing process. Indicate how you will submit the money:

check or PayPal from email address: _____

Required Information:	Person requesting hearing:	Person whom the Dispute or Complaint is with:
Last Name:	_____	_____
First Name:	_____	_____
Mailing Address:	_____	_____
City	_____	_____
State or Province	_____	_____
Country	_____	_____
Zip or Mailing Code	_____	_____
Business	_____	_____
E-Mail address:	_____	_____
Secondary email address:	_____	_____
Website url	_____	_____

Please Note: If your case is accepted for a hearing, TIBCS cannot force a breeder member to take a particular action such as replacing a kitten/cat, or refunding money. Our Ethics Board may act as a mediator attempting to resolve disputes and possibly suspend a member pending restitution or ban someone with repeated violations. In some instances, a member found to be in violation of TIBCS Code of Ethics may be assigned specific tasks to perform which benefit the TIBCS organization. However, please be advised that in some situations, the only recourse is to seek legal remedy through the court system.

Product or Service involved:

Amount of money involved:

Date(s) of Transaction:

Method of Communication Between Parties: Telephone Mail E-Mail Other

What will satisfy your request, what are you seeking? Please be as specific as possible.

Have you retained an attorney? Yes No

If yes, you should rely on the advice of your attorney.

Is there a written contract signed or other papers, i.e. estimates, invoices, emails or other supporting documents? Yes No If so, please submit copies of all communication and documentation with this application, in chronological order.

What part(s) of the contract have been violated?

Was there a secondary agreement to the original Contract N? Yes No

If so, please provide a copy with this application.

Does this case relate to the Code of Ethics? Yes No

If so what part?

A copy of the Code of Ethics can be found at www.bengalcat.com under forms and documents, official documents.

Does this case relate to the TIBCS By-Laws? Yes No

If so which Article and Section?

A copy of the By-Laws can be found at www.bengalcat.com under forms and documents, official documents.

Please explain your case. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

My signature authorizes TIBCS to take any action deemed necessary for purposes of mediation, investigation or enforcement of TIBCS Code of Ethics, including requesting veterinary records as well as registration information from TICA, ACFA, CCAFC, and other cat registration organizations.

I understand that TIBCS does not give legal advice, and cannot take legal action for me. I am filing this case to notify TIBCS of the activities of this business or individual and to seek any assistance available. I understand that TIBCS will make every effort to construct a complete and accurate report, I agree to indemnify and hold TIBCS harmless for any loss, damage, liability or cost to itself or third parties arising from the use of information pertaining to this dispute.

I acknowledge that if I go public with a misconstrued version of this dispute or publically display hostility towards TIBCS or any party involved with this case, TIBCS has the right to publish the actual details of this case.

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I AM AWARE THAT THE PERSON or BUSINESS NAMED ABOVE WILL RECEIVE A COPY OF THIS DOCUMENT.

Signature:

Date:

I am initiating this _____Dispute Request I am responding to a _____Dispute Request filed against me

After completing please send to TIBCS Sr. Vice President seniorvp@tibcs.com.

Any dispute aired in a public forum will not be heard by TIBCS.

Documentation / Communication Worksheet

Example:

1. Copy of Email 01/01/00
 2. Copy of Contract 01/31/00
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