

שטר הרשאה

Agency agreement for sale of chametz

NOTE: Ideally, all chametz food not acceptable during Pesach, or materials containing such unacceptable food, should be destroyed or given away before Pesach begins. Should this be impossible, the chametz may be stored in such a way that it cannot be used or even seen during Pesach, and its actual ownership is transferred to a non-Jew until Pesach has ended. Please complete the form below and return it no later than Thursday, March 22, 2018 (Nisan 6, 5778). Please include a donation of \$18 made out to Congregation Beth Israel of the Palisades. Mark the memo line "chametz sale."

NOTE, TOO: If the addresses you list below include an office or a shared facility other than your home, specify as exactly as possible, e.g., 4th floor of 222 West 22nd Place, Anytown, AS, Room 77, northwest corner.

KNOW ALL PEOPLE BY THESE PRESENTS that I, the undersigned, do hereby make and appoint Rabbi Shammai Engelmayer my true and lawful representative to act in my place and stead, for me and in my name and in my behalf, to sell all *chametz* owned and possessed by me, knowingly or unknowingly, as stated in the Torah and defined by the Sages of Israel (e.g., *chametz*; *chashash chametz*/suspect *chametz*; and all kinds of *ta-arovet chametz/chametz* mixtures); also, *chametz* that tends to harden and to adhere to the surface of pans, pots, or other cooking or eating utensils, of whatsoever nature, and to lease all places wherein the aforementioned *chametz* owned or possessed by me may be found, especially in the premises located below.

Rabbi Engelmayer has the full authority and power to sell said *chametz* and to lease said place or places wherein said *chametz* may be found, upon such terms and conditions as discretion dictates. Rabbi Engelmayer has the full power and authority to assign or appoint a rabbinic substitute or substitutes to act in my behalf with all the same powers and authority that I have invested in Rabbi Engelmayer, and I do hereby ratify and confirm all that Rabbi Engelmayer or a rabbinic substitute of his choosing lawfully does or causes to be done by virtue of these presents.

The following addresses are included in and are to be covered by the terms of this agency agreement for the sale of my *chametz* (if more space is needed, please use a second sheet of paper; do not write on the back of this contract):

And to this I hereby affix my signature on this day ____ of _____, in the year 2018.

Signature _____

Please print your name, as well: _____