

## APPLICATION TO REGISTER A SINGLE DOG – BREED REGISTER ONLY

### Application - Imported Dog / Bitch

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## Application - Imported Bitch in Whelp

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### Application - Local Recognised Registry

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BREED										HD & ED Certificate attached Pedigree/Certificate of Registration attached										Y		N									
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By my signature to this form, I/we the registered owner(s) of this dog, affirm that the dog has been microchipped as per details hereby given. I/we hereby declare that I/we accept and understand that if any information is found to be inaccurate to any degree whatsoever, that I/we may be subject to disciplinary action in terms of Schedule 01.																															
IF APPLICANT IS A MINOR UNDER 18 YEARS LEGAL GUARDIAN TO SIGN HERE										GUARDIAN I.D. NO										DATE											

## CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 21 – JURISDICTION OF KENNEL UNION

Every person (a) making application to the Kennel Union for the registration, recording or transfer of a dog or the registration of an affix; shall be deemed thereby to have submitted to and agreed to be bound by this Constitution and all Schedules, with particular reference to Schedule 09, Code of Ethics, Rules, Regulations and By-Laws framed thereunder, both in respect of himself and in respect of every dog owned by him, registered or recorded by him jointly with another or others or owned or registered or recorded in the name of a nominee, or exhibited or handled by him. **For Imported Dogs, Bitches in Whelp and Imported Semen - Please see Page 2.**

Send Application Form + Supporting Documentation + Proof of Payment + Courier Delivery Form in a single email to [applications@kusa.co.za](mailto:applications@kusa.co.za)

**No Registration Certificates will be issued or despatched without payment of the required Courier Fee.**

The Courier Delivery Form is downloadable from the KUSA website.

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Method of Payment: ☐ EFT ☐ Visa ☐ Master Card

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## BANKING DETAILS

Account: Kennel Union of Southern Africa  
Bank: First National Bank  
Branch: 210 651 (Portside)  
Account Number 51450025635

## SPECIFIC REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS AS PER SCHEDULE 02

### REGISTRATION OF AN IMPORTED DOG

Any dog registered in and imported from any country the Canine Control Body of which is in reciprocity with or recognised by KUSA may be re-registered by KUSA on the following terms: -

Applications must be made on the official KUSA Form and have attached:

- 1) A Certified Three-generation Export Pedigree issued by such other reciprocal or recognised body. Export Pedigrees issued by FCI National Canine Organisations (NCOs) must accompany the application in original format.
- 2) Where not stated on the Export Pedigree, a Certificate of Transfer of Registered Ownership.
- 3) An Animal Improvement Act (AIA) Permit for importation of animals issued by the Directorate of Animal Production.
- 4) A Veterinary Import Permit issued by the Directorate of Animal Health in terms of the Animal Disease Act.
- 5) A Transport Waybill with date of arrival in South Africa.
- 6) Proof of payment (Refer to Subscription & Fees List).

In the case of a dog imported from Germany the Certified Three-generation Pedigree issued by the applicable breed club shall be supported by the form of "Certification for Foreign Registration" issued by the Verband für das Deutsche Hundewesen (VDH).

All imported dogs **must be microchipped** and have a **standardised international marker DNA Profile** before acceptance for registration on any KUSA Register.

### BITCH IN WHELP

In addition to the documentation stated above (Schedule 02, Regulation 3.1), a Certified Three-generation Pedigree issued by the Canine Control Body in the country of origin of the sire shall accompany every application for registration of progeny whelped in the KUSA area of jurisdiction. Schedule 02 App C- Breed Specific litter registration requirements must be met for the litter to be accepted for registration.

In the case of a mating having taken place in any country, the Canine Control Body of which is in reciprocity with or recognised by the KUSA, a separate mating certificate signed by the owner of the Sire, veterinarian and any witness to the mating in the country of origin will be acceptable, if fully completed with the essential details of the dog (including microchip number and standardised international marker DNA profile), and details of the bitch and the dates of mating. In such cases the name of the owner(s) of the Sire must coincide with the registered ownership certificate issued by the foreign Canine Control Body.

