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### Home Evaluation

Potential Adopter's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Adoption Committee Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1) Applicant has sold/given away a companion animal they owned (Please explain)

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

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2) Household member(s) is verbally and/or physically abusive to companion animals in home (From observation or disclosure from potential adoptee?)

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No Observation Disclosed (circle one)

3) A household member strongly objects to animals in the home (From observation or disclosure from potential adoptee?)

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No Observation Disclosed (circle one)

4) Companion animals in home are aggressive

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

5) House smells strongly of tobacco smoke/scented candles/incense

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

6) Applicant plans to move household within 6 months or less

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

7) Household members and relationships appear stable

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

8) Household includes snakes, ferrets, or other animals that could be dangerous to a companion bird(s)

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

9) Applicant agrees to all terms of contract(s) and waiver(s)

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

10) Is applicant employed (or have other means of self support)

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

11) Does family own this home?

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

12) Is family a member of WAES?

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

13) Does family attend meetings of WAES?

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

14) Will family attend our Bird Care Class?

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

15) Has a previous bird/birds died while in their care? (Please explain)

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

16) ) Is it a sunny room/avian lights where birds are or will be kept?

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

17) Do any members of household suffer from dander or dust allergies?

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Part II

0 = Very Poor 1 = Poor 2 = Fair 3 = Good 4 = Very Good 5 = Excellent

1) Applicant's reliability \_\_\_\_\_

2) Accuracy with which applicant described household \_\_\_\_\_

3) General condition of home \_\_\_\_\_

4) General cleanliness of home \_\_\_\_\_

5) Other environmental conditions (specify below)  
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6) Household members' respect for animals in home \_\_\_\_\_

7) Does applicant appear stable and well balanced? \_\_\_\_\_

8) Location where bird(s) will be kept \_\_\_\_\_

9) Consistency of household schedule/routine \_\_\_\_\_

10) Amount of time and money the applicant is able to devote to care and attention of bird(s) \_\_\_\_\_

- 11) Cooperation/participation of household members \_\_\_\_\_
- 12) Applicant's knowledge of avian behavior \_\_\_\_\_
- 13) Applicant's knowledge of avian health and nutrition \_\_\_\_\_
- 14) Applicant's comfort level in handling companion birds \_\_\_\_\_
- 15) Applicant's ability to access/utilize resources \_\_\_\_\_
- 16) Applicant's knowledge of handling avian behavioral issues \_\_\_\_\_
- 17) Noise Level tolerated by family (5 being VERY loud is okay) \_\_\_\_\_
- 18) Are all fans off and plants far away from the bird?  
 Explain about a bird's ability to jump and/or fly a short distance  
 even when clipped and that fans always are a hazard. \_\_\_\_\_

Part III \_\_\_\_\_

Complete this section for current bird homes only.

- 1) General physical condition of bird(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) General temperament/behavior of bird(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) General condition of cage(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) Size and type of cage(s) and perches \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) Location of cage(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) Amount and type of toys available \_\_\_\_\_
- 7) Quality/variety of avian diet \_\_\_\_\_
- 8) General environmental conditions (specify below)

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- 9) Species of birds in home now \_\_\_\_\_
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What species is desired by family and why:  
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Additional Comments  
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