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To Whom It May Concern,

On April 15, 2024, I performed a wellness exam on a 4 year old Spotted Saddle horse gelding named Jinks. His feet were picked up and handled for a hoof tester exam with no resistance. There is evidence of an old abcess on the medial hoof wall although there is no sensitivity to percussion and the horse was negative on hoof testers. He showed no lameness at a saddle gait on an asphalt surface. On flexion test, the horse tested negative on all four legs. On this day, the horse did not show any lameness on examination. In my opinion, the horse is fit to be in work. He appears healthy and free from communicable diseases his eyes are clear, teeth are within normal expectations heart and lungs are within normal expectations.

This letter is in no way to be used as a guarantee of any type regarding sale of Jinks. These are the examination findings on the day of exam. Future owners will need to talk with their veterinarian and formulate a wellness plan for their new horse.

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