

APPLICATION FOR RESPONSIBLE DOG OWNER STATUS

Owner's Name:	Owner ID Number:
Owner's Address:	
Telephone Numbers:	
Work: Home:	Mobile:
By [ticking this box] I declare that the information provided is true and correct. I understand that making a false statement in this application may make me liable if convicted to a fine not exceeding \$3000 (Section 41, Dog Control Act 1996).	
	Date form electronically signed:

What are the criteria I need to know?

By signing the application I declare my property meets the criteria below.

If you are renting a property where the dog is being kept, a letter from your landlord allowing you to keep the dog on that property is required.

You need to be able to answer yes to the following:

- register the dog on-time, each year (before 2 August);
- keep the dog securely contained within the Property, while allowing people access to a door of the residence on the Property without encountering the dog, or have signs erected on or near the front entrance of the Property alerting people to the presence of the dog.
- adequately control the dog in public;
- have not had any dog impounded more than once within the last 12 months;
- have not been issued with any infringement notice within the last 12 months;
- have never received a conviction for an offence under the DCA;
- have not had a dog classified as Menacing or Dangerous because of its observed behaviour, or have been classified as a Probationary owner or been disqualified from owning a dog;
- All dogs under the Owners care are kept in accordance with the welfare requirements under section 8 of this Policy