



**APPLICATION FOR CONSIDERATION FOR
RESPONSIBLE DOG OWNER STATUS**

I, _____ hereby make application to be considered for responsible dog owner status by the Kaikoura District Council. I consider that I have and will continue to meet all the following conditions and requirements listed below:

- (a) No dog owned by me in the last two years has:
 - (i) been impounded, chased or returned home by Council Dog Control staff
 - (ii) been the subject of any bona-fide complaint
- (b) All dog registration fees have been paid for the last two years by due date.
- (c) I have not been prosecuted for any dog related offences.
- (d) Any information regarding the purchase of, death, sale or transfer of dogs to and from my property, including the movement of any pups born on the premises, shall continue to be promptly notified in writing to the Council.
- (e) My property is suitably fenced and gated to ensure it is dog-proof. Dog free access to a door of the dwelling is provided for authorised callers. (Council reserves the right to carry out random property inspections to ensure compliance).
- (f) All dog(s) owned or kept by me will be registered in accordance with the Dog Control Act 1996 and kept and controlled in accordance with current Council Bylaws.
- (g) I have been a recorded dog owner and resided within the Kaikoura District Council area for at least twelve months.
- (h) Any faecal matter (droppings) deposited by my dog(s) in any public place or on any land other than that occupied by me will be removed forthwith and deposited in a suitable receptacle.
- (i) Any change of residential address within the District shall be notified in writing to the Council within 14 days.

(j) I understand that any breach of the above conditions will lead to the immediate cancellation of my privileges under this policy.

Address: _____

Telephone: _____
Signed: _____
Date: _____

Please contact Murray Devine on 021 419063 for an appointment to have your property inspected and approved.