

# Form for Sale of Hametz

Fill out the form below and mail it before March 31st close of business  
to:

***Rabbi Simon Benzaquen***  
*Congregation Ezra Bessaroth*  
*5217 S. Brandon St.*  
*Seattle, WA 98118*

## EZRA BESSAROTH CONTRACT TO SELL CHAMETZ

KNOW YE that I, the undersigned, fully empower and permit Rabbi Simon Benzaquen (“the Rabbi”) to act in my place and stead, and on my behalf, as my agent, to sell all *Chametz* possessed by me (knowingly or unknowingly) as defined by the Torah and Rabbinic law (e.g. *Chametz*, possible *Chametz*, and all kinds of *Chametz* mixtures). The also includes *Chametz* that tends to harden and to adhere to inside surfaces of pans, pots, or cooking and usable utensils, and all kinds of live animals that have been eating *Chametz* or mixtures thereof. I also fully empower and permit the Rabbi to act in my place and stead, and on my behalf, as my agent to lease all places wherein my *Chametz* be found, especially in the premises located at \_\_\_\_\_ and elsewhere. The Rabbi has the full right to sell and to lease by transactions, as he deems fit and proper, and for such time which he believes necessary in accordance with all detailed terms and detailed forms as explained in the general authorization contract which have been given this year to the Rabbi to sell *Chametz*. This general authorization is made a part of this agreement. Also, do I hereby give the Rabbi full power and authority to appoint a substitute in his stead with full power to sell and to lease as provided herein.

The above given power is in conformity with all Torah, Rabbinical regulations and laws, and also in accordance with laws of the State of Washington and of the United States.

I hereby affix my signature on the day of \_\_\_\_\_ (Hebrew Date) in the year 5783.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

*The legal intricacies concerning this transfer of property are many, and only a competent Rabbi should be entrusted with its execution*