

Registration Fees

New registration fees are in accordance with sections 18 and 27 of the *Companion Animals Regulation 2018*.

Fee changes from 1 July 2024

Registration Type	Registration description	Previous Fee	Fee from 1 July 2024
Dog – Registration	Registration fee for dogs at 12 weeks of age or when first transferred	\$75	\$78
Dog – Registration including additional fee	Combined registration fee and additional fee for an animal not desexed by the relevant desexing age	\$252	\$262
Dog – Registration (sold by pound/shelter)	Desexed animal sold by an eligible pound or shelter	\$0	\$0
Dog –Registration (eligible pensioner*)	Animal owned by an eligible pensioner	\$32	\$34
Dog – Registration (recognised breeder)	Animal not desexed and kept by a recognised breeder for breeding purposes	\$75	\$78
Dog – Registration (desexing Not Recommended)	Registration fee for dogs at 12 weeks of age for animal with written notification from a vet that it should not be desexed	\$75	\$78
Dog – Registration (desexing Not Recommended - Eligible pensioner*)	Animal owned by an eligible pensioner with written notification from a vet that it should not be desexed	\$32	\$34
Dog – Service of the State	Dog in the service of the State, for example, a police dog	\$0	\$0
Dog – Working	Working dog	\$0	\$0
Assistance Animal	Animal under 6 months of age training to be an Assistance Animal, for example a Guide Dog	\$0	\$0
Cat – Registration	Registration fee – for cats at 12 weeks	\$65	\$68
Cat – Registration (eligible pensioner*)	Animal owned by an eligible pensioner	\$29	\$32
Cat – Registration Desexed (sold by pound/shelter)	Desexed animal sold by an eligible pound or shelter	\$0	\$0
Cat – Registration (desexing not recommended – eligible pensioner*)	Animal owned by an eligible pensioner with written notification from a vet that it should not be desexed	\$32	\$34
Cat – Registration (desexing not recommended)	Animal with written notification from a vet that it should not be desexed	\$65	\$68

Cat – Registration (recognised breeder)	Animal not desexed and kept by a recognised breeder for breeding purposes	\$65	\$68
Registration late fee	A late fee is applicable if a registration is not paid for by 28 days after the registration requirement.	\$21	\$22
Additional Fee	Additional fee id due of the animal is not desexed by 6 months	\$177	\$184
Permit Type	Permit descriptions	Previous Fee	Fee from 1 July 2024
Cat not desexed by four months of age	Cat not desexed by 4 months of age	\$92	\$96
Dangerous dog	Dog declared to be dangerous	\$221	\$230
Restricted dog	Dog declared to be a restricted breed or restricted by birth	\$221	\$230
Permit late fee	Payable if the permit fee has not been paid 28 days after the date on which a permit was required to own the companion animal.	\$21	\$22

*An eligible pensioner includes a person in receipt of the aged pension, carer payment, disability support pension, jobseeker, youth allowance and parenting payment and including Department of Veteran Affairs (DVA) payment. If you are unsure whether you are an eligible pensioner, please contact your local council.