Questionnaire

 Name of person inquiring:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Email:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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 Bus Phone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Best time to call If necessary: \_\_ AM \_\_ PM

Please list the member s of your household, ages and occupations. Include children.

* Is there anyone else who may be living with the dog part-time (ie visiting grandchildren, roommate, someone renting a room, etc)
* Have you ever owned a Pomeranian or other toy dog before? If so, explain.
* Are you aware of the health issues that Pomeranians can have?

* If you have owned other dogs, please give the name, breed, where they were obtained, and what happened to the dog (died –please include cause of death, sold, given away…)
* Why are you currently looking for a pet? Check all that reply.
1. Companion for other pet \_\_
2. Companion for spouse \_\_
3. Companion for children \_\_
4. Gift for someone \_\_
5. Breeding \_\_
6. Conformation Showing \_\_
7. Agility Showing \_\_
8. Obedience Showing \_\_
* Have you given thought to the breed’s grooming requirements? Please explain your “hair care” plan.

* Do you prefer a male or female? Why?

* Which of the following would you be interested in (check all that apply)

 \_\_ young puppy (12weeks – 6 mos)

 \_\_ older puppy (6mos – 1 year)

 \_\_ young adult dog (1year – 3 years)

 \_\_ retiree (3-6 years)

 \_\_ veteran (6 years or older)

\_\_ Rescue or rehomed dog (our local club does rescue)

* Do you have a color preference?
* Do you plan on spaying or neutering your Pomeranian? If not, why?

* Pomeranians are sometimes difficult to housebreak. Should this problem arise in your pet, and despite your best efforts accidents still happen after a few months of training, what would you do?
1. Confine the pet (please explain)
2. Re-home the pet
3. Buy diapers/belly bands/panties for the dog
4. Other (please explain):
* Please describe a “day in the life” of the pom. Who will care for it in the morning and evening. How many hours will it be left alone? Do you plan to confine it in an expen or crate, or in an area where the dog can’t harm furniture, carpets or other belongings until it is trained and trustworthy?
* Where would the dog spend most of its time (e.g. kitchen, crate, outside, garage, etc)
1. When you are home:
2. When you are all at work/school:
* How do you plan to provide exercise for the dog? Check all that apply and elaborate if requested.
1. Fenced yard (Describe – keep in mind poms are small and you must NOT have a gap bigger than 2 inches anywhere in the fence or they can escape)
2. Unfenced yard (describe)
3. Leash Walks
4. Off leash walks
5. Dog Park
* Can I or a fellow pom friend of mine visit your home? Or if not possible due to distance could you provide photos of your home/yard?
* Imagine you are going on a vacation but the pet can’t come with you. Who will care for the dog? Have you inquired about local boarding kennels, pet sitters or neighbors/friends/relatives who could care for the dog?
* Do YOU have any questions/concerns/comments for me?