

# DOG ADOPTION APPLICATION



Type of dog preferred:				
Breed/s wanted.....		not wanted.....		
Size.....	age.....	sex.....		
Purpose for which dog required:	Pet	Guard	Farm	Hunting

*Nelson SPCA has a responsibility to ensure that its dogs are placed in the best possible permanent situations. We do not "sell" dogs, we rehome them where their individual needs will be met, and where they will receive the care and respect they are entitled to. All applications are considered on their own merit and Nelson SPCA reserves the right to decline any application that does not meet our criteria or is deemed unsuitable.*

*SPCA policy requires that all animals adopted are desexed or booked for desexing, registered with the local authority and micro chipped.*

**\*\* This information is required to enable the SPCA to assess your suitability as a responsible dog owner, and to ensure the dog will suit your individual situation. Minimum age for adoption is 18 years\*\***

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. (H) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. (W) \_\_\_\_\_

Current occupation or source of income: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of property where dog is to be kept if not the above: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of accomodation: House Flat Farm Other \_\_\_\_\_

Who owns the above property Name \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

*(Please note we cannot hold dogs while fencing is completed)*

Is the property securely fenced: Yes / No

Is there usually someone home during the day: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have dependant children: Yes / No ages \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a dog/s at present: Yes / No

If yes please describe \_\_\_\_\_

Currently registered with NCC TDC other authority \_\_\_\_\_

If you do not have a dog at present, have you owned a dog/s in the past: Yes / No

If yes, what became of it? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever faced charges under the Animal Welfare Act 1999 or Dog Control Acts: Yes / No

Do you understand the ongoing expense and suitable facilities that are required for owning a dog? ( this includes provision of adequate and suitable food, shelter, exercise, veterinary treatment, neutering, holiday care and registration): Yes / No

Dog ownership involves long term commitment. Are you financially prepared and able to meet these ongoing and sometimes unexpected costs?: Yes / No

*I herby state that this is information is true and correct, and I consent to the SPCA making certain checks to confirm if required. I understand that I may access this information at any time to amend my details.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_ SPCA Officer \_\_\_\_\_

Office use only:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Landlords consent	<input type="checkbox"/> Council approval	<input type="checkbox"/> Property check
<input type="checkbox"/> Approved by _____		date _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Declined by _____		date _____
comment _____		