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<h2>DECLARATION OF WORKING DOG STATUS FOR REGISTRATION REBATE</h2>	SF192
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The District Council of Yorke Peninsula offers a reduced registration fee for dogs primarily used as 'working dogs'. The fee for a working dog has been set at \$20.00 for the 2014/15 registration year.

To qualify for this rebate the dog must be used **primarily for the droving or tending of stock** and no other rebates will apply. Primarily means more than 50% of the time.

Please note: Dogs used for vermin control are not considered working dogs and normal registration fees will apply.

Changes to the legislation controlling dog registration has resulted in the Dog and Cat Management Board placing Council's dog registration practices under greater scrutiny, particularly with the granting of rebates.

In order to comply with the Board's directions, Council requires owners of 'working dogs' to complete the following declaration when registering a new working dog.

Transporting unrestrained Dogs in Vehicles

Recent legislation changes stipulate that all dogs must be physically restrained whilst being transported in the open tray of a utility, truck or other similar vehicle.

Dogs are however permitted to be transported in the open tray of a utility, truck or similar vehicle, unrestrained, if the dog is being used in the droving or tending of stock or is going to or returning from a place where it will be, or has been, so used.

This declaration must be completed in full to claim the rebate.

PENALTIES OF UP TO \$10,000 MAY APPLY FOR FALSE OR MISLEADING STATEMENTS

I, _____ of _____
(Full Name) (Property Address)

Hereby declare that:

1. I am the owner/person in charge of _____
(Name and Description of Dog - as per attached Application for Dog Registration Form)
2. I use this dog in the droving and/or tending of:
 Cattle Sheep Other (Please specify) _____
3. Specify approximate Number of Animals _____
4. Dog is usually Kept at _____
(Property Address(s) where farmed animals are kept)
3. I am applying for the 'working dog' rebate for the registration of this dog.
4. **I make this declaration knowing that I may be liable of a fine of up to \$10,000 if I have made a false statement in this declaration or application for registration.**

 Signature
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