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List all current companions (including farm animals/caged animals etc), and any other animals your new dog would be sharing the house with (regular visitors to your home):

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Excluding current companions listed above, please describe all pets you have had in the last 5 years:

Are your companions up-to-date on vaccinations? Y/N

List your current OR former veterinarian's name, address, phone #:

Have you ever adopted an animal from a shelter or rescue?

Have you ever given an animal to a shelter or rescue?

My dog will primarily live: outside   or     inside

My dog will spend how many hours (approx.) outside per day?

My dog will be alone how many hours (approx.) per day?

When I'm not home, where will dog be?  Crate  Outside  Garage  Basement  Confined in one room  Loose in house

OR other:________________

Are you? Circle all that apply

Home all day
Home ½ day
Away 7-10 hours/ day
Away 10 hours+
Can bring dog to work

What’s Your Home Like? Circle the one that most fits:

Quiet and low key
Moderate noise level and visitors
Busy! Lots of visitors coming/going, noise

Have you ever had to find a different home for a former companion? Share what led you to this decision and where the animal went:

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Where will your companion go while you are on vacation?

What will be the hardest part about adopting this new companion?

Can you afford for your dog to be on heartworm preventative? If you don’t know what this is, ask us.

How much time will you give your new companion to adjust to the new surroundings?

How will you exercise your dog?

I want a guard dog? Y/N

I want my dog to herd/hunt for me? Y/N

I want my dog to be playful with me? Y/N

I want my dog to be laid-back? Y/N

I would like my dog to be in a training class to address leash manners, jumping, etc. Y/N

I want my dog to be in competitions? Y/N List:

I am interested in a dog with special needs? “Special needs” includes behavioral issues, senior age, or health issues. Y/N

Bad Habits I will not tolerate:

How will you handle destructive behavior?

What will you do with the dog if/when you move?

If you have other companions, how do you think they will adjust to a new animal?

Who will be responsible for feeding/watering the dog?

Under what circumstances would you return this animal to A.S.K.? Circle all that apply: Neighborhood complaints, Breed stereotyping, dog doesn’t get along with other companions, dog is un-trainable, planning on having a child, big vet bills, dog develops chronic illness, I develop chronic illness, marry someone with allergies, dog bites children, dog nips at strangers, dog barks a lot, move where dogs aren’t allowed, move out of state, divorce/separation, Does not apply, OTHER: __________

Methods you will use to discipline your dog:

If you become ill, or die, do you have plans for this animal’s care? Y/N

Are you willing to have an A.S.K. representative come to your home to see where this companion will be living? Y/N

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Any final comments that you would like A.S.K. to know?

I have seriously considered all aspects of adopting a companion animal. I am aware of the time and money required. I am prepared to make a lifelong commitment to this animal. I understand that A.S.K. seeks the best fit for this animal, not the first person to complete this survey. A.S.K. has the right to deny an adoption or make an alternative recommendation to you, not because you aren’t a qualified home, but because the animal you are interested in may not be a good fit for your lifestyle.

__________________________________________________________________________
Signature Adopter                      Signature Co-Adopter                      Date