

Contract for Selling Chametz /Prohibition of Chometz

On Pesach it is prohibited to possess chametz (leaven). All chametz that will not be eaten or burned before Pesach must be sold to a non-Jew. All chametz utensils that will not be thoroughly cleaned by then are stored away in closets or rooms while preparing for Pesach. The storage area is locked or tape-shut, and leased to a non-Jew at the time of the sale.

Rabbi Wasser will act as our agent both to sell the chametz to the non-Jew on the morning before Pesach starts, and also to buy it back the evening after Pesach ends.

Please print, sign, and give to Rabbi Wasser.

Thank you.

DELEGATION OF POWER FOR SALE OF CHAMETZ

I, the undersigned, fully empower and permit Rabbi Eric Wasser and CBIOTP to act on my behalf to sell all Chametz possessed by me, knowingly or unknowingly as defined by the Torah and Rabbinic Law (e.g. Chametz, possible Chametz, and all kinds of Chametz mixtures).

Rabbi Wasser is also empowered to lease all places wherein the Chametz owned by me may be found, particularly at the address/es listed below. Rabbi Wasser also has the full power and right to act as he deems fit and proper in accordance with all the details of the Bill of Sale used in the transaction to sell all my Chametz, Chametz mixtures, etc., as provided herein.

This power is in conformity with all Torah, Rabbinic and Civil laws.

Signed:

Date: _____

Name _____

Address/es _____

City/ State/ Zip _____

Please note, that while there is no charge for this service, it is customary to make a small donation to the synagogue at the time of the signing of this document in order to support Maot Chittin (food donations for those in need during the Pesach season).