



Introduction and Explanatory Notes

This agreement transfers the copyrights from the copyrights owner of a photograph, to another company or person for the full use of the copyrighted photograph.

A copyright transfer agreement is a legally enforceable contract, in which the copyright owner permanently, exclusively and unrestrictedly transfers its rights to a client, without retaining any rights for itself. The client becomes the new and sole copyrights owner of the respective work. The initial copyright owner loses control over the work and the ability to license it further.

The original creator of a photograph is the initial copyrights owner. The creator is either the photographer when acts on its own behalf, or a company executing the photograph though a machine or human photographer acting as an employee.

Note: when a photograph is hired to carry out a photography service for you, the photographer is the original creator who then transfers its copyrights to the Client. The bill/invoice/signed sale agreement may act of a proof of copyrights transfer agreement.

Photography Usage Rights Agreement – Copyrights Transfer Agreement

concluded today: (day-month-year), at (place, country), **between**

1. THE ORIGINAL CREATOR: (name, first name or company title), identified by (local ID or entity ID identifiers) issued by(issuer authority), at (day-month-year), in (place, country),

2. THE CLIENT: (name, first name), identified by (local ID identifiers), as written in the National ID issued by issuer authority), at (day-month-year), in (place, country)

in so that the Original Creator declares, under penalty of perjury, that she/he executed and exclusively owns the title, trademarks, copyright, and all other related rights to the below identified photograph

(title, type and description of the photograph):

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and hereby fully relinquish all related personal and professional rights, permanently, exclusively and unrestrictedly, transferring them to the above identified Client.

Effective date(s) of the agreement: Valid permanently, for an unlimited period of time, starting with the signing date.

The Client fully accepts the above-named photograph as it is. They are free to use, reproduce, alter and distribute it to third parties, at own risks.

Signed today: (day-month-year) at..... (place, country)

Original creator (Copyrights owner)

Client

Name and Signature

Name and Signature