



# PAWSI INSPECTORATE

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## DO YOU NEED TO REGISTER?

A performance must be presented by or under the direct supervision of a Registered Animal Trainer.

Do you supply animals or train animals for performance:

If yes then you need to register, then are you a business who would deal with the person wanting the performance, ie. and Animal Supplier or are you employed by such a business as an animal trainer/presenter.

- Animal Supplier
- Animal trainer

An animal supplier business is not automatically an animal trainer, eg Rona Brown & Associates was an 'Animal Supplier', Rona Brown personally would still need to be registered as an Animal Trainer for her to work the animals.

There may be a situation where an animal is provided by a 'pet' owner to a Registered Animal Supplier business who will need a Registered Animal Trainer to 'present' the trained animal, or at the very least to be there whilst it works.

When completing this Pre-Inspection Audit form please use attachments rather than trying to write short or extremely small answers.

Detailed information is required which if not present may slow down the speed that your application can be processed.

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Chief Veterinary Officer PAWSI

## ANIMAL SUPPLIER/TRAINER

Company/trading name	
Name	
Address	
telephone	
fax	
email	
website	
date established	
Type of work undertaken	

## ANIMAL TRAINERS

Are you registered under the Performing Animals Registration Regulations ?  
If so, when?

Qualifications

Any appropriate qualifications or training courses attended

Acquired prior learning - give the details of particular expertise and where and how it was gained :

## Species worked with

### domestic

farm animals

horses

dogs & cats

### exotic

DWA

others

reptiles

birds

inverts

mammals

fish

Full cognizance of Acquired Prior Learning is given, however it is not sufficient to simply state that you work with all species, applications **MUST** include evidence that you have wide experience in planning and organizing work with a the types of animal you seek to be licensed to supply. Details of jobs, with specific actions and dates must be provided.

Support with evidence of previous work, attach supporting data to the end of this application.

**Staff/contract supervisors**

**Registered trainers**

names

qualifications / experience / registration no

**Other staff**

Support

Trainees

Veterinary surgeon

frequency of contact

routine or emergency only



expertise in the media if appropriate

specialist equipment if appropriate eg firearms

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**Species kept**

For animals kept - provide details of age, sex, and for exotics whether wild caught or captive bred

farm animals	
horses	
dogs & cats	
<b>exotic</b>	
DWA	
others	
reptiles	
birds	
inverts	
mammals	
fish	

- Outline Identification of animals - chips rings etc
- Summarise the level of training of each animal

If keeping and working CITES App 1 or 2 exotics it is expected that you are involved in some way in conservation or education

- CITES documentation if appropriate

## Accommodation for owned animals at base or elsewhere

Describe and provide photographs of accommodation which you have available for the animals that you keep or may keep.

- Security at accommodation
- Accommodation when travelling- description & photos
- Accommodation when working- description & photos
- Animals available from other sources  
Here we want a description of how you source animals and the type of records you keep to allow this to be done.
  - what species and how these would be made available
  - do you have expertise to supervise what you hope to supply
  - find suitable animal in your records
    - breed, sex, suitability for job, chip, OK with kids? problems, passport, record jobs done, type of work it can do, etc etc
  - what process do you go through to find new working animals
  - do you have an approval protocol

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## Records

Describe what records you keep and how they are kept. Paper or computer records are required.

Records should cover

- source
- age & sex
- veterinary history, vaccinations, worming etc
- training history
- work history
- special dietary needs or preferences
- Animal accommodation
  - is it suitable in terms of space, enrichment etc
  - suitability
  
- for non-owned animals
  - explain your criteria for selection of animals and your processes to ensure the welfare of those animals
  - need for training
  - abilities of owners
- Health
  - The same type of data as kept for your own stock so

## Health & safety

Statements of working practices are required plus actual examples to demonstrate how it operates

- are risk assessments available for all species worked with
  - at base
    - feeding
    - venomous species
    - animal-contact
    - zoonotic disease
    - eg. worming and shampooing dogs prior to working with people
    - training
      - special training for any species depending on situation
    - escapes
    - equipment
    - transport to and from jobs
  - on work location
    - as above
    - special risks
  - Had any reportable accidents under RIDDOR
  - Do you have an accident book
  - do you have trained first aiders