



## Declaration of Working Dog status

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Dog owner's name:

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Dog owner's address:

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Dog owner's date of birth:

Dog owner account number:

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### Declaration

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (full name)

of \_\_\_\_\_ (address)

declare that the dog(s) listed below are Working Dogs kept solely or principally for the purposes of herding or driving stock or kept by a specified agency\* as defined by Section 2 of the Dog Control Act 1996 (letter certifying dog(s) are kept by a specified agency is required).

\_\_\_\_\_ (name of dog and registration ID)

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I am also aware that it is an offence under Section 41 of the Dog Control Act 1996 to provide a false statement and that every person commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding \$3,000 who, in making an application for the registration of a dog, makes any written statement knowing that statement to be false.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

You can read more about the definition of a working dog at [Working dog | Dog Control Act 1996](#)

Specified agencies include:

- Aviation Security Service
- Department of Conservation
- Department of Corrections
- Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry
- Ministry of Defence
- Ministry of Fisheries
- New Zealand Customs Service
- New Zealand Defence Force
- New Zealand Police
- Director of Civil Defence Emergency Management