THIS IS NOT A CONTRACT!

This document explains the duties a real estate brokerage & its licensees (a Brokerage) owe Idaho consumers, as outlined in the Idaho Real Estate Brokerage Representation Act (Idaho Code 54-2082 – 54-2097). **These duties are required by law!** A Brokerage **CANNOT** modify or eliminate any of them, even with your consent. It is recommended that you review this document **prior to discussing ANY personal information with a Brokerage.**

THE TERM AGENCY refers to the relationship between a Brokerage & consumers in a real estate transaction. The duties you're entitled to during the process depend on the type of relationship you have with a Brokerage. Understanding the relationships is essential in deciding whether you want to be a **CUSTOMER** or a **CLIENT**.

CUSTOMERS

ALL consumers in a real estate transaction are owed the following **CUSTOMER** duties:

- Assist in transactions with honesty, good faith, skill, & care
- Disclose all known or reasonably knowable adverse material facts
- Properly account for property or money received

IF you sign a **Compensation Agreement**, you are **still** a Customer but a Brokerage **MUST**:

- Be available to timely present & receive written offers & counteroffers
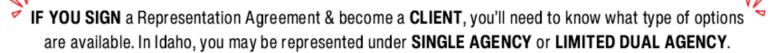
AS A CUSTOMER, a Brokerage is **NOT** required to keep your info confidential or promote/protect your interests. If you want those services, you **MUST** sign a Representation Agreement to become a **CLIENT**.

CLIENTS

The duties owed to **CLIENTS** are more extensive. These duties are **ONLY** owed to consumers who have signed a Representation Agreement with a Brokerage.

- Perform the terms of the written agreement with reasonable skill & care
- Promote your best interests in good faith, honesty & fair dealing
- Keep sensitive info confidential even after representation ends
- Properly account for property or money received
- Disclose all known or reasonably knowable adverse material facts
- Be available to present & receive written offers & counteroffers
- Assist in negotiating price & terms for the transaction

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IF YOU SIGN a Representation Agreement & become a **CLIENT**, you'll need to know what type of options are available. In Idaho, you may be represented under **SINGLE AGENCY** or **LIMITED DUAL AGENCY**.

SINGLE

Under Single Agency, you are a Client & the Brokerage represents you, **AND ONLY YOU**, in your real estate transaction. The entire Brokerage is obligated to promote your best interests. The Brokerage is **NOT** allowed to represent the other party to the transaction.

> If you are a **BUYER**, the Brokerage will seek a property for you to purchase with an acceptable price & other terms, and advise you to consult with appropriate professionals.

> If you are a **SELLER**, the Brokerage will seek a buyer to purchase your property under acceptable terms, & seek proof of a buyer's financial ability to complete the transaction.

LIMITED DUAL

Limited Dual Agency means a Brokerage represents **BOTH** the buyer & the seller in the same transaction. This may occur if you buy a property listed by the same Brokerage or if the Brokerage finds a buyer for your property. There are **TWO** types of Limited Dual Agency:

WITHOUT ASSIGNED AGENTS

The Brokerage represents both Clients **EQUALLY**, without favoring either. The Brokerage **CANNOT** share confidential information & **MUST** protect both Clients' interests while fulfilling their agreements & duties with skill and care.

WITH ASSIGNED AGENTS

The Designated Broker authorizes an agent to represent each Client. The agents **MUST** protect **their assigned Client's** best interests, & keep Client info confidential. The Designated Broker remains neutral & ensures both agents fulfill their Client duties.

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BROKERAGE:_____

DESIGNATED BROKER:_____ PHONE NUMBER:_____

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT: Your signature is **ONLY** an acknowledgement that a licensee gave you a copy of this document. This is **NOT** a contract; you are under **NO** obligation to anything by signing.

SIGNATURE:_____ DATE:_____

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