

Schedule Dictionary

animal carer is a person approved as a wildlife carer by the Department of Environment and Resource Management and operating under the appropriate Code of Practice.

adjoining property means properties in the surrounding vicinity other than the property on which the animal in question is ordinarily kept.

bolus means a device used for the identification of stock.

ear tattoo means the brand sited in the ear used to identify the individual animal.

effectively enclose means to prevent an animal protruding or escaping, over, under or through an enclosure.

enclosure means a building or structure that is used to prevent the animal leaving from the property.

guide, hearing or assistance dog has the same meaning as defined under the *Guide, Hearing and Assistance Dogs Act 2009*.

poultry means chickens and hens, but excludes roosters and cockerels.

primary producer has the same meaning as in the *Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008*.

recognised animal breeder means a person who keeps more than one of the same species of animal for the predominant purpose of breeding the animals and who can reasonably be taken to keep an animal for that purpose.

restricted dog has the meaning given in the *Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008*.

restricted dog permit has the meaning given in the *Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008*.

sale includes sell, give away, dispose of or transfer ownership.

stock has the same meaning as in the *Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008*.

weaned means an animal that is free from dependence to its mother.

Schedule 1 Prohibition on keeping animals

Section 5

(1) Schedule 1 Prohibition on keeping animals, does not apply to—

- (a) guide, hearing or assistance dogs; or
- (b) government entity dogs, and working dogs; or
- (c) animals maintained for the purpose of primary production; or
- (d) an animal carer; or
- (e) the operation of a pet shop; or
- (f) educational institutions; or
- (g) a special event where an animal may be kept at a location other than its place of residence for an extended period of time.
- (h) restricted dogs which are registered with Council as restricted dogs prior to January 30 2013 and which are held under a restricted dog permit granted by Council.

Examples for (f) —

- *schools*
- *T.A.F.E. colleges*
- *universities*

Examples for (g) —

- *rodeo*
- *dog or cat show*
- *agricultural show*

(2) In this schedule the total number of a specified species of animal on an allotment does not include juvenile members of the species on the allotment.

Example -

- *An unweaned calf is not included in the total number of cattle on an allotment;*
- *A chick is not included in the total head of poultry on an allotment.*

(3) For Schedule 1, when considering the overall total number of animals approved for an allotment, all stock must be considered as a cumulative total.

Example —

- *A 9000m² allotment could have a combination of one horse and one cow and one goat.*

Schedule 2 Requirement for approval to keep an animal

Section 6

(1) Schedule 2 Requirement for approval to keep an animal, does not apply to—

- (a) guide, hearing or assistance dog(s),
- (b) government entity dog(s), and working dog(s); or
- (c) animals maintained for the purpose of primary production; or
- (d) an animal carer; or
- (e) a pet shop owner; or
- (f) educational institutions; or
- (g) a special event where an animal may be kept at a location other than its place of residence for an extended period of time.

Examples for (f) —

- *schools*
- *T.A.F.E. colleges*
- *universities*

Examples for (g) —

- *rodeo*
- *dog or cat show*
- *agricultural shows*

(2) The local government may require a statutory declaration from the owner of the animal to support their request for exemption under subsection (1).

(3) A recognised animal breeder may obtain approval to keep animals in excess of the number outlined in this schedule.

(4) For Schedule 2, an animal that is not weaned is not included in the total number of animals on an allotment.

Example -

- *An unweaned calf is not included in the total number of cattle on an allotment;*
- *A chick is not included in the total head of poultry on an allotment.*

(5) For Schedule 2, when considering the overall total number of animals approved for an allotment, all stock must be considered as a cumulative total.

Example —

- *A 9000m² allotment could have a combination of one horse and one cow and one goat.*

(6) A person will be taken to keep an animal if the animal is kept on the premises for in excess of 30 calendar days.