

NORFOLK ISLAND

Regional Council
Animals (Importation) Act 1983

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO IMPORT ANIMAL(S)

About this form: You must use this form to apply to the Administrator, c/- the Norfolk Island Regional Council for a permit to import animal(s)

How to complete this form

1. Ensure that all fields have been filled out correctly in BLOCK LETTERS.
2. Please note that fields on this form marked with an * are mandatory and must be completed before submitting this form
3. Once completed you can submit this form by mail, email or in person. Please see Lodgement Details for further information
4. An application fee as per the current NIRC Fees & Charges Schedule. To be paid at Customer Care, Bicentennial Building, 39 Taylors Road, Norfolk Island or via Direct Deposit to the following account:

Norfolk Island Regional Council
BSB: 062950
ACC: 00070028

If paying via Direct Deposit, please ensure you include a description with the payment, e.g. **“Cat Import – Your surname”**
If there is insufficient space to provide details on this form, please attach a separate sheet(s).

Privacy

Your personal information will be collected, stored, used and treated in compliance with the *Privacy Act 1988 (Cth)* and the Australian Privacy Principles (APP) in force from time to time. Where they are not inconsistent with the above Commonwealth laws, Section 739 of the *Local Government Act 1993 (NSW)(NI)* (protection of privacy) as well as the NSW Model Privacy Management Plan for Local Government and the Privacy Code of Practice for Local Government (NSW) may also be or become applicable to our management and use of your personal information.

NAME OF APPLICANT *	
Address *	
Intended address in Norfolk Island*	
Email *	
Phone Contact number(s) *	
Consigner's name *	

Consigner's address *			
Class of Animals * (e.g. dog, cat, horse etc.)			
Breed *			
Microchip number *			
Number of animals *		Age *	
Sex *	Male / Female	Desexed *	Yes / No
Means of Transport *	Air / Sea	Carrier Name	
Location of animals *	Australia / New Zealand		
Has the animal ever been declared dangerous? *	Yes / No		
Do you class your dog to be a danger to other animals or humans? * E.G. Does it wear a muzzle	Yes / No		

Please note: Any application to import an animal must be accompanied with a photograph of the animal.

Is a photo of the animal attached? *	Yes / No
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Please note: If you are importing a dog please refer Attachment 1 of this application form to determine if you meet the requirements of the *Animals (Importation of Certain Dog Breeds) Regulations 2004*.

Business/Company Name (if applicable)	ABN/ACN number
Signature of Applicant *	Date:

LODGEMENT DETAILS

You can lodge the completed application by:

Mail: Team Leader – Public Health & Environment
c/- Norfolk Island Regional Council
PO Box 95
NORFOLK ISLAND 2899

Email: customercare@nirc.gov.nf Subject: Attention: 'Team Leader – Public Health & Environment'

In Person: 'Team Leader – Waste & Environment'
 c/- Customer Care
 Bicentennial Complex
 39 Taylors Road
 Burnt Pine NORFOLK ISLAND

What now:	Once your application is received an Officer will respond within 10 working days.
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OFFICIAL USE ONLY	
Receiving Officer - Name:	Date:
Receiving Officer - Signature:	

Permit number	Date Issued

Receipt number	Reason/s for issuing/not issuing permit

For the purpose of section 7 of the *Animals (Importation) Act 1983*, the Administrator

- (a) must not grant a permit to import any of the following breeds of dog —
 - American Pit Bull (Terrier)
 - Japanese Tosas
 - Dogo Argentino
 - Brazilian Fila
 - Any cross breed of any of the above

- (b) may authorise the importation of the following breeds if they meet the requirements in paragraph (c)
 - • Rottweiler
 - German Shepherd (Alsatian)
 - Bull Mastiff/Terrier
 - Rhodesian Ridgebacks
 - Doberman
 - Queensland Cattle Dogs/Australian Cattle Dog/Blue, Red Heeler
 - Any cross breed of any of the above.

- (c) must be satisfied that at the time of the application for a permit to import a member of a breed referred to in paragraph (b) the dog —
 - (i) is not less than 6 months old;
 - (ii) has been spayed or castrated;
 - (iii) has been owned by and cared for by the applicant since the age of at least 3 months; and
 - (iv) has undergone obedience training and/or temperament testing under the auspice of the RSPCA, or similar body or of the Australian National Kennel Council or similar body satisfactory to the Administrator.