

## **K.C. CAT CLINIC**

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### **BEHAVIOR QUESTIONNAIRE**

Owner's name:

Telephone number:

Cat's name:

Age:

Sex:

Please answer the questions below. If needed, use the back of the page.

1. Describe the problem as of today--be specific about locations and frequency of inappropriate behavior as well as the surfaces involved, i.e., carpet, hardwood floors, cement, pillows. Is urine found on vertical surfaces such as walls, curtains or speakers? Or is urine found on a horizontal surface such as the floor or counters?

2. How long has it been happening?

3. Describe how the sequence of events has progressed from the onset of the problem until now.

4. Are there any changes in the household, i.e., moving, guests, new babies, pets or workmen?

5. Does this cat go outside?

6. Does your cat void right in front of you or does it void in hiding, when you're not around?

7. Do you ever see your cat straining to urinate? Straining means that it is in position

to urinate with its bottom close to the ground and it stays there for a long time without producing much urine.

8. When you find urine, is it a large amount or just a few drops?
9. When you find urine, does it look like there is any blood in it, pink or rosy colored?
10. Is your cat drinking more or urinating a greater volume than usual?
11. Do you see your cat straining to defecate?
12. Do you find stool that looks normal? If not, describe what it looks like, i.e., soft, watery, is there blood or mucus streaked on it?
13. How many litter pans are there?
14. Where are the litter pans?
15. What is in the litter pans, clay or clumping litter?
16. How often are the pans totally changed?
17. How often are the pans scooped?
18. Describe access to litter pans?
19. Is it possible that access to the litter pans is ever limited?
20. What other animals are in the house and do they go outside?
21. Describe the relationship of the problem cat to the other animals in the home, i.e., friendly, scared, frequently or occasionally fighting?
22. Do you see aggressive actions or posturing between the problem cat and any other animal around the litter pan?
23. Are the problem areas beside windows, doors, or walls, that lead to the outside?
24. Are there cats or other animals outside of your home which cause your cat to become agitated when they are seen?

25. Are there things outside your home that would draw animals to it, i.e., trash cans?

26. Describe a typical 24 hour day for the problem cat.

27. Please draw a floor plan of your home showing litter pan placement and problem areas.