### BREED SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS FOR IMPORTED DOGS & IMPORTED SEMEN

#### 1. Irish (Red) Setters – Imported

- 1.1 No imported Irish (Red) Setter will be placed on the KUSA Breed Register unless cleared either by DNA testing or by being proven hereditarily CLEAR of Canine Leucocyte Adhesion Deficiency (CLAD).
- 1.2 No imported Irish (Red) Setter will be placed on the KUSA Breed Register unless cleared either by DNA testing or by being proven hereditarily CLEAR of Progressive Retinal Atrophy rcd 1 (PRA rcd 1 – early onset).
- 1.3 No imported Irish (Red) Setter will be placed on the KUSA Breed Register unless cleared either by DNA testing or by being proven hereditarily CLEAR of Progressive Retinal Atrophy rcd 4 (LOPRA4 – late onset).

#### 2. Irish Red & White Setters Imported

- 2.1 No imported Irish Red & White Setter will be placed on the KUSA Breed Register unless cleared either by DNA testing or by being proven hereditarily CLEAR of Canine Leucocyte Adhesion Deficiency (CLAD).
- 2.2 No imported Irish Red & White Setter will be placed on the KUSA Breed Register unless cleared either by DNA testing or by being proven hereditarily CLEAR of von Willebrands Disease (vWD).

#### 3. Gordon Setters – Imported

- 3.1 No imported Gordon Setter will be placed on the KUSA Breed Register unless cleared either by DNA testing or by being proven hereditarily CLEAR of Late Onset Progressive Retinal Atrophy rcd4 (LOPRA rcd 4).

#### 4. Retriever (Labrador) – Imported

- 4.1 An imported Retriever (Labrador) may only be placed on the KUSA Breed Register upon presentation of a clear test result for the dilute colour gene for the dog in question, from a recognised genetic laboratory in the country of origin or South Africa, or by being proven hereditarily clear, of either carrying the Dilute gene ("Dd"), or of being affected by the Dilute gene ("dd"). For the avoidance of doubt, the test result must reflect a result for the D Locus of "DD" for the dog, or for both its parents, to be eligible for Breed Registration.

- 4.2 No offspring from imported Retriever (Labrador) semen, collected on or after 1 October 2021, may be placed on the KUSA Breed Register, unless a clear test result for the dilute colour gene for the dog in question can be produced, either from a recognised genetic laboratory in the country of origin or South Africa; or, the semen donor can be proven to be hereditarily clear of either carrying the Dilute gene ("Dd"), or of being affected by the Dilute gene ("dd"). For the avoidance of doubt, the importer must furnish the KUSA with proof of a Dilute gene result of "DD" for the semen donor, or for both his parents, in order for the litters sired by the donor to be eligible for Breed Registration.

#### 5. Rottweilers – Imported

- 5.1 All Rottweilers being imported under twelve (12) months of age must be screened in South Africa once the animal is at least eighteen (18) months. Any HD/ED gradings given to Rottweilers under twelve (12) months of age are not accepted.
- 5.2 HD requirements for the importation of Rottweilers or semen for breeding or Championship purposes:
  - 5.2.1 The dog must be x-rayed and scored over the age of twelve (12) months;
  - 5.2.2 The dog must receive an official FCI/ADRK grading according to FCI/ADRK Regulations;
  - 5.2.3 Any grading given must either be performed or endorsed by the Veterinary University of the country, ADRK or hip dysplasia panel of the country. This must be clearly reflected on the official HD/ED certificate. Alternatively, the grading veterinarian must be officially recognised (in writing) by the Veterinary University of the country as being qualified to perform gradings according to the FCI system.
- Or
- 5.2.4 Animals receiving an official recognised grading in a country (as per list lodged with KUSA by RBC) over the age of twelve (12) months are accepted. Refer to Schedule 02 Appendix "E" for the list of accepted institutions.
- Alternatively:
- 5.2.5 If the dog fails to meet the above requirements, the dog must be re-graded in South Africa over the age of eighteen (18) months.