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200 4th Street Suite-C, Terrell, TX 75160

Recording Services Contract

This agreement is made and entered into as of this _____ day of _____
in the year of _____ between

_____ herein

referred to as "Client" and _____ herein referred to as "Studio."

1. Client agrees to pay the hourly rate of \$ 60.00 for studio time, \$ 45.00 for tracking, editing, mixing, and mastering, billed in 1/2 hour increments, following a 1 hour minimum per session.

2. A maximum of 1 hour of non-billed set-up time is included with each recording contract. This time is not to be used for anything other than equipment assembly, set-up, and tuning.

3. Client shall be provided with a written estimate (refer to page 4) prior to tracking and is responsible for all monies due to Studio as follows:

(a) 25 % of estimate in advance

(b) 25 % of estimate upon conclusion of final tracking session

(c) Remainder of actual billable amount upon completion of contract.

4. In the event that the Client is not present at the pre-booked allotted time, a charge equivalent to one hour at the hourly rate of the studio may be imposed unless one-week prior notice is given.

5. In the event of cancellation of recording session or other scheduled service by Client, Client shall be responsible for 25% of cost of services scheduled if cancellation occurs within 48 hours of the scheduled recording session or service. This charge is in addition to the hour charge imposed from canceling within one week's time.

6. The security of the Client's own equipment shall be his or her own responsibility while on Studio premises. Studio shall not be held responsible for any loss or damage to Client's equipment

7. Studio shall endeavor to secure all property left on premises by Client, but is not responsible for loss due to theft, fire, act of God or other unnamed occurrence.

8. Client's property left on premises for 90 days after completion of last recording session or service shall become the property of Studio.

9. Temporary acquisition of additional outboard equipment, hiring of outside and in house studio musicians with client consent by Studio for the purpose of completing Client's project shall be billed to Client as "Additional Contracted Services." (Refer to estimate, page 4)

10. Client shall be responsible and billed accordingly for any loss or damage to Studio property incurred by Client, employees of Client, guests of Client, or agents of Client acting under Client's instruction, as a result of misuse, negligence, and/or carelessness.

11. In the event of loss or damage to Client's recording files due to willful negligence or Studio owned equipment failure, Studio shall schedule appropriate hours for re-recording or repeat of services, to be billed to the Studio.

12. In the event that a recording session must be cancelled due to Studio owned equipment failure, session time minimum shall not be enforced and Client shall not be billed.

13. All recordings and project files shall remain available for modification for a minimum of 90 days after completion of last recording session or service, at which time recordings and project files may be transferred to backup media and stored for 1 year unless otherwise instructed by Client (refer to 13a for Client instructions).

(a) Client instructions

Initials of Client _____ Initials of Studio Representative _____

14. Studio reserves the right to maintain a clean, efficient, professional and safe working environment. Any party, Client or otherwise, found in contempt of said environment may be asked to leave the premises and thereby forfeit pre-booked allotted studio time or service without refund. Examples include but are not limited to: alcohol consumption or drunkenness; use or possession of illegal substances; violent, hostile or abusive behavior.

15. There is a no smoking policy in effect within the building, and no food or drinks are allowed in the live room at any time.

16. Minors not involved with the contracted project and services shall not be permitted on Studio premises during contracted time. Any minors involved with contracted project and services must be accompanied by Client at all times. In the case that Client is a minor, a parent or legal guardian must also accept and sign this contract, and shall then be held responsible for said minor's compliance with the contract.

17. Receipt of project files, mastered recordings and/or finished product from Studio to Client is acknowledgement between both parties that the quality of all services rendered by Studio is satisfactory to Client and shall release studio from any and all liability regarding said project files, recordings and/or finished product and services rendered.

18. In the event Studio acts as a final recording service for distributable product, or production work is done on the final recording of distributable product by Studio, Client agrees to include the studio name as "Troubador Music" in the recording credits or elsewhere on the final work (i.e., album artwork or insert). Alternately, Client may choose to include Studio's logo on the final work with a minimum of 5% total display area, while maintaining visibility and proportion.

19. Client grants permission for Studio to use recordings, pictures and/or video taken during the session(s), for marketing purposes only, on Studio's internet, web and social media sites.

Initials of Client _____ Initials of Studio Representative _____

Contracted Hourly Studio Rate..... \$ _____
Number of Songs Included in Project..... \$ _____
Average Length of Songs (minutes)..... \$ _____
Number of Instruments/Vocalists..... \$ _____
Estimate Hours Contracted Services Recording..... \$ _____
Mixing..... \$ _____
Mastering..... \$ _____
Additional Contracted Services..... \$ _____
Total Cost Estimate..... \$ _____
Amount due upon contract signing..... \$ _____
Amount Due upon completion of tracking..... \$ _____
Project remainder upon completion of project..... \$ _____

This constitutes the entire agreement between Client and Studio, and may not be modified, changed, or terminated in any way unless there is a written agreement signed by both parties

The signatures below confirm all parties involved understand this agreement in full and feel it is fair and just

Executed on the _____ day of _____, 20_____.

By: Studio Representative

By: Client(s)
