

## Working Dogs

### Self Assessment/Application

The following details are provided to assist dog owners to establish if their dog/s qualify as a working dog in accordance with the *Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008* and *Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Regulation 2009*.

#### Checklist – Self Assessment

1. Are you a primary producer or a person engaged or employed by a primary producer?

Yes       No

Note: A 'primary producer' is a person whose main occupation is a farmer (dairy, cane, fruit, grazier etc), and the dog is used primarily for the purpose of droving, protecting, tending or working stock and has not been declared a dangerous or menacing dog (prescribed under the *Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Regulation 2009*).

If you ticked **YES**, please provide further details and attach documents to support that you qualify as a 'Primary Producer'. Evidence may include: Primary Producer Number, Tax Return

2. Do you live on rural land, or are engaged to work on rural land?  Yes       No

Note: Just being zoned Rural Land does not qualify you under the Act. Rural land for the purpose of the legislation means your land is used for grazing or cultivating on a commercial basis.

If you ticked YES to the above question, please provide further details or attach documents to support that you qualify.

3. Does your dog work stock?  Yes       No

This means that your dog/s is/are used primarily for the purpose of droving, protecting, tending or working, stock. If you ticked YES, please provide further details or attach documents to support that your dog/s us/are working dogs.

If you have answered 'Yes' to all of these questions, you may be eligible for the 'Working Dog' registration exemption. To apply for assessment, please complete the remainder of this form and provide evidence to support your request. If your exemption is not granted, you will be forwarded an application to register your dog/s with Council.

**IMPORTANT:** If you ticked NO to any of the above questions, your dog **DOES NOT** qualify as a 'working dog', please complete an animal registration form and make payment.

<b>Section 1: Animal/s Owner Details</b>																																															
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Residential Address																																															
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<b>Section 3: Declaration</b>																																															
I hereby declare the information I have provided on this form is true and correct.																																															

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

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

**Information Privacy Act 2009.** Burdekin Shire Council is collecting your personal information as required under the Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008 for the purpose of processing your application. Some of this information may be given to the Department of Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning and/or the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for the purpose of reporting or undertaking animal management activities. Your information will not be disclosed to any other third party without your consent unless required or permitted to do so by law.

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