Grey Haven Aviary

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Bird Reservation Agreement

This agreement becomes binding once both parties have signed a completed copy and the deposit has been received.

1. Parties

Seller	Grey Haven Aviary, United States (“the Aviary”)
Buyer – full name	_____
Buyer – address	_____
Buyer – city / state / ZIP	_____
Buyer – phone	_____ Email: _____
Buyer – country of residence	_____

By signing below, the Buyer confirms they are a legal resident of the country shown above, matching the country of the Aviary, and are 18 years of age or older.

2. Bird Details

Species	Congo African grey (*Psittacus erithacus*)
Bird's name / listing ID	_____
Hatch date	_____ Sex (DNA result)
Closed leg ring number	_____
DNA sexing lab / certificate ref.	_____
Avian vet check date / practice	_____
Aviary location	United States

The leg ring number above must match the ring on the bird's leg, verified on the live video call and again at handover. A mismatch means the sale does not proceed.

3. Price and Payment

Total price (USD)	$_____
Deposit due on signing (10–20% of price)	$_____
Remaining balance	$_____

Delivery fee, if applicable (agreed in writing in advance)	$_____
Handover date agreed	_____

The deposit reserves this specific bird and is payable only after the live video call. It is non-refundable if the Buyer changes their mind after signing, except where required by law. The full remaining balance and any delivery fee must be paid in full on the handover date shown above, **before the bird leaves the Aviary** — whether the Buyer is collecting in person or the bird is being delivered locally. No card payments are taken over the phone; accepted payment methods are confirmed with the Buyer in writing before the deposit is due.

4. Handover and Delivery

Handover happens either by collection at the Aviary (by appointment) or by local hand-delivery, within the Aviary's local delivery area, carried out by Aviary staff or by a named local delivery partner disclosed to the Buyer in writing in advance. The Aviary does not use airlines or long-distance cargo shipping for any bird, and no additional fees are added once a bird is in transit.

At handover, the Buyer receives:

- The bird, matching the ring number recorded in Section 2 above.
- A DNA sexing certificate from an independent lab.
- An avian vet health check record.
- Any applicable wildlife-trade documentation for the bird's country of sale.

5. Legal and Compliance

Congo African greys are listed on CITES Appendix I. This bird is sold only to a Buyer resident in the same country as the Aviary; the Aviary does not sell across international borders, because doing so would require government export/import permits that a private sale cannot substitute for. Nothing in this Agreement overrides local wildlife-trade law, CITES obligations, or the terms of any licence held by the Aviary — where there is a conflict, the legal requirement takes precedence. This Agreement does not constitute legal advice; buyers are encouraged to check the requirements that apply in their own state or locality before signing.

6. Other Terms

- **Health:** the Aviary does not offer refunds for buyer's remorse once handover is complete, but asks to be contacted immediately if a health concern is noticed shortly after handover.
- **Waiting list:** if this bird becomes unavailable before signing, the Buyer will be offered the waiting list for a future clutch rather than a substitute bird without their agreement.
- **No unlisted fees:** no additional charges for crates, insurance or permits will be requested once a price is agreed, and the Aviary never accepts payment by gift card or cryptocurrency.
- This Agreement is governed by the applicable law of the state shown in the Buyer's address above.

Signatures

Buyer	**Seller (Grey Haven Aviary)**
Signature: _____	Signature: _____
Print name: _____	Print name: _____
Date: _____	Date: _____