

APPLICATION FOR ADDITIONAL DOGS OR CATS ON A PROPERTY

I _____ request permission under Council's By Laws to keep more than;

two (2) dogs at a house (please tick box) one (1) dog at a flat/unit (please tick box)

two (2) cats at a house (please tick box)

the pet/s will be housed : Temporary Permanent

At the following address:

This is the usual place at which the pets will be kept.

THE PET(S) TO WHICH ARE KEPT AT THIS ADDRESS ARE:

NAME	DACO Tag No# (Dogs only)	BREED	AGE	SEX	DESEXED

You are required to notify the Registrar as soon as practicable if:

- The place at which the pet is usually kept is changed
- The pet has been missing for more than 72 hours
- The pet dies
- The ownership of the pet is transferred to some other person
- A control or destruction order is in force or is made in relation to the pet

If ownership of the pet is transferred to another person you are required to:

- Notify the Registrar in writing
- Give the new owner the pet(s) current registration disc and certificate of registration
- Advise the new owner of any control or destruction order made in relation to the pet

It is a requirement that all pets, upon written approval by Council, will need to be registered on DACO (Dogs and Cats Online).

Phone number: _____ Email: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

Dated: ____/____/____

Please see second page for Legislation & By-laws for additional pets on property.

LEGISLATION & BY-LAWS FOR ADDITIONAL PETS ON PROPERTY

DOG AND CAT MANAGEMENT ACT 1995

Part 8—Miscellaneous

90—By-laws

1. A district or municipal council may make by-laws for the control or management of dogs or cats within its area.
2. Without limiting the generality of subsection (1), the by-laws may—
 - a) limit the number of dogs or cats that may be kept on any premises;

CITY OF HOLDFAST BAY – BY-LAWS

By-law No. 5: Limit on dog numbers (made under the Local Government Act 1999)

PART 2 – LIMITS ON DOG NUMBERS

7. Limits on dog numbers in private premises

7.1 Subject to subclauses 7.3 and 7.5, a person must not, without the Council's permission keep or cause, suffer or permit to be kept:

7.1.1 more than one dog in a small dwelling; or

7.1.2 more than two dogs in any premises other than a small dwelling.

7.2 for the purposes of subclause 7.1, 'dog' means a dog that is three (3) months of age or older or, a dog that has lost its juvenile teeth.

7.3 Subclause 7.1 does not apply to:

7.3.1 approved kennel establishments operating in accordance with all required approvals and consents; or

7.3.2 any other business involving the keeping of dogs provided that the business is registered in accordance with the Dog and Cat Management Act 1995 and operating in accordance with all required approvals and consents.

7.4 The Council may require that premises which are the subject of an application for permission to keep additional dogs, must be inspected by an authorised person for the purpose of assessing the suitability of the premises for housing dogs.

7.5 No dog is to be kept on any premises where, in the opinion of an authorised person, there is no secure or appropriate area where a dog may be effectively confined.

By-law No. 6

PART 2 – LIMITS ON CAT NUMBERS

7. Limits on cat numbers

7.1 Subject to this clause 7, a person must not, without the Council's permission keep, or cause suffer or permit to be kept more than two (2) cats on any premises.

7.2 Subclause 7.1 does not apply to premises comprising an approved cattery.

7.3 Council may require that premises which are the subject of an application for permission to keep additional cats, must be inspected by an authorised person for the purpose of assessing the suitability of the premises for housing cats.

7.4 Permission under subclause 7.3 may be given if the Council is satisfied that:

7.4.1 no insanitary condition exists or is likely to arise on the premises as a result of the keeping of cats;

7.4.2 a nuisance is not or is not likely to be caused to any neighbour as a result of the keeping of cats on the premises.