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### Contract Form

I request that South Georgia Birth Services provide me with a doula to assist with my labor and birth. I understand that the doula is not a medical attendant but will provide emotional support, physical comfort and information support to help me have the most joyous birth possible.

I will not hold South Georgia Birth Services or Brenda Parrish responsible for any medical problems during labor and birth.

I agree to prepare a birth preferences form for my doula and medical caretaker. I will discuss this information with my doula and caretaker so they both know what is important to me during my labor and birth.

I agree to call my doula as soon as possible when I think I am in labor. I will also call my doula if I change my mind and decide I do not want a doula for my birth in advance of my due date.

I agree to pay a \$100 non-refundable retaining fee to secure our agreement and the balance of \$275 is due by the 37th week. If an alternate doula is used because of unforeseen circumstances, the balance would be paid to them. I understand the retaining fee secures that my doula will be "on call" for me for 10 days preceding my due date and until delivery following my due date. \* If client's birth and home are located outside of Thomas County, I will pay an additional fee of \$0.30 per mile for preparation meetings and travel to and from the birth. If birth results in a cesarean delivery and the doula has been on call and is present for support (labor or breastfeeding in recovery), I understand that all fees are still payable. If the doula can not attend the birth for unforeseen circumstances, the balance of \$275 will be refunded, unless this occurs because of a precipitous birth or the client calling too late for assistance during labor.

My doula package includes the following:

- 1-2 prenatal visits to determine birth preferences and comfort techniques and to meet your birth partner.
- Weekly contact by phone as due date nears
- Other visits if necessary, including a visit with your physician or midwife
- Continuous labor and birth attendance, including a minimum of 1 hour postpartum
- Ongoing breastfeeding support and information
- In the event of unforeseen circumstances preventing me from being at your birth, I will attempt to provide an alternate doula.

Client's signature

Date

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Phone numbers: \_\_\_\_\_