

The Kennel Club General Code of Ethics

All breeders who register their puppies, and new owners who register ownership of their dogs with the Kennel Club, accept the jurisdiction of the Kennel Club and undertake to abide by its general Code of Ethics.

Breeders/Owners:

1. Will properly house, feed, water and exercise all dogs under their care and arrange for appropriate veterinary attention if and when required.
2. Will agree without reservation that any veterinary surgeon performing an operation on any of their dogs which alters the natural conformation of the animal, may report such operation to the Kennel Club.
3. Will agree that no healthy puppy will be culled. Puppies which may not conform to the Breed Standard should be placed in suitable homes.
4. Will abide by all aspects of the Animal Welfare Act.
5. Will not create demand for, nor supply, puppies that have been docked illegally.
6. Will agree not to breed from a dog or bitch which could be in any way harmful to the dog or to the breed.
7. Will not allow any of their dogs to roam at large or to cause a nuisance to neighbours or those carrying out official duties.
8. Will ensure that their dogs wear properly tagged collars and will be kept leashed or under effective control when away from home.
9. Will clean up after their dogs in public places or anywhere their dogs are being exhibited.
10. Will only sell dogs where there is a reasonable expectation of a happy and healthy life and will help with the re-homing of a dog if the initial circumstances change.
11. Will supply written details of all dietary requirements and give guidance concerning responsible ownership when placing dogs in a new home.
12. Will ensure that all relevant Kennel Club documents are provided to the new owner when selling or transferring a dog, and will agree, in writing, to forward any relevant documents at the earliest opportunity, if not immediately available.
13. Will not sell any dog to commercial dog wholesalers, retail pet dealers or directly or indirectly allow dogs to be given as a prize or donation in a competition of any kind. Will not sell by sale or auction Kennel Club registration certificates as stand alone items (not accompanying a dog).
14. Will not knowingly misrepresent the characteristics of the breed nor falsely advertise dogs nor mislead any person regarding the health or quality of a dog.

Breach of these provisions may result in expulsion from club membership, and/or disciplinary action by the Kennel Club and/or reporting to the relevant authorities for legal action, as appropriate.



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Application for an Export Pedigree
Form 13



THE KENNEL CLUB

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All information is correct at time of printing



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Thank you for applying for an Export Pedigree certificate. The majority of overseas Kennel Clubs with which the Kennel Club has a reciprocal agreement, require a 3 Generation Export Pedigree and proof of registered ownership. By completing this application the export pedigree will be issued, however the Kennel Club would like to offer you a variety of pedigree certificates available in addition for you to keep.

EXPORT PEDIGREE



An Export Pedigree is required by an overseas Kennel Club should you wish to register the dog in the country of residence.

Export Pedigree £40.00

ENHANCED 5 GENERATION PEDIGREE

The Enhanced Five Generation Pedigree is an A3 size certificate printed on high quality paper and includes an embossed seal and colour printing with champions printed in red text. The information provided includes Kennel Club Registration Number, Breed, Colour, Sex, Date of Birth, Breeder, Owner and information on five generations of your pedigree dog's ancestry.



This is an excellent asset for showing how many of the dogs ancestors are champions.

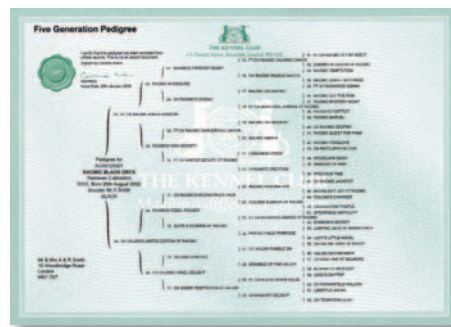
Enhanced 5 Generation Pedigree £17.00 (normally £22.00)

5 GENERATION PEDIGREE

You can also obtain an A4 size 5 Generation Pedigree providing the Kennel Club Registration Number, Breed, Colour, Sex, Date of Birth, Breeder, Owner and information on five generations of your pedigree dog's ancestry.

This is an excellent asset should you wish to research more of the ancestry of your dog.

5 Generation Pedigree £7.00



ADVICE TIPS BEFORE FILLING OUT AN EXPORT PEDIGREE FORM

Exporting Dogs:

- To ensure the best quality of life for the animal in question, the Kennel Club would suggest that breeders or owners consider the following points very carefully, before exporting a dog to an overseas destination.
 - The final destination of the puppy/dog is known.
 - The person receiving the animal is known to the exporter.
 - The reason for purchase and the accommodation for the dog are acceptable to the exporter.

- The country of final destination has sufficient and effective animal protection legislation and animal welfare standards.
- Information regarding the regulations involved in exporting a dog may be obtained from the Department of Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA) Defra, Nobel House, 17 Smith Square, London, SW1P 3JR. Tel: 020 7238 6951 www.defra.gov.uk

IF EXPORTERS ARE IN ANY DOUBT THEY SHOULD NOT EXPORT

Bitches In Whelp

If the application is for a bitch in whelp, the applicant should also apply for a 3 Generation Pedigree in respect of the dog to which the bitch was mated (the fee for which is £7.00 subject to change), and a certificate of service confirming that the bitch has been mated.

IF EXPORTERS ARE IN ANY DOUBT THEY SHOULD NOT EXPORT BITCHES IN WHELP

A guide to help you complete an Export Pedigree form

This form should be used to apply for an Export Pedigree Certificate. It should be completed in **BLOCK CAPITALS** in **black ink** throughout and sent to the Kennel Club.

1 Dog Details

Please complete all sections in order for the Export Pedigree form to be accepted.

Please make sure that the microchip or tattoo number for the dog has been completed on the Export Pedigree application form. If this is omitted it may result in the Overseas Kennel Club refusing to register the dog. You are advised to confirm with the relevant Kennel Club to find out its requirements. If the details are added at a later date and a duplicate Export Pedigree is required, a fee of £20.00 will be required to provide a duplicate export pedigree.

2 Certification of a Male Dog

Declaration to be signed by veterinary surgeon including the practitioner address and qualification(s). **Only applicable for a male dog.**

3 The Breeder(s) name

The Breeder is the person who bred the dog/bitch. Please complete all contact details here.

4 The Applicant(s) name and address

The Applicant is the name of the current owner/breeder or the agent acting on behalf of the owner. Please complete all contact details here.

5 The New Owner(s) name and address

The New Owner is the name of the potential new owner who is taking ownership of the dog. Please complete all contact details here.

The Kennel Club cannot issue an export pedigree until the dog is registered in the ownership of the overseas owner. If the dog is to be transferred into a new overseas ownership, a transfer of registered ownership application must accompany the export pedigree application. An additional fee would be applicable for this service.

If the ownership remains the same then the new overseas address must be stated on the application form. An export pedigree can only be issued showing an overseas address.

6 Country of Export

Enter the name of the country to which the dog is being exported.

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Canadian Exports

In the case of two dogs of the same breed and sex exported in the same consignment to Canada, each dog must be tattooed before dispatch, with a mark supplied by the Canadian Kennel Club to the importer. This mark must also appear on the export pedigree. If such marks have been allocated by the Canadian Kennel Club in respect of these dogs, please give exact details for reproduction by the Kennel Club on the pedigree.

7 Confirmation to whom the Pedigree should be posted

Please write the name of the breeder/applicant or the new owner to whom the pedigree should be sent. If this section is not completed the pedigree will automatically be sent to the new owner overseas.

8 Fee and Additional Items

There are additional services available with your Export Pedigree application. Please indicate here which items you require and remember to enclose the appropriate fee.

9 How to pay

Once you have completed this form, please send it together with the appropriate fee to:

The Kennel Club,
4A Alton House Office Park,
Gatehouse Way,
Aylesbury,
Bucks
HP19 8XU

**For further information and guidance
please contact us on 0844 4633 980.**

NOTES:

The Committee reserves the right to reject any application to register a Kennel Name or transfer any dog or to change or cancel or suspend any registration and may cancel or suspend any registration or transfer or grant of a Kennel Name already made.

Check List

- Have you completed all sections required?
- Have you checked all parties have signed the declaration?
- Has your veterinary surgeon completed the certification of a male dog section?
- Have you included the transfer of registered ownership? (if applicable)
- Have you ordered an Enhanced 5 Generation Pedigree?
- Have you included your payment?

Return to

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This form is also available to download from our website at www.thekennelclub.org.uk/kcforms

The full Kennel Club Rules and Regulations are contained in the Kennel Club Year Book which can be purchased from the Kennel Club on 0844 4633 980 or online www.thekennelclubshop.org.uk